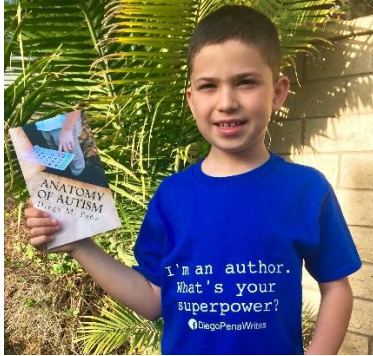


**2017 Awesome in Autism Awardees**

We congratulate all our awardees, and thank them for the difference they are making in our community!

**DIEGO PEÑA, Author**  
 Individual of the Year



**MARGIE SMILANICK**  
 Parent of the Year



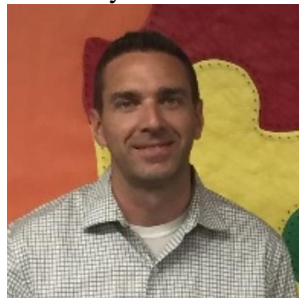
**DR. GARRETT TOY, D.D.S.**  
 Service Provider of the Year  
 (Adult Services)



**TANYA WRIGHT**  
 Carl Dwire School  
 Educator of the Year (Pre-K - 8)



**RODNEY ROUNKE**  
 Royal High School  
 Educator of the Year  
 (Secondary/Post-Secondary)



**TRAYCIE KEPHART**  
 Moorpark College - Educator of the Year  
 (Integrated Setting)



**LESLIE BURTON**  
 TCRC Fiscal Manager  
 Funding Partner of the Year



**AMIGO BABY**  
 Service Provider of the Year  
 (Children's Services)



**VALERI CIRINO-PAEZ**  
 CSU Channel Islands  
 Community Member of the Year



**BANK OF AMERICA**  
 Employer of the Year

