

# Ten Honored as Women To Watch in Emerging Aviation Technologies

*Awards ceremony held during day two of CES 2023 in Las Vegas*

CHICAGO, IL, USA, January 9, 2023 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Ten women who've made significant contributions to the future of aviation have been honored during the Women in Emerging Aviation Technologies Awards. Their names were announced during a live ceremony that took place Friday evening January 6th as part of the Consumer Electronics Show. The individual awards are designed to acknowledge and inspire women who are driving change and leading the industry closer to gender parity. Their contributions include inspiring innovations and solutions, leading people and leading companies, positively shaping the public perceptions of drones, empowering more women to enter the industry as well as advocating for more inclusive practices in STEM and aviation. Congratulations to the following [Women to Watch in Emerging Aviation Technologies](#) honorees:



Women in Emerging Aviation Technologies Awards Honorees including Ten Women to Watch

Niharika Kolte Alekar of India  
Founder - Volar Alta - Drone Tech Solutions  
Entrepreneurship Category, Sponsored by Spright

Diana Cooper of the United States  
Global Head of Policy & Regulations at Supernal  
Leadership Category, Sponsored by Sabrewing Aircraft Company

Miriam Foxx of the United States  
Captain, Investigations Division at Chula Vista Police Department

Public Safety Category, Sponsored by Fox Flight Team

Baisali Ghosh of India  
Marcom Manager at FlytBase Inc.  
AI/Autonomy Category

Ryan Grieves of the United States  
FPV Drone Pilot  
Drone Sports Category

Lexie Janson of Poland  
Personal Aerial Vehicle Test Pilot for Airspeeder  
Trailblazer Category

Joan Li of Australia  
Earth Observation Data Scientist  
Geographic Information System (GIS) Category

Wendy Ljungren of the United States  
Founder of Anzen Unmanned  
Engineering Category, Sponsored by Metis

Ndapile Mkuwu of Malawi  
Certified Drone Pilot, GIS Analyst, Geologist  
Education Category

Joanna Steidle of the United States  
Drone Pilot - Artist & FPV / Owner-Hamptons Drone Images  
Visual Arts Category, Sponsored by On The Go Video

The honorees were chosen by a distinguished panel of judges from numerous nominations received by [Women and Drones](#). More information about each honoree can be found by visiting Women in Emerging Aviation Technologies Awards.

#### About the Women in Emerging Aviation Technologies Awards

Since 2017 Women and Drones has recognized the trailblazers, innovators, mentors, and business leaders who are making significant contributions to the UAS/AAM industry. Each year the company runs a global search for the women and organizations who are inspiring innovations and solutions, positively shaping the public perceptions of UAS/AAM technology, empowering more women to enter the industry as well as advocating for more inclusive practices in STEM and aviation. The individual awards are designed to acknowledge and inspire women who are driving change and leading the drone industry closer to gender parity. The company awards acknowledge organizations that in their pursuit of excellence, embrace

diversity and have a culture of inclusiveness.

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