



**Month/Date:** May 10, 2023  
**Time:** 4:30  
**Location:** RIC Alex & Ani Center  
**RIAEA Mailing Address:**  
PO Box 41546  
Providence, RI 02946  
**Events Overview Form:**  
<https://bit.ly/3Xqv6lq>

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### MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Rhode Island Art Education Association is to offer professional opportunities, support and advocacy for leadership and service in order to advance the quality of visual art and design education locally and globally.

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## Board Members

Highlight Name to Indicate Present

Susan Kolenda - President

Jill Cyr - President-Elect / Awards / Exhibit  
Chair

Michelle Morissette -  
Past-President /  
Professional Development

Liz Fontaine - Secretary /  
Educator Awards

Kelly McCarthy - Treasurer  
Adam Ferbert - Membership

Kristin Murphy - ED & I Director/Events  
Gianna Palazzo - Webmaster and Social  
Media

Louriann Mardo-Zayat - Educator Awards

Tara Villanova-Cultural Appropriation &  
YAM

Kerri Marshall- YAM Co-Chair

Rebecca Shipe - Higher Ed

Cheryl Williams - Higher Ed

Shana Cinquemani - Higher Ed

Brianna DeLuca - Anchor Awards

Kate Camara

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## Agenda

### COMMITTEE REPORT:

#### 1. Treasurer

##### - Updates

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**Business Investment: \$1,552.25**

**Fixed term CD- \$1,334.37**

**Venmo- \$886.28 (transferred \$786.00 to checking today)**

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- **Event Overview/Budgets**

- [Event Overview & Budget Form](#)

- 2. Meeting minutes - May**

- Motion to Approve by
      - 2nd by

- 3. Anchor Awards**

- 4. Professional Development**

- 5. ED&I Kristin and Tara**

- Brief update on ED&I committee

- 6. Membership**

- Membership event

- 7. Social Media**

- 8. YAM**

- 9. National Conference**

- 10. Educator Awards**

- 11. Board Positions**

## Notes

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### **5. ED&I Kristin and Tara**

- RIAEA
  - i. Applied to be part of the second round of the cultural competency cohort
  - ii. There will be educational events for the board as well as for our members
  - iii. Meeting in June with NAEA rep
  - iv. Let Brianna or Kristen know if you are interested in joining

### **6. Membership**

- Reach out to Adam if you have any ideas for events that you would like us to host or if you would like to host one

### **7. Social Media**

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### **8. YAM**

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### **11. Board Positions**

- Susan is moving into the past president roll
  - i. Many thanks to Susan for the wonderful and amazing work that she has done for RIAEA and arts advocacy these past 4 years
- Jill is moving into the president roll
- President-elect is Tara Villanova