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## **Capitol Hill Management Services Client Leader Honored by the Empire State Society of Association Executives**

Capitol Hill Management Services is pleased to announce that one of its client leaders was recently honored by the Empire State Society of Association Executives (ESSAE). Mark Nelson, Ph.D., MBA, CAE, Executive Director of the Computer Science Teachers Association (CSTA), was chosen as ESSAE's Distinguished Member for his many years of service and assistance to ESSAE, the association management profession, and colleagues across New York State and the nation.



CSTA, a full-service association management client of CHMS, is a membership organization that supports and promotes the teaching of computer science. CSTA provides opportunities for K-12 teachers and their students to better understand computer science and to more successfully prepare themselves to teach and learn. CSTA was founded by the Association for Computing Machinery in 2004, as part of its commitment to K-12 computer science education. Since then, CSTA has grown into a dynamic and vibrant organization of more than 26,000 members from more than 130 countries. These members include elementary, middle, and high school teachers; college and university faculty; supportive members of industry and government, school administrators, other non-profits, and parents.

"CHMS congratulates Mark on his selection as ESSAE's Distinguished Member," said John A. Graziano, Jr., CHMS President. "He is a great example of a consummate professional and dedicated association executive. It is an honor to work with him in advancing CSTA's mission."

### **About CHMS**

CHMS is a consulting firm specializing in association management, non-profit development, government relations, and public policy research.

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