



Business Meeting  
September 25, 2026

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# Introductions

- SREE Board Members
- SREE Staff
- Affinity Group Representatives
- JREE Editors

# SREE Mission

**Mission:** SREE is an interdisciplinary professional association dedicated to advancing the generation and use of effectiveness research to solve pressing challenges in education.

**Objectives:**

- Elevate SREE's position as a leader in the development and use of rigorous research methods and the application of evidence to inform educational policy and practice
- Build a more inclusive and representative community
- Achieve financial sustainability

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# Affinity Groups

- Women in Quant
- Researchers of Color
- Open Science in Educational Research
- European Scholars

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# Diversity within SREE

- At the end 2024, over 378 of SREE's 915 members indicated that they identified as a race other than Caucasian, and over 11% of individuals in SREE's database identified as such.
- The journal released a special issue focused on Special Issue on Critical Quantitative Approaches for Anti-Racist Transformation in Education earlier this year.
- At this conference SREE held a networking dinner, travel award dinner, an organizational meeting breakfast, as well as two sessions.
- SREE-ROC hosts a monthly virtual meetings to allow for networking and collaboration throughout the year.

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# Awards Update

## Award/Support

- 4 Summer Research Fellows
- 2 Early Career Investigators
  - 1 Outstanding JREE article award
  - 2 Outstanding JREE Reviewer awards
- 9 ROC Mentored Travel Awards
- 14 Ascendium Researcher Fellowship Awardees
- 29 researchers and practitioners participated in Innovation Day Program
- 70 people received need-based travel grants

# 2026 Conference and Events

- 2026 Annual Conference
- Research methods online workshops: Seven completed; three more scheduled through December 2025
- Affinity Group webinars and meetings

# Journal of Research on Educational Effectiveness, 2026-2028

Editor-in-chief: **Rob Olsen**, George Washington University

Corresponding Editors:

**Sean Grant**, University of Oregon, Eugene, Methodological Transparency

**Takako Nomi**, St. Louis University, Evaluation

**Kelly Hallberg**, University of Chicago, Evaluation

**Adam Sales**, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Methodology

**Jordan Rickles**, University of California-Los Angeles, Evaluation and Methodology

**Terri Pigott**, Georgia State University, Research Synthesis

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# Journal of Research on Educational Effectiveness

Special Issue

Registered Reports



# Key Indicators of Organization Health/Financial Update

Continue to Track Organizational and Financial Key Indicators

| Indicator             | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 |
|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Membership</b>     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Regular               | 466  | 509  | 492  | 519  | 442  | 486  | 598  | 593  |
| Student               | 99   | 132  | 206  | 216  | 222  | 219  | 308  | 276  |
| Total Member Count    | 565  | 641  | 698  | 735  | 664  | 705  | 906  | 869  |
| Institutional         | 11   | 18   | 16   | 21   | 15   | 20   | 18   | 18   |
| <b>Annual Meeting</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Registrants (#)       | 496  | 508  | 623  | 729  | 510  | 575  | 783  | 730  |

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# SREE/AERA Lawsuit Against Dept of Education Update

- Filed April 14, 2025; preliminary injunction filed April 30 by Democracy Forward
- Hearing held May 21
- The preliminary injunction was denied, allowing IES to continue with cancellations and RIFs while the case continues
- Discovery occurred in the fall of 2025, both sides had the opportunity to submit additional information after that.
- Currently waiting for summary judgement.

# Looking forward—SREE 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!

- Support SREE Members
- Continue to advocate for the generation and use of effectiveness research to solve pressing challenges in education.
- Explore avenues to engage more in education and advocacy
  
- How can we mark 20 years in a meaningful way that provides value to the SREE community?

# Question and Ideas? We want to hear them!

What would you like to see from SREE in the coming year? Email [eweiss@sree.org](mailto:eweiss@sree.org) with your ideas!

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