



Gamma Sigma Delta
THE HONOR SOCIETY OF AGRICULTURE
NEBRASKA CHAPTER

Extension Award Nomination

TO: IANR Administrators and Gamma Sigma Delta Members

FROM: Extension Award Committee
Shripat Kamble, Chair
Gary Zoubek
Cheryl-Burkhart Kriesel

RE: Nominations for Gamma Sigma Delta Extension Award

Gamma Sigma Delta invites you to submit nominations for the 2016 Nebraska Chapter's Extension Award. This is an excellent means of recognizing significant extension activity.

The selection criteria and nomination format are described on the following page. Please follow the format closely. Careful preparation of the nomination is important and aids the selection committee. An award application remains active for three years unless the individual submitting the application asks that it be withdrawn. Nominations should be submitted electronically by **November 21, 2016** to:

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PAST AWARD RECIPIENTS

1981	Alexander R. Martin	1998	David L. Keith
1982	Charles L. Fenster	1999	Dale Grotelueschen
1983	Donald C. Spitze	2000	Jeffrey F. Keown
1984	Earl W. Gleaves	2001	Michael Brumm
1985	J.C. Cranfill	2002	Shirley Niemeyer
1986	Gail A. Wicks	2003	Dennis Burson
1987	Douglas D. Duey	2004	Linda Boeckner
1988	Elbert C. Dickey	2005	Ivan Rush
1989	Don Sander	2006	Sharon Skipton
1990	Dean H. Eisenhauer	2007	James W. Goeke
1991	Lloyd L. Young	2008	Rick Rasby
1992	James E. Novotny	2009	Dennis Bauer
1993	Carol Thayer	2010	Harshavardhan Thippareddi
1994	Robert D. Grisso	2011	David Varner
1995	Frederick P. Baxendale	2012	Jennifer Rees
1996	Doyle R. Wolverton	2013	Shripat Kamble
1997	Donald Steinegger	2014	Gary Zoubek
		2015	Cheryl-Burkhart Kriesel

Gamma Sigma Delta Extension Award

SELECTION CRITERIA

1. Demonstrated leadership in development and implementation of effective extension programs as an individual, team member, or coordinator.
2. Evidence of productivity and visibility of extension programs.
3. Evidence of impact of extension activity.
4. Evidence of clientele and peer recognition of excellence of extension programs.
5. Membership in Gamma Sigma Delta is required; membership in the Nebraska Chapter is desirable but not mandatory.
6. Emphasis may be placed on one thrust or program area as well as the overall program.
7. Persons who have previously received national or international Gamma Sigma Delta extension awards are not eligible.
8. An award application remains active for three years unless the individual submitting the application asks that it be withdrawn.

FORMAT FOR NOMINATION

1. Name of nominee (including an email address)
2. Educational background
3. Current position
4. Major extension thrusts, program accomplishments or impact including programs planned and conducted extension publications, audiovisual productions and other materials developed for extension program.
5. Three letters of recommendation from persons in a position to evaluate the nominee's extension accomplishments including at least one from the nominee's clientele.