IAOTP selected Jeremy Utt as Top Educator of the Year

The International Association of Top Professionals (IAOTP) will honor Jeremy Utt at their annual awards gala at the Plaza Hotel this December



NEW YORK, NY, UNITED STATES, September 7, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- The International Association of Top Professionals (IAOTP), a leading global professional organization known for its prestigious annual awards gala and exclusive vetting process, just recently selected Jeremy Utt, Ed.S., National Board Certified Teacher and mathematics educator at T. Benton Gayle Middle School in Stafford County, Virginia, as Top Educator of the Year for 2026.

Inclusion with the International Association of Top Professionals is an honor in itself; only a select few members in each discipline are chosen for this distinction. These special honorees are recognized for their professional accomplishments, academic achievements, leadership abilities, longevity in their fields, and contributions to their communities. Mr. Utt will be honored for this distinction at IAOTP's annual awards gala at the iconic Plaza Hotel in New York City.
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With over twenty years of experience in education, Mr. Utt has established himself as a dedicated mathematics educator and mentor. He currently serves as a middle school mathematics teacher and club advisor at T. Benton Gayle Middle School, where he is committed to helping students strengthen their mathematical skills, build confidence, and achieve their academic potential. Throughout his career, he has served as a middle and high school teacher and mathematics specialist in Virginia public schools.

Mr. Utt's academic background reflects his commitment to continued professional growth. He earned a Bachelor of Arts in Government and Public Policy and a Master of Arts in Education in Curriculum and Instruction from the College of William & Mary. He later completed additional

graduate studies in gifted education and mathematics education before earning an Education Specialist degree in Educational Leadership with Licensure from Old Dominion University. In 2024 he completed a Graduate Certificate in Mathematics from Radford University.

Mr. Utt has also distinguished himself through his commitment to student leadership and enrichment. He is particularly proud of founding Junior Beta clubs at two schools where he served, creating additional opportunities for students to develop leadership skills, pursue academic excellence, and become active members of their school communities.

Throughout his accomplished career, Jeremy Utt has received many awards and accolades and has been recognized for his accomplishments. His dedication to professional excellence, lifelong learning, and student achievement has earned him recognition among his peers and within the educational community. He will receive recognition as Top Educator of the Year for 2026 at IAOTP's annual awards gala at the iconic Plaza Hotel in NYC in December.

A National Board Certified Teacher, Mr. Utt has earned numerous professional distinctions throughout his career. He was designated a Phi Delta Kappa Distinguished Educator in 2019. Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education recognized him with the Teacher of Honor Award in 2010 and the Master Teacher of Honor Award in 2021. He also received the Meritorious New Teacher Designation early in his career, further demonstrating his longstanding commitment to excellence in teaching.

Stephanie Cirami, President of IAOTP, stated, "Selecting Jeremy Utt as Top Educator of the Year was an easy decision for our panel. His dedication to mathematics education, commitment to his students, and continued pursuit of professional excellence exemplify the qualities we look for in an IAOTP honoree. We are proud to recognize his achievements and look forward to celebrating him at this year's gala."

Looking back on his career, Mr. Utt attributes his success to persistence, determination, the support of family and friends, and the educators and mentors who influenced his life. As he looks toward the future, he remains committed to continued growth as an educator and to making a positive and lasting impact on the students and school communities he serves.

About IAOTP

The International Association of Top Professionals (IAOTP) is an international boutique networking organization that selects the world's most distinguished and accomplished professionals across a wide range of industries. These elite professionals are provided opportunities to collaborate, share insights, serve as keynote speakers, and inspire others within their fields. Membership is not open to the general public. Candidates must be personally invited by the President or nominated by an esteemed honorary member following a brief interview.

IAOTP's experts have provided thousands of top-tier professionals worldwide with the recognition and credibility they deserve, helping them strengthen their personal brands and expand their influence. The organization prides itself on being a one-of-a-kind boutique network that handpicks only the most exceptional individuals and brings them together on a premier platform designed to foster meaningful connections and professional growth. IAOTP remains one of the most elite and highly respected professional recognition organizations in the world.

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