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AMS PUBLICATIONS DIRECTOR RECEIVES DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

MAY 18, 2016 – BOSTON, MA – The American Meteorological Society (AMS) is pleased to announce that Ken Heideman, AMS director of publications, was honored with the Distinguished Service Award from the Council of Science Editors (CSE) at its annual meeting in Denver on May 16.

Ken has been involved with CSE since 2004 when he joined the faculty, teaching a short course on publication management. He has continued to teach that course every year since, while gaining additional responsibilities with CSE over the years as a committee chair, Annual Meeting session speaker and moderator, board member, and CSE president in 2012–13.



“Being involved with the Council of Science Editors has given me the opportunity to meet and work with a group of extremely talented professionals dedicated to excellence in the realm of scientific editing and communication,” Heideman said.

As director of publications, Heideman manages the editorial and peer-review professionals who produce AMS’s ten highly respected scientific journals, as well as books and monographs. Under his leadership, AMS Journals has experienced rapid growth in submissions as well as sweeping transformations in technology, making possible continually improving speed, quality, and accessibility.

The purpose of this award is to honor individuals who have worked diligently to further scientific communication and have made significant contributions to the Council of Science Editors.

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