

SPOTLIGHT

The FLC Spotlight is a bi-weekly thematic newsletter highlighting issues of interest to the FLC and its partners.



2022 FLC National Awards Spotlight: Individual Winners

Technology transfer is essentially a team sport. But every team has individuals who deserve special recognition. This Spotlight, our first in a series on the 2022 FLC National Awards, highlights those individuals.

T2's very objective is to create a team from two or more distinct organizations. And those organizations themselves are made up of scientific teams, engineering teams, design teams, manufacturing teams, distribution teams, and of course legal teams.

Our individual award winners are all team players. What make them stand out as individuals are the many ways they make good teams even better. They bring together partners who complement each other not just with regard to technology, but also with regard to intangibles like work ethic, communication skills, and organizational culture. They work harder and smarter than most people realize to foster the kind of teamwork that results in impactful T2 outcomes.

Please join us in congratulating these noteworthy individuals. Use the links below to read their profiles and view their acceptance videos.

Then think about the members of your own technology transfer team whose outstanding work also deserves broader recognition, and consider nominating them for the [2023 FLC Awards](#).



Rookie of the Year Award

Kelli Howie

Sandia National Laboratories

[Improving diversity, equity and inclusion to increase technology transfer engagement](#)

[View Kelli's acceptance video](#)



Rookie of the Year Award

Pattie Cullum

Department of Veterans Affairs

Converting educational opportunities into improved technology transfer metrics

[View Pattie's acceptance video](#)



Outstanding Technology Transfer Professional Award

Dr. John Kaplan

Department of Veterans Affairs

Reestablishing a technology transfer program worthy of representing VA innovation

[View John's acceptance video](#)



Laboratory Director of the Year Award

Bartley P. Durst

ERDC Geotechnical and Structures Laboratory

Bringing experience as an innovator to his support for GSL technology transfer

[View Bartley's acceptance video](#)



Harold Metcalf Award for FLC Service

John Dement

Naval Surface Warfare Center, Crane Division

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