

## 2017-2018 EIBEA Teacher of the Year Award Nomination for Dr. Julie Chadd:

Julie Chadd has been an active member of EIBEA and IBEA for many years. She is always quick to step up and volunteer to help organize or whatever else needs to be done for EIBEA meetings and activities. She is a dedicated and caring teacher who has earned the respect of her students and peers. She continues to promote the field of business education in her role at EIU by teaching and inspiring future business educators.

She has served in numerous roles in IBEA including: Board Member, Officer, Presenter, Session Chairperson, Site Selection Committee, Conference planning committee, Dora Beattie Scholarship Fund research, and the list goes on and on. Julie is very deserving of this award and as a fellow educator I highly recommend her for the EIBEA Teacher of the Year Award. However, since it is a "Teacher of the Year" award.

I think the comments from her student's say it best.

When I think about my first encounter with Dr. Julie Chadd, it brings to mind why I have started the journey toward finishing my bachelor's degree. Our unexpected meeting started when she was asked to meet with a prospective student considering furthering her education. What I learned immediately was that Dr. Chadd, was someone who was warm, friendly and passionate about her career in education. This chance meeting was the start of learning from a truly inspiring professional. Her demeanor in and out of the classroom is a class act. She details out the expectations and supports her students. As a role model, she is a guiding light that shares past experiences and future challenges. Dr. Chadd is very deserving of an Educator of the year award. -- Jean Cornell, EIU student November 2017

I was walking to a class one of my first days this Fall and a woman stopped and held the door for me. I smiled, thanked her and thought to myself, "well, that was nice!". A few hours later I walked into my classroom and it was the same woman - my professor, Dr. Chadd! Her willingness to help others, whether it be a stranger, a student, family member, etc... is such an inspiration. I am so grateful to have her as a professor for CTE2001 - Work Based Learning. She provides great strategies for us to implement into our classrooms, updates us on the latest within the CTE program, and is always willing to answer questions. Dr. Chadd is also the faculty advisor of Pi Omega Pi. Also, because of Dr. Chadd, I learned about and joined Illinois Business Education Association. I was able attend the Fall Conference in November of 2017. It was an amazing experience and I was able to learn so much from our presenters and 130+ business educators. I walked away from the conference feeling even more confident in my decision to become a business educator. I am thankful for Dr. Chadd & I look forward to continuing to learn from her in the semesters to come! --Amanda German, EIU Student November 2017

**Congratulations to Dr. Julie Chadd!**  
**EIBEA 2017-2018 Teacher of the Year Award Winner**



Dr. Julie Chadd receives the Eastern Illinois Business Education Association 2017-2018 Teacher of the Year Award from EIBEA President Marcy Satterwhite.



Dr. Julie Chadd with the two EIU business education students, Jean Cornell and Amanda German, who nominated her for the 2017-2018 EIBEA Teacher of the Year Award