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USDLA Recognizes Western Governors University President Robert Mendenhall for Outstanding Leadership in Distance Learning

WGU President Honored with Prestigious Distance Learning Award at National Conference

Salt Lake City — Western Governors University, www.wgu.edu, President Dr. Robert W. Mendenhall has received the U.S. Distance Learning Association (USDLA) Award for Outstanding Leadership by an Individual in the Field of Distance Learning.

A leader and innovator in higher education, Dr. Mendenhall has served as President of Western Governors University, the nation's only competency-based online university, since 1999, the year that WGU accepted its first student.

"As a premier organization for the entire distance learning profession, we are honoring Dr. Mendenhall and Western Governors University for leadership in the industry," said Dr. John G. Flores, CEO of USDLA.

The USDLA Awards were created to acknowledge major accomplishments in distance learning and to highlight those distance learning instructors, programs, and professionals who have achieved and demonstrated extraordinary results through the use of online, videoconferencing, satellite and blended learning delivery technologies.

