NEIL REID

Dr. Neil Reid is the 2016 recipient of the David Boyce Award for distinguished service to regional science.

Neil Reid is Professor of Geography in the Department of Geography and Planning and Director of the Urban Affairs Center at the University of Toledo. He also has held an appointment as Visiting Professor in the European Faculty of Engineering at Czestochowa University of Technology in Poland. Prof. Reid received his PhD in Geography from Arizona State University in 1991.

Neil has published extensively in geography and regional science journals, including Annals of the Association of American Geographers, The Professional Geographer, Annals of Regional Science, Papers in Regional Science, and Economic Development Quarterly. Most of his academic research in some way relates to local economic development and he has been very active in local economic development efforts in Ohio.

Neil serves as Chair of the International Geographical Union’s Commission on the Dynamics of Economic Spaces. He represents the Regional Science Association of the Americas on the Regional Science Association International Council, serves as Editor for the Americas for Regional Science Policy and Practice, and serves on the Editorial Board of Applied Geography. As most of you know, Neil also has been the Executive Director of the North American Regional Science Council since January 2013.

The North American Regional Science Council is therefore pleased to present the 2016 David Boyce Award for distinguished service to regional science to Neil Reid.