



IEA NewsBriefs July 2021

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Request for Input on National and Regional HFE Policies

IEA needs global input to advance and promote human factors and ergonomics at the highest international levels. IEA and ILO (International Labor Organization) jointly developed "[Principles and Guidelines for Human Factors/Ergonomics Design and Management of Work Systems](#)." ILO is now considering publication of an ILO Convention, or international legal instrument, on workplace HFE and manual handling. This step shows significant recognition of the importance of HFE and will be a great move forward for our discipline. To back up this plan, IEA will submit a report on national and regional legislative provisions on workplace HFE and manual handling. If you received a survey request, please respond before 1 September 2021. If you have information but did not receive a survey request, please let us know and we will contact you! Kathleen Mosier, kmosier@sfsu.edu and Yushi Fujita, y.fujita@isl.or.jp

IEA at the 74th World Health Assembly

IEA, in official relations with the World Health Organization (WHO), participated in the 149th session of the Executive Board, convened on 2 June 2021. IEA joined Ten Big Non-State Actors organized by the International Alliance of Patients

Organizations (IAPO) to endorse the World Health Assembly 74 Executive Board Resolution on Agenda 13.1: Global action on patient safety. The joint statement can be found at: <https://extranet.who.int/nonstateactorsstatements/content/international-alliance-patients-organizations-16>

The IEA Triennial Report for 2018-2021

Covering the accomplishments of the recently concluded term of officers, led by President Kathleen L. Mosier, Ph.D., the report is a comprehensive review of the activities of IEA as they align with the organization's seven strategic priorities. The link to download the report is available here: <https://iea.cc/about/iea-triennial-report-2018-2021/>

IEA Awards Nomination Deadline Extended

We are pleased to announce that the 2021 deadline for two prestigious IEA Awards has been extended to 31 August 2021. These awards are intended to support contributions to HFE education and research achievements.

- IEA/Tsinghua Award - <https://iea.cc/annual-awards/iea-tsinghua-award/>

The IEA/Tsinghua Award for Collaborative Human Factors and Ergonomics Education for Industrially Developing Countries is given annually to honor persons (e.g., researchers, teachers) who have made significant and outstanding contributions to the success of postgraduate educational programs that have human factors and ergonomics (HFE) courses in the curriculum or contain substantial HFE content in some courses, through international and/or inter-regional collaboration. Up to two programs may be selected, and each program may be represented by up to two nominees. Winners will share a total prize of \$8,000 USD.

- IEA/Kingfar Student Award
- <https://iea.cc/annual-awards/iea-kingfar-award/>

The IEA/Kingfar Award is given annually to honor persons who have made high-quality human factors/ergonomics (HFE) research achievements that address issues typical of industrially developing

countries (IDCs). The purpose of the award is to encourage a deserving person to further explore original research and applications on HFE issues typical of IDCs, thereby potentially improving the well-being of people in these countries. Nominees can be from any countries, including both IDCs and developed countries. Up to eight winners can be awarded each year, with each winner receiving a prize of \$1,000 USD.

IEA2021 Reflections from Congress Chair Ian Noy, Ph.D.

Thank you to IEA2021 delegates who voiced overwhelming positive responses to the Congress. It was a resounding success thanks to the many hours of effort by, and the perseverance of, the members of the Organizing Committee in overcoming the many challenges thrown our way. Special thanks to Nancy Black and Patrick Neumann for their outstanding management of the Technical Program. We thank our generous sponsors, exhibitors, the IEA Technical Committee Chairs and symposia organizers, the brilliant keynote speakers, and Springer for publishing the Proceedings. Thank you also to Prestige Accommodations, and in particular Laurie Ybarra and Christine Reinhard, for their impeccable administrative support. It was a pleasure to work with everyone to make this happen.



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