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For Your Information – October 23, 2107



**San Atcherson to be honored** – Congratulations to **Sam Atcherson**, who has been selected for the 5<sup>th</sup> annual Nan Ellen East Spirit of Advocacy Award by Arkansas Hands and Voices. Sam is professor in the Department of Audiology and Speech Pathology and director of the UAMS/UA-Little Rock Doctor of Audiology program.

Arkansas Hands and Voices is an organization of families of children with “*all types of hearing loss*,” adults who are deaf and hard-of-hearing, and professionals who provide “*families the necessary resources, networking, and information in order to improve communication access and educational outcomes for their children.*” For more information about Hands and Voices, [click here](#).

Sam says that his speech will “*focus on intervention, communication access for all modalities, and successful transition through school and vocation. . .*”*I want everyone with and without hearing loss to understand what communication barriers feel and look like.*” The Nan Ellen East Spirit of Advocacy Award will be given at the Arkansas Hands and Voices’ 10<sup>th</sup> annual fundraising event “Tasting at Twilight” this Thursday, October 26.



## Timely Matters

For College of Health Professions **Dates to Remember**, bookmark

<http://healthprofessions.uams.edu/faculty-and-staff/dates-to-remember/>

**October 23 – Educators Academy Teaching Workshop “Introduction to Teaching with Technology,”** 4:30-6:00, Shorey Building, Room 8/16

**October 24 – eLearning Brownbag “Groups and Smartviews in Blackboard,”** 12:00-1:00, Shorey Building, Room 8/16

**October 25 – College of Health Professions Faculty Fellowship Halloween Lunch,** 11:30-1:00, Administration West Building Lobby

**October 26 – eLearning Brownbag “Communication Tools in Blackboard,”** 12:00-1:00, Shorey Building Room 8/16

**October 30 – Educators Academy Teaching Workshop “Intermediate PowerPoint Skills and Tips,”** 4:30-6:00, Shorey Building Room 8/16



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