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Special points of interest:

Did you know that you can join two Commissions and two Interest Groups? Consult the full listing on the NACADA website or in your program.

If you want to get involved with the region, the Regional Conference program committee, or the national organization or if you simply have a question, here is how to reach us:

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Regional Information

Welcome to the first edition of the Northeast Region 1 Newsletter!

Our 19th Regional Conference in Newport, Rhode Island was a smash hit with record attendance, fabulous weather and impressive presentations. Our participants attended great presentations, exercised to kick-boxing and channeled their energies with Tai Chi class. Everyone enjoyed our reception at Salve Regina University.

Thanks to our terrific Conference Committee, everyone who volunteered and all our participating members!

UPCOMING REGIONAL CONFERENCES!

Our 20th Regional Conference !!!!!

Please join us in Burlington, Vermont at the Radisson, March 24-26, 2004. Information on the Call for Proposals and anticipated conference costs as well as hotel information will be available on the NACADA website shortly. If you want to get involved with a great group of seasoned conference planners and all around great people, contact Beth Higgins or Gail Stepina, Conference Co-Chairs at the email addresses in the box.

Our 21st Regional Conference is already in the planning stages, set for Toronto in 2005! Stay tuned for more information!

Northeast Region 1 2003 Award Winners

Outstanding Advising, Administrator, Certificate of Merit: **Kathleen D'Alessio**, Landmark College, VT

Outstanding Advising, Administrator, Certificate of Merit: **Carol Van Der Karr**, SUNY Cortland, NY

Outstanding Advising, Faculty, Certificate of Merit: **Patricia Jaquith**, Landmark College, VT

Outstanding Advisor, Primary, Certificate of Merit: **Linda Scoville**, University at Albany, NY

Outstanding Institutional Advising Program, Certificate of Merit: First Year Advising Program, **Michelle Bandla**, SUNY Oswego, NY

Outstanding Institutional Advising Program, Certificate of Merit: Academic Exploration Program, **Antonia Knight**, Niagara University, NY

Publication— Electronic Category, Certificate of Merit: Advisement Services Center Website, **Dan White**, University of Albany, NY (www.albany.edu/advisement)

NACADA Region 1 Executive Committee

Regional Chair—Susan Campbell

Members at Large (2) Susan Kolls and Shoshana Kalfon

Regional Conference Chair(s) (1-2)

Beth Higgins and Gail Stepina

State/Province Representatives (3)

Avery Horowitz (NY), Jean Landes (NY), and Beth Higgins (ME)

Former Regional Chair (1)

State and Province Liaisons

Canada (Quebec and Atlantic Provinces): Tanya Pitt

Connecticut: Susan Gregoire

Maine: Beth Higgins

Massachusetts: Steven Viveiros

New Hampshire: Gail Stepina

New York: Avery Horowitz (Lower NY/NYC), Jean Landes (Western), Susan Moyers (Eastern)

Rhode Island: Solanchi Fernandez

Vermont: TBA—please contact us if you want to be the Vermont Liaison!

ELECTIONS FOR STATE/PROVINCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES WILL BE HELD IN LATE 2003/EARLY 2004! Please look for more information shortly on our website!

**Join Us! Become a State Liaison or help out by hosting a Drive-in Conference!
It's easy to do!**

Thanks go out to Barb Schreiber for her service to the Region as a NY State Liaison!

Welcome to Susan Gregoire, our Connecticut Liaison!

Northeast Region 1 Governance and Election Information

GOVERNANCE:

The Executive Committee shall consist of eight members, including the elected Regional Chair to the national organization, State/Province Representatives, present and future regional conference chairs, and members-at-large. The Current Regional Representative shall act as committee chair and will produce the regional reports. All committee members must be members of NACADA.

For more information, please contact the Region 1 Chair, Susan Campbell at scamp@usm.maine.edu

ELECTION INFORMATION:

Nominations for 2004 NACADA Leadership positions are being accepted through October 15, 2003. The next election is scheduled for January/February 2004 and there are several positions open.

Let's nominate lots of Region 1 members to help lead NACADA into the future!

Complete information on submitting a nomination and the available positions is available at

www.nacada.ksu.edu/election/index.htm or at the national conference at the NACADA display booth or in the back of the conference program.

REMEMBER: DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 15!

More Awards for Notable Northeasterners!

Advising Administration Commission Service Award

Susan Campbell, University of Southern Maine, is the recipient of this year's Service to the Commission Award. Please join us in congratulating Susan on this well-deserved recognition!

Our BEST OF REGION winner:

Susan Kolls, Northeastern University, is recognized by her peers as Best of Region 2003 for her presentation, *They Don't Have To Eat Bugs!*

Congratulations Susan! !

Please join all of the Northeast Region 1 Award Winners at the Awards Ceremony, Saturday, October 4 at 4:15 p.m.