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**Carnegie Learning's Dr. April Murphy 1 of only 3 in the nation for Women in IT Award
Top Finalist for 2023 Social Impact Project of the Year**

Pittsburgh, PA [September 1, 2023] – Carnegie Learning, a pioneer in AI-driven education technology, curriculum, and professional learning solutions for K-12, today announced that Dr. April Murphy is a finalist for the 2023 Women in IT Summit – USA Edition Social Impact Project of the Year. **One of only three** in the nation on the shortlist https://diversityq.com/women-in-it-awards-usa-2023-shortlist-revealed/.

The awards **recognize and celebrate women, allies, and organizations across the United States for their outstanding contribution to the technology industry** and shine a light on the impact of all the transformations, innovations, and impactful growth achieved in the past two years.

Nominated by Carnegie Learning founder and Chief Data Scientist Dr. Steve Ritter, Dr. Murphy is a preeminent expert in learning engineering, which is an emerging field focused on validating educational materials and practices based on learning science. As part of this work, Dr. Murphy leads the development of UpGrade, a free and open-source platform design to conduct rigorous field tests within educational software.

She leads multi-million-dollar grant research projects on ground-breaking research to improve learning outcomes for students using cognitive science. Her mission is to drive positive change in the tech industry, and to inspire more women to join the industry. She received her undergraduate degree from the University of Pittsburgh and her graduate degree is from the University of Wisconsin-Madison

The winners are announced on September 14 in New York City.

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