

## 2020-21 COTE Awards (4/22/2021)

On 22 April 2021, COTE announced its 2020-2021 COTE award recipients.

The awards fall into three main categories:

**COTE Exemplar Awards** recognize individuals or groups with significant accomplishments promoting the sustainable use of natural resources or the protection of ecological systems.

Individuals who have a record of continual significant achievements are further recognized by the awarding of a "**COTE Exemplar Lifetime Achievement Award**".

**COTE Green Initiative Awards** recognize everyday activities, decisions or contributions that help to move Ball State University (and its near-surround community) toward sustainability. Their purpose is to reward discrete contributions rather than a history of multiple accomplishments.

**COTE Service Awards** recognize past individual service on or to the BSU Council on the Environment.

# COTE Award Recipients 2021

## **COTE Exemplar Award**

**COPE ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER**

**RICHMOND, INDIANA**

In recognition of its commitment to the stewardship of our natural resources and protection of ecological systems as demonstrated by ongoing education and demonstration programs dating from 1992 and by constructing a recently completed, and now occupied, educational facility as the first building in the state

of Indiana to pursue Living Building Status under the tenets of the International Living Future Institute.

## **COTE Service Awards**

**Charles Allen**

**Mariah Bowman**

**Josh March**

**Mike Mayfield**