## Summa Comp Laude Award Alex Swedlow

President of the California Workers' Compensation Institute and 2015 Summa Comp Laude Award Winner Alex Swedlow "exemplifies passion for workers' compensation, the people it helps and the importance of work comp to the economy," says a nominator. With more than 25 years of experience specializing in health services research and data analysis in workers' compensation, Swedlow's significant contributions to the field of workers' compensation have shed light on wide-ranging, often-complicated issues in the industry.

As CEO of the nonprofit CWCI since 2014, Swedlow shares the organization's mission of improving the operation of the California workers' compensation system through research and education. A member of the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee, Swedlow leads public policy research on workers' compensation and related issues. His extensive research has been published in the areas of evidence-based medicine, managed medical and disability systems, access to care, return-to-work and performance indicators in California's workers' compensation reform.

He earned his Master's degree in Strategic Planning and Health Services Research from George Washington University, where he was awarded the International Research Fellowship Award.

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