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SREE Announces JREE 2021 Paper of the Year: Impact of Providing Teachers and Principals with Performance Feedback on Their Practice and Student Achievement: Evidence from a Large-Scale Randomized Experiment

The Society for Research on Educational Effectiveness is pleased to announce the recipient of the 2021 *Journal of Research on Educational Effectiveness* best article award to "<u>Impact of Providing Teachers and Principals with Performance Feedback on Their Practice and Student Achievement: Evidence from a Large-Scale Randomized Experiment</u>," by Mengli Song, Andrew Wayne, Michael Garet, Seth Brown and Jordan Rickles, all from the American Institutes of Research.

This study tackles a topic of national importance - there are federal policies designed to encourage school systems to change how they collect and use information about the performance of teachers and principals. The study is also very rigorous. The researchers conducted a school-level cluster randomized controlled trial including 127 elementary and middle schools and nearly 30,000 students. To fully understand program implementation, the service contrast, and effects, the measurement in this study was extensive - including measures of teachers' classroom practice, principal leadership, and student achievement.

In recognition of their accomplishments, the authors were honored during the SREE 2022 Conference on September 23 at the Renaissance Arlington Capitol View Hotel in Arlington, Virginia.

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