



Susan E. Hashway Outstanding Thesis/Dissertation Award

Purpose of award

This award honors a recently completed thesis or dissertation by a NADE member.

Criteria for evaluation

- NADE membership
- Significance of the topic to the field of developmental education
- Theoretical/research background and rationale
- Theoretical basis and description of research methodology
- Soundness of conclusions from research results
- Quality of written presentation
- Quality of support letter

Special features

- \$500 stipend (to be shared if more than one person is involved with the project)
- Invitation to present at the following year's NADE conference

Directions for application

- Include a research abstract that describes all the award criteria (maximum of 15 double-spaced pages) prepared by the researcher.
- In addition to the 15-page abstract, include a title page, all references for the thesis/dissertation, and a letter of support for the research.
- See the Awards page on the NADE website for specific requirements for submission of application packet to the Awards Committee chair

Award honoree

Susan Hashway had a passion for many things--among them, research; the educational journal that her husband created and edited and that she published alone following his death; the symphony; and her lifetime profession as an educator. Having spent a major portion of her professional career at Grambling State University, she served there as Graduate Faculty and later as Coordinator of Developmental Mathematics. Sue had retired in recent years but left a legacy of active involvement and contributions to the field of Developmental Education. From research and publishing, to countless conference presentations, to President of LADE (Louisiana, 2001) and President of NADE (2004), she did her utmost to positively impact the academic preparedness of college students.