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**Dr. Susan Sutton Receives Association of International Education Administrator's Charles Klasek Award for Outstanding Service to the Field of International Education**

Washington, DC – February 20, 2019 – The Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) is pleased to honor Dr. Susan Sutton for her contributions to the field of International Education with the 2017 Charles Klasek Award.

Each year, AIEA presents the Charles Klasek Award at the Annual Conference. "Chuck" Klasek was a founding member of AIEA from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale and served as its third president. Upon Klasek's death, the Board felt that a fitting tribute to his outstanding service to AIEA and to the field of International Education Administration would be to present an annual award in his name. The primary criteria for the award is that the recipient has given long-term and outstanding service to the field of International Education.

Susan Buck Sutton is a past president of the Association of International Education Administrators, Chair of NAFSA's International Education Leadership Knowledge Community, and has served on advisory councils or committees for the American Council on Education, the Institute for International Education, and the International Association of Universities. She has also been President of the General Anthropology Division of the American Anthropological Association, and Editor of the Journal of Modern Greek Studies. Past Senior Advisor for International Initiatives at Bryn Mawr College, she previously served as Associate Vice President of International Affairs at Indiana University for many years. Her efforts on internationalizing the campus of Indiana University – Purdue University Indianapolis (IUPUI) resulted in her institution receiving the 2009 Andrew Heiskell Award from the Institute of International Education and the 2011 Senator Paul Simon Award from NAFSA.

Sutton has published multiple books and articles on international education, including the recent *Developing Strategic International Partnerships: Models for Initiating and Sustaining Innovative Institutional Linkages*, and a chapter in AIEA's Publication *The Sage Handbook of International Higher Education* (Sage, 2012). She presents and consults often on key issues in the field, including the changing nature of internationalization, institutional partnerships, and international service learning.

The Association of International Education Administrators is pleased to be able to recognize Dr. Sutton's important work through presenting her with the 2018 Charles Klasek Award.

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The Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) is the only association specifically for leaders in international higher education. Founded in 1982, AIEA is hosted at Duke University in Durham, North Carolina and is composed of over 450 institutions engaged in advancing the international dimensions of higher education. For additional information, visit [www.aieaworld.org](http://www.aieaworld.org) or contact AIEA at [aiea@duke.edu](mailto:aiea@duke.edu) or +1 (919) 668- 1928.

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