

# 2025 Azbee Awards of Excellence

## Central Region Award Winners

(Alphabetical by publication name)

### **Arizona Attorney Magazine (State Bar of Arizona)**

**Category:** Print - Special Issue or Supplement

**Award:** Regional Silver Award

**Title of Entry:** Her Honor's Legacy: Sandra Day O'Connor  
Arizona Attorney Magazine Staff, State Bar of Arizona

### **Beyond The Meeting Room (Associated Luxury Hotels International)**

**Category:** Design - Publication Design

**Award:** Regional Gold Award

**Title of Entry:** Beyond The Meeting Room  
Justin Armbrurger, Creative Director; Rich Luna, Editor

**Category:** Online - Best Use of Social Media

**Award:** Regional Bronze Award

**Title of Entry:** Best Use of Social Media  
Meghan Hanna, Vice President, Marketing; Rich Luna, Senior Director & Editor; Miriam Morgade, Director of Marketing; Rachelle Simon, Director of Marketing; Adriana Barajas, Marketing Coordinator

**Category:** Online - Podcast

**Award:** Regional Gold Award

**Title of Entry:** Beyond the Meeting Room Podcast  
Michael Dominguez, President/CEO; Meghan Hanna, Vice President, Marketing; Rich Luna, Senior Director; Miriam Morgade, Rachelle Simon, Directors of Marketing; Adriana Barajas, Marketing Coordinator

**Category:** Print - State of the Industry

**Award:** Regional Bronze Award

**Title of Entry:** Beyond The Meeting Room  
Rich Luna, Editor; Justin Armbrurger, Creative Director

### **EMS1 (Lexipol)**

**Category:** Online - Online State of the Industry

**Award:** Regional Bronze Award

**Title of Entry:** EMS1- What Paramedics Want in 2024  
Kerri Hatt, Editor-in-Chief

### **Health Progress (Catholic Health Association of the United States)**

**Category:** All Content - How-To Article

**Award:** Regional Silver Award

**Title of Entry:** New Ways to Measure Impact in Communities  
Jaime Dirksen

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### **Health Progress (Catholic Health Association of the United States)**

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**Title of Entry:** Whole-Person Caring

Betsy Taylor, Charlotte Kelley, Norma Klingsick, Abigail McCleery, Lisa McDowell, Kelly Wilson, Robin Roenker, Erin Archer, Sarah Neeley, Stephen Murray, Andy Navarro, Kelly Bilodeau, Christina Gebel, Trevor Bonat

### **Police1 (Lexipol)**

**Category:** Online - Event Coverage

**Award:** Regional Silver Award

**Title of Entry:** IACP 2024 coverage

Sarah Calams, Senior Editor

### **POWER magazine (Access Intelligence LLC)**

**Category:** Online - Podcast

**Award:** Regional Silver Award

**Title of Entry:** Analyst Says Nuclear Industry Is 'Totally Irrelevant' in the Market for New Power Capacity

Aaron Larson, Executive Editor

**Category:** Print - Special Issue or Supplement

**Award:** Regional Bronze Award

**Title of Entry:** Transmission & Distribution Special Report

Aaron Larson, Executive Editor; Sonal Patel, Senior Editor; Darrell Proctor, Senior Editor

### **T&D World (Endeavor Business Media)**

**Category:** All Content - Editor's Letter or Note

**Award:** Regional Bronze Award

**Title of Entry:** Global Viewpoint

Nikki Chandler, Group Editorial Director, Energy

**Category:** All Content - Group or Company Profile

**Award:** Regional Silver Award

**Title of Entry:** Lineworkers Light Up Navajo Nation and Beyond

Amy Fischbach, Field Editor

**Category:** Online - Podcast

**Award:** Regional Bronze Award

**Title of Entry:** Line Life Podcast

Amy Fischbach, Field Editor

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**Title of Entry:** Wildfire Supplement

Jeff Postelwait, Managing Editor

### **tED magazine (National Association of Electrical Distributors (NAED))**

**Category:** All Content - Diversity, Equity and Inclusion

**Award:** Regional Silver Award

**Title of Entry:** Refocusing Efforts

Carol Katarsky, Freelance Writer; Scott Costa, Publisher; Misty Byers, Editor; Karen Linehan, Production Editor; Randi Vincent, Art director

**Category:** All Content - Innovation Article

**Award:** Regional Silver Award

**Title of Entry:** Human & Machine: Finding A Balance

Phillip Perry, Freelance Ariter; Scott Costa, Publisher; Misty Byers, Editor; Karen Linehan, Production Editor; Randi Vincent, Art Director

**Category:** All Content - Regular Column

**Award:** Regional Silver Award

**Title of Entry:** Distributor's Voice

Kevin Reed, Freelance Writer; Scott Costa, Publisher; Misty Byers, Editor; Karen Linehan, Production Editor; Randi Vincent, Art Director

**Category:** All Content - Sustainability Article

**Award:** Regional Bronze Award

**Title of Entry:** A New Way for A New World

Bridget McCrea, Freelance Writer; Scott Costa, Publisher; Misty Byers, Editor; Karen Linehan, Production Editor; Randi Vincent, Art Director

**Category:** Design - Front Cover - Illustration

**Award:** Regional Gold Award

**Title of Entry:** Human & Machine: Finding a Balance

Randi Vincent, Art Director; Scott Costa, Publisher; Misty Byers, Editor; Karen Linehan, Production Editor

**Category:** Design - Front Cover - Photo/Typographical Illustration

**Award:** Regional Silver Award

**Title of Entry:** New Product Preview 2024+Q&A: Contractor Roundtable

Randi Vincent, Art Director; Scott Costa, Publisher; Misty Byers, Editor; Karen Linehan, Production Editor

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**Award:** Regional Bronze Award

**Title of Entry:** New Product Preview 2024+Q&A: Contractor Roundtable

Randi Vincent, Art Director; Scott Costa, Publisher; Misty Byers, Editor; Karen Linehan, Production Editor

**Category:** Design - Publication Design

**Award:** Regional Bronze Award

**Title of Entry:** Navigating New Buying Patterns & A Stronger Voice for Independents

Randi Vincent, Art Director; Scott Costa, Publisher; Misty Byers, Editor; Karen Linehan, Production Editor

### **Trends magazine (AAHA)**

**Category:** All Content - Diversity, Equity and Inclusion

**Award:** Regional Gold Award

**Title of Entry:** Support Matters

Maureen Blaney Flietner, Freelance Writer; Ben Williams, Editorial Director