

1996 ITAA Fellow – Sharron Lennon



Sharron Lennon, The Ohio State University, is respected by ITAA members, and her colleagues elevate Sharron to special status. She is accessible and unselfish as a researcher, educator, mentor, and colleague. The range, depth and quantity of her scholarship is unquestionable. Her research and teaching have been ground breaking methodologically and theoretically. She has addressed problematic research issues in the social psychology of dress through her methodological work. She is instrumental in linking popular media with clothing research and addressing a series of women's issues. Finally, Sharron uses her research findings to enhance her teaching and is deeply involved in developing young scholars and colleagues. Sharron's most valuable contribution to ITAA may be the legacy of young scholars she has trained as future researchers. One of her colleagues states, "Sharron Lennon epitomizes an ITAA Fellow because of her contributions through scholarship, and the long term impact her work will have on the field of textiles and clothing".