



Gold and Silver Pen Awards Past Honorees

2023

Gold Pen: Jim Denton, CPA
The Ethics Lessons of Better Call Saul
January/February 2023 issue of CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Ross Roye, CPA
The Path to Quality Management: An Introduction to the NEW Standards on Quality Management
March/April 2023 Issue of CPAFOCUS

2022

Gold Pen: Brent Watson, CPA
Tax Implications of Doing Business in Multiple States
May/June 2021 issue of CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Daniel P. Skerbitz, CPA
CPA Firms and the PPP Loan: An Ethical Perspective
March/April 2022 Issue of CPAFOCUS

2021

Gold Pen: Jimmy J. Williams, CPA
Stay Connected (and Creative) While Working Remotely
May/June 2020 issue of CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: James S. Denton, CPA
Ethics Takes Practice: Learning through Historical Examples
September/October 2020 Issue of CPAFOCUS

2020

Gold Pen: Amber Jones, CPA
Jimmy J. Williams, CPA
The CPA Profession: A Changing Landscape
January/February 2020 issue of CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Frank W. Crawford, CPA
The Death of Modified Accrual
May-June 2019 issue of CPAFOCUS

2019

Gold Pen: Dr. Beth E. Stetson, CPA
Kaimee K. Tankersley, CPA
Aubree L. Walton, CPA
How Certain is Accountant-Client Privilege?
September/October 2018 issue of CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Carla R. Meyer, CPA
Technology Constantly Changes but Our Ethics Shouldn't
July/August 2018 issue of CPAFOCUS

2018

Gold Pen: Carla R. Meyer, CPA
Corporate Social Responsibility: It's Just Good Business
May/June 2017, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Mark O. Neumeister, CPA
New Partnership Tax Audit Rules: Are You Ready?
January/February 2018, CPAFOCUS

2017

Gold Pen: Leslie Vaughn, CPA
Confusion Surrounds State-to-State Economic Nexus
January/February 2017, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Michael E. Miller, CPA
Avoiding Potential Pitfalls When Automating Sales and Use
July/August 2016, CPAFOCUS

2016

Gold Pen: Brian D. West, CPA
Business Combinations: Don't Fall in the GAAP
September/October 2015, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Terry L. Cumbey, CPA and Marcus A. Huck, CPA
Exit Planning Strategies: Prepare or Suffer the Consequences
November/December 2015, CPAFOCUS

2015

Gold Pen: William M. Wiles, CPA
Developing Positive, Powerful, Personal Networks
May/June 2014, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Harry Haddock, CPA
An Urgent (and Personal) Plea for Diversity
November/December 2014, CPAFOCUS

2014

Gold Pen: Carla R. Meyer, CPA
Lead by Example and Others Will Follow
November/December 2013, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Kevin M. Schroeder, CPA
Have CPA, Will Travel
May/June 2013, CPAFOCUS



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2013

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Taxing the Cloud - Recent Trends in Sales and Use Tax
January/February 2013, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Kelley J. Grace, CPA
Calculate Your Company's Health Care Reform Strategy
September/October 2012, CPAFOCUS

2012

Gold Pen: Blaine M. Peterson, CPA
Understand Oklahoma's Business Activity Tax Reporting Requirements
July/August 2011, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Reece B. Morrel, Jr., CPA
You Win Some, You Lose Some
January/February 2012, CPAFOCUS

2011

Gold Pen: J. Patrick Milligan, CPA
IRS Pursues Broader Oversight over Tax Practitioners
May/June 2010, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Michael A. Crawford, CPA
Protecting the Public's Trust in Government
September/October 2010, CPAFOCUS

2010

Gold Pen: S. Neil Jay, CPA
Guaranteed Job Security
March/April 2010, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: James W. "Jim" Heatherington, CPA
Navigating the Shifting Sands of Tax Commission Opinions
January/February 2010, CPAFOCUS

2009

Gold Pen: Eric P. Winden, CPA
Congress Realigns the Preparer Penalty
January/February 2009, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: James H. Small, CPA
The Business of Ethics
September/October 2008, CPAFOCUS

2008

Gold Pen: J. Patrick Milligan, CPA
Government and the AICPA Part Ways with Respect to the Tax Return Position Standard
November/December 2007, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: James H. Small, CPA
Profits in Ethics - Does Honesty Pay?
September/October 2007, CPAFOCUS

2007

Gold Pen: Terry J. Westemeir, CPA
Judging Experts: A View from the Bench
September/October 2006, CPAFOCUS

Silver Pen: Robin L. Byford, CPA
Highlights of the Pension Protection Act of 2006
November/December 2006, CPAFOCUS