

SDM Shout Out

Weekly News Updates for SDM Faculty, Staff and Students

2022 Gies Award Recipient Dr. Chester Gary, '78



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Dr. Chester Gary, clinical assistant professor, Department of Restorative Dentistry, was awarded second place of this prestigious award for his editorial "Parallel Pandemics". He was presented with a \$1,000 honorarium and certificate during the AADEJ's 2022 Annual Meeting in Houston earlier this week.

Since 1958, the Gies Editorial Award has been presented yearly to the author of the most valuable editorial published in a dental journal or periodical from those submitted.

This award - presented by the American Association of Dental Editors and Journalists (AADEJ) and the American Dental Education Association (ADEA) Gies Foundation - recognizes the contributions of dental editors and journalists who share and demonstrate a commitment to the establishment and encouragement of responsible editorial policy.

Please join us in congratulating [Dr. Gary](#) on receiving this worthy award.

SDM's Dr. Brendan Dowd, '86 Appointed to ADA Board of Trustees



Dr. Brendan Dowd, '86

On Tuesday, October 18th, Dr. Brendan Dowd, clinical assistant professor, Department of Restorative Dentistry, was installed as a new trustee to the board of the American Dental Association (ADA). The ceremony took place during the ADA House of Delegates meeting held in Houston, Texas.

Dr. Dowd, a retired general dentist in Buffalo, New York, is the new 2nd District trustee. He served as assistant dean of clinical operations at SUNY at Buffalo School of Dental Medicine and is currently a part-time clinical assistant professor. Dr. Dowd is a past president of the New York State Dental Association and the Eighth District Dental Society and served on the ADA Council on Dental Practice.

Join us in congratulating **Dr Dowd** on this prestigious appointment.

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