



## **Waggle Wins SIIA Education Technology CODiE Award for Best Learning Capacity-Building Solution**

*Smart Practice Platform Earns Prestigious Industry Recognition*

**WASHINGTON** (May 18, 2016) – Today Waggle was named the Best Learning Capacity-Building Solution of 2016 as part of the 2016 SIIA CODiE Awards.

The winner announcement was made by the Software & Information Industry Association (SIIA), the principal trade association for the software and digital content industries, to an audience of over 300 education, software, information and business technology leaders. 29 awards were given for products and services deployed specifically for education and learning professionals.

An SIIA CODiE Award win is a prestigious honor as each award winner was reviewed by a field of industry experts, whose evaluations determined the finalists. SIIA members then reviewed the finalists and their votes were combined with the scores from the industry experts' to select this year's CODiE Awards winners.

### **About our Award Winning Product**

[Waggle](#)'s smart practice, web-based platform helps students in grades 2-8 thrive. By analyzing each student's unique decisions and progress while completing ELA and math problems, Waggle is able to provide the right challenge at the right time. Students remain motivated through productive struggle, and real-time insights help teachers see exactly how each student struggles or excels. As students and teachers collaborate in this digital workspace, instructional conversations and student proficiency improve.

"We are thrilled to have been recognized in the learning capacity-building category, which acknowledges Waggle as the leading research-backed digital tool that can be used to increase attention, responsibility, independence and engagement in student learning tasks," said Aoife Dempsey, general manager.

"SIIA's 2016 Education Technology CODiE Award winners were phenomenal this year, and showed how supportive and impactful these technologies are for students, faculty and administration," said Karen Billings, vice president and managing director of the Education Technology Industry Network (ETIN) of SIIA. "Each honoree deserves accolades and we are pleased to add our congratulations to all of this year's CODiE Award winners."

Details about the winning products can be found at <http://www.sii.net/codie/2016-Winners>.

### **About the SIIA CODiE™ Awards**

The **SIIA CODiE Awards** is the only peer-reviewed program to showcase business and education technology's finest products and services. Since 1986, thousands of products, services and solutions have been recognized for achieving excellence. For more information, visit [sii.net/CODiE](http://sii.net/CODiE).

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## **2016 SIIA CODiE WINNER**

### **About ETIN**

**ETIN** (the Education Technology Industry Network of SIIA) is the leading voice for 200+ companies that provide software applications, digital content, online learning services and related technologies across the PK-20 sector. ETIN drives growth and innovation within the industry by providing leadership, advocacy, business development opportunities, government relations and critical ed tech market information. For more information, visit [sii.net/etin](http://sii.net/etin).

### **About Waggle**

Waggle is smart, responsive practice that helps students in grades 2-8 thrive. Analyzing each student's unique decisions and progress as they complete ELA and math problems, Waggle looks for more than correct answers and provides the right challenge, at just the right moment. Productive struggle motivates students through helpful hints, supportive feedback, and achievement badges that build grit and confidence. Through real-time practical insights, teachers discover exactly how each student struggles or excels. As learning becomes more personalized, instructional conversations improve. Waggle launched in 2014 and has garnered numerous accolades, including *Tech & Learning's* ISTE 2015 Best of Show, *Learning Magazine's* 2016 Teachers' Choice Award, and *District Administration's* 2015 Readers' Choice Top Products. For more information, visit [www.WagglePractice.com](http://www.WagglePractice.com).

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