

President's Message

The year is off to a great start! For the first time, we held our state officer elections online. One more step towards a more sustainable organization. I would like to offer a special thanks to all of those who participated in the elections this year, particularly our Administrator, Sharlyn Underwood, who answered all those pesky questions—including mine.

I would like to devote the rest of my piece this month to congratulating one of my students at Virginia Tech. Jessie Oliver, the current Student Chapter President at VT, just found out she won one of the three awards given in the National ASID Student Competition this year! Congratulations Jessie! According to the competition coordinator "This year, we received an astounding 126 entries all of which demonstrated creativity and solid effort. From this field of entries, the jury selected 13 as finalists. From the finalists, three projects were identified, two to receive honorable mention and one as the competition winner. I am pleased to inform you that your project Crystals was designated to receive an Honorable Mention. You can be very proud to know that your project was among the top three of this very strong field of entries."

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