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LATEST NEWS

DR. JOE MISIEWICZ NAMED NEW IASB EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



DR. JOE MISIEWICZ WAS NAMED THE NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF IASB BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1ST. HE WAS INDUCTED INTO THE IPBS HALL-OF-FAME LAST MONTH AND RECIPIENT OF "JOHN KING AWARD" FROM IASB IN JULY

It is with great enthusiasm that we introduce our new Executive Director, Dr. Joe Misiewicz, to the vibrant community of broadcasting educators here in Indiana. Dr. Joe brings a wealth of experience and a deep passion for education and broadcasting to our organization. With a distinguished career in both academia and the media industry, he is poised to lead us into an exciting chapter of growth and innovation.

Dr. Misiewicz's commitment to fostering excellence in broadcasting education aligns seamlessly with our association's mission. His vision for enhancing the learning experiences of our students and educators alike promises to invigorate our programs, ensuring that we continue to provide the highest quality of educational resources to all our members. We eagerly anticipate the transformative leadership and fresh perspectives that Dr. Misiewicz will bring to the Indiana Association of School Broadcasters, and we look forward to the promising future that lies ahead under his guidance. Please join us in extending a warm welcome to Dr. Joe Misiewicz as our new Executive Director.

MEMBERS

HAVE YOU PAID YOUR DUES?

Don't let the excitement of a new school year make you forget to pay your 2023-24 IASB dues. Remember, December 1st is the deadline in order to be eligible for the 2024 Spring Competition (both high school and college). Invoices were sent out last May. If you have any questions, please reach out to our Treasurer, Jeannette Rinard jrinard@impactinstitute.net



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STUDENT SPOTLIGHT



Micah Weller and Finn Trout arrive at Daemen University in Amherst, NY, where they are majoring in Animation. Weller and Trout were part of the animation team from Impact Institute that won IASB'S high school Animation category for the past two years. They are both recent graduates from East Noble High School. Jeannette Rinard, Impact's Interactive Media director is excited to see where life takes this pair, "these two are so incredibly talented and focused on their future. I was fortunate to get to spend two years watching them sharpen their skills, and I know that great things await them," said Rinard.

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

ADAM SCHENKEL
IASB PRESIDENT
HOMESTEAD HIGH SCHOOL



Reflecting on my teaching career as I enter my 20th year, all spent at Homestead High School, I'm reminded of the immense joy I find in doing this every day. I want to acknowledge the evolving landscape of education and how we've overcome some major challenges. For those of you who've dedicated five or more years to this profession, ponder the technological transformations in audio/video alone we've navigated, not to mention the diverse teaching strategies introduced by our administration we've had to make work in our classes. One thing I know is that educators in this field are evolving as much as others are in any other educational field. I'm not suggesting that other educators do any less, my point is that to be an effective teacher in our field, we have to stay on the same trajectory of the media industry, in everything from learning new software to introducing new hardware and equipment and even to understanding current trends and standards that are always changing in the world of media. All of that on top of having to deal with our state's department of education, which feels like are trying to get rid of our programs because they can't see beyond the year 1990. I'd argue that what our kids are taking away from being enrolled in our programs is as beneficial as any other class they take in high school. I know for a fact that our students are learning traits they can use in literally any job that currently exists worldwide. I encourage you all to recognize the immeasurable value of your work and the life-changing opportunities you provide to our students, despite the perception you feel from state leaders. What we offer is truly beneficial and I'm certain that our past, current and future students would echo this sentiment. Thank you for your unwavering dedication to the youth in our state each and every day.

2023-24 UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

ANNUAL FALL MEMBER MEETING: **OCTOBER 24, 2023 (AT BALL STATE)**
CHECK EMAIL FOR REGISTRATION LINK

MEMBERSHIP DEADLINE FOR COMPETITION INCLUSION: **DECEMBER 1, 2023**

BOARD OF DIRECTORS NOMINATION DEADLINE: **DECEMBER 31, 2023**

ONLINE PORTAL FOR COMPETITION ENTRIES OPEN: **JANUARY 2, 2024**

BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTION BALLOT DISTRIBUTED: **FEBRUARY 5, 2024**

HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE COMPETITION ENTRY DEADLINE: **FEBRUARY 9, 2024**

HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE COMPETITION PAYMENT DEADLINE: **FEBRUARY 16, 2024**

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