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SEARCH INSTITUTE RECEIVED THE 2018 SOCIETY FOR RESEARCH ON ADOLESCENCE AWARD FOR ORGANIZATIONAL EXCELLENCE in Research and Programming for Youth

[MINNEAPOLIS, MN] — [April 13, 2018] – The Society for Research on Adolescence has named Search Institute to receive its Annual Award for Organizational Excellence.

This award was initiated in 2016 to recognize organizations that have made a major contribution to the field of adolescent research. The award was given at their biennial conference in Minneapolis, MN on April 13.

It was said “Search Institute has shown exemplary leadership in its research-to-practice and translational work, which has positively influenced both research on adolescence and the lives of youth from diverse backgrounds, communities, and countries.”

“Moreover, the Developmental Assets Framework has contributed to theory and research as evidenced by its prominence in the scholarly literature. As our field attempts to make more of a difference in the lives of young people and their families and communities, we know that your efforts to stimulate relevant research and practice are paving the way.”
About the Society for Research on Adolescence

The Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA) is a rapidly growing, dynamic society focused on the theoretical, empirical, and policy research issues of adolescence. Established in 1984, SRA promotes the dissemination of research on adolescents and serves as a network and forum for its members.

They publish the *Journal of Research on Adolescence* and promote high-quality research that considers the biological, psychological, and sociocultural aspects of development in context. The SRA aims to lead and shape scientific and public discourse on youth and adolescence, and to guide parenting, schooling, programs, and policies.

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