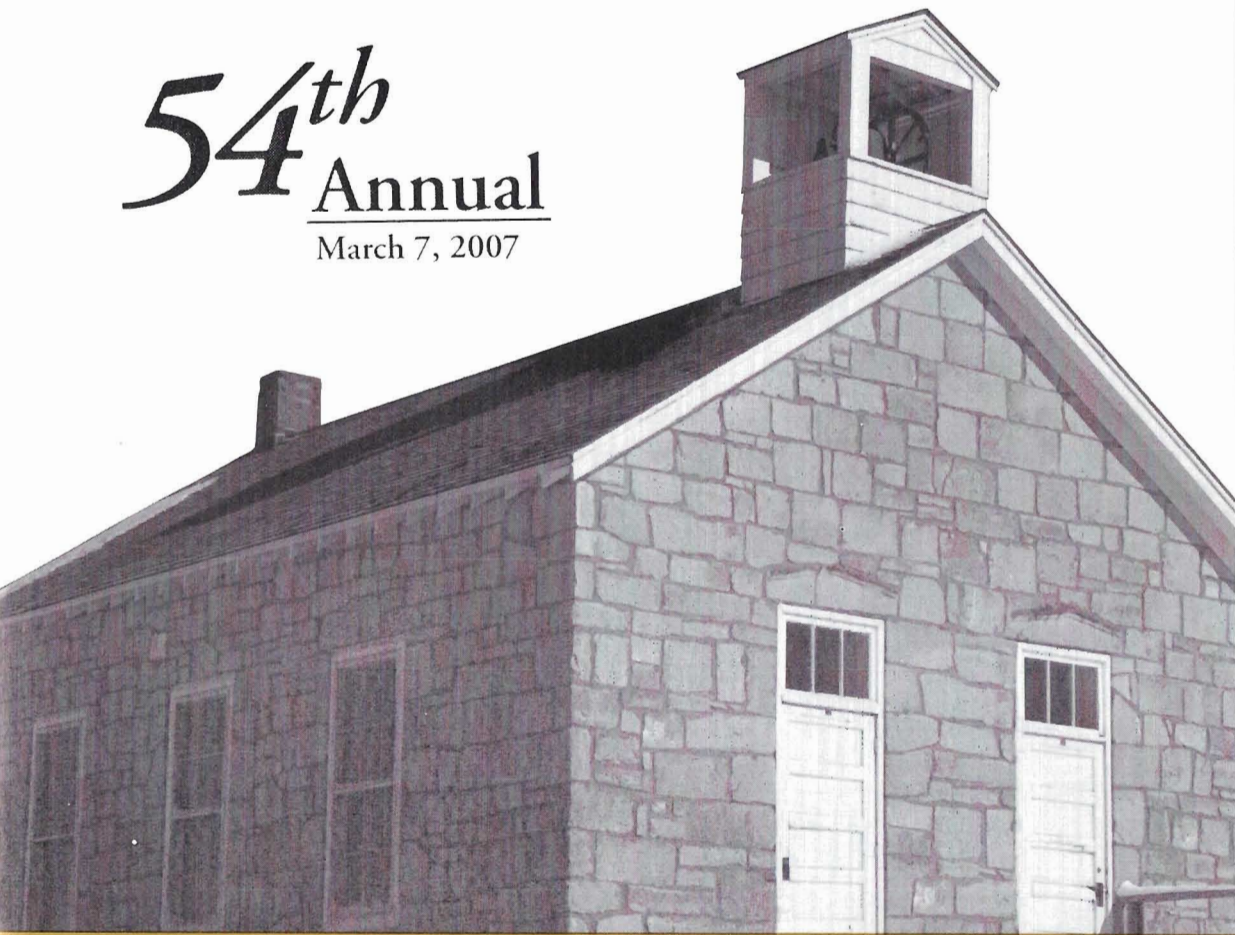


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Kansas Master Teacher Award

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# 2007 Master Teacher Schedule

## March 7, 2007

- 10:00 a.m.                    Tour of the National Teachers Hall of Fame  
Meet in Visser Hall, Room 212, Emporia State University
- 11:00 a.m.                    “Memories of Yesteryear” – One Room Schoolhouse
- 12:00 noon                    President’s Luncheon – President’s Home, 1522 Highland  
Hosts: President Michael and Dr. Peggy Lane
- 2:30-3:45 p.m.                Seminar – *Education: The Open Door*  
Jones Conference Center, Room 330, Visser Hall  
ESU Coordinators: Dr. Sue Peterson, Education  
Dr. Darla Mallein, Social Sciences
- 5:15-6:00 p.m.                Social – Kanza Room, Memorial Union  
Opportunity to meet the Master Teachers and view the portfolios
- 6:30 p.m.                      Master Teacher Award Dinner – Webb Lecture Hall, Memorial Union  
Toastmaster: Dr. Paul McKnab  
Special Music: Nancy Rice, music student,  
Emporia State University

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## Bank of America Master Teacher Award

Emporia State University established the Kansas Master Teacher awards in 1954. The awards are presented annually to teachers who have served the profession long and well and who also typify the outstanding qualities of earnest and conscientious teachers.

The university's Administrative Council originally developed the Kansas Master Teacher Award program in the early 1950s. Dr. Everett Rich, former chair of the English department, was the driving force behind the program.

The program was first discussed in 1952. Because of the illness and subsequent death of President David L. MacFarlane in 1953, nothing was done to establish the program until the following year. In 1954, with the support of Dr. Don Davis, the chair of the division of education, and the approval of the new president, John E. King, the first awards were made.

In the early days of the program, numerous faculty members and others connected with the college were involved in establishing policies and procedures. Dr. Davis added "Kansas" to the name. Rich suggested "distinguished," but that word was changed to "master." Ray Cremer, business manager, promoted a monetary award for the recipients, but Dr. King believed that watches were more appropriate, so watches were awarded. C.O. Wright, executive secretary of the Kansas State Teachers Association, suggested that local teacher associations or similar educational groups make the nominations. Dr. Rich coordinated publicity for the awards across the state.

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The Kansas Master Teacher Award program expresses appreciation for the generosity of Bank of America. Since 1980, this Emporia bank has pledged over \$100,000 to permanently endow the Kansas Master Teacher Awards. Bank of America and its senior officer, Carol Patterson, are committed to assisting Emporia State University in its efforts to excel.

Each year, local teacher associations and school faculties nominate candidates for the awards. In February, a committee representing educational organizations from across Kansas selects the winners.

The 2007 selection committee included Matt Garber, United School Administrators; Sheryl Mathis, Kansas-NEA; Laura Kaiser, Kansas Congress of Parents; Jerry Hamm, Kansas Association of School Boards; Annette Van Blaricum, Kansas-American Association of University Women; Jana Shaver, Kansas State Board of Education; Beth Walizer, Kansas Association for Colleges of Teacher Education; Gena Langley, Kappa Delta Pi (student representative); Bob Peterson, El Dorado, and Marilyn Vaughn, Leawood, recipients of the 2006 Master Teacher Endowed Chair.

A committee of Emporia State University faculty and administrators coordinates local arrangements. The committee includes: Roy Mann, Phil Bennett, Sarah Stump, Sue Peterson, Lucie Eusey, Scott Waters, Carol Patterson (Bank of America representative), Sandy Kramer and Lori Mann, chairperson.

Information concerning the Kansas Master Teacher Award program is available on The Teachers College web site. Go to [www.emporia.edu/teach/](http://www.emporia.edu/teach/) and click on Kansas Master Teacher.

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# The William A. Black Kansas Master Teacher Endowed Chair



In 1984, the Black family of Broken Bow, Oklahoma, established an endowed chair for Kansas Master Teachers. Each year, this permanently endowed fund provides a stipend for two Kansas Master Teachers to spend part of a semester at Emporia State University.

The master teachers selected teach classes and work with students who plan careers in education. The endowed chair provides a valuable experience for Emporia State students and a meaningful opportunity for the master teachers.

The William A. Black Kansas Master Teacher Endowed Chair was established by Marea Belfield Black to honor the Black family's lifelong dedication to public education. The endowed chair is named for her husband, Dr. William Albert Black.

The late Dr. Black (pictured above) was born November 25, 1897, in Green County, Missouri. He received his bachelor's degree in 1926 and his master's degree in 1934 from Emporia State University. He received his PhD in philosophy, education, and psychology from the University of Colorado. Black was nationally known for establishing junior colleges and for his work in school finance and curricula.

During his career, he served as president of the Pueblo (CO) Junior College, director of junior colleges and curriculum for the state of Washington, and as the head of the department of education and philosophy at Pittsburg State University. In 1962, while at Pittsburg State, he received the Kansas Master Teacher Award.

Black married Marea Belfield on November 7, 1920. The Black's son, William Vincent Black, was born March 31, 1922, and the family moved to Broken Bow, Oklahoma on March 1, 1973. Dr. Black died on October 12, 1983. Emporia State University is deeply grateful to the Black family for this generous contribution.



**Rob Davis**  
**Liberty View Elementary School**  
**Blue Valley**

When Rob Davis stepped into a Parsons, Kansas second grade classroom over 30 years ago, he knew he had chosen the right profession.

Mr. Davis's education career has been as diverse as his teaching techniques—from teaching in primary classrooms, to coaching middle school speech and drama students, and even serving as a tutor for child actors on two TV series in the early 1980's. As a student said, "Average teachers may only be with you for one year, but great teachers, like Mr. Davis will be with you for the rest of your life."

Outside of the classroom, Mr. Davis has "freely given of his talent and creativity for the betterment of our community," including lending his singing abilities at venues ranging from dramatic productions to sports events. He also is actively involved with the National Wildlife Federation and other environmental organizations.

For the last six years, Mr. Davis has been a gifted education teacher at Liberty View Elementary in Olathe. He received his bachelor's degree from the University of Kansas, his master's degree from Webster University (St. Louis, MO), and his gifted education certification from Emporia State University.



**Robin Dixon**  
**Jay Shideler Elementary School**  
**Auburn Washburn**

The concept that all children can learn might be cliché, but Mrs. Robin Dixon knows it is true as she witnessed firsthand her twin brother, born with Down's syndrome, struggling through his education. "My parents modeled for my brother and me that we were both capable of learning. This belief follows me everyday to my classroom and drives me to see that all my students can learn."

Mrs. Dixon has 15 years teaching experience and has received multiple teaching awards. In 2006 she successfully completed the difficult work to become a National Board Certified Teacher. She has a passion for helping others—from mission trips through her church, to mentoring new teachers, to leading and working in committees at school and in her community. A colleague writes, "Her dedication and work ethic, as well as very strong organization skills make her an accomplished teacher and incredibly effective team member."

For the past five years Mrs. Dixon has been a sixth grade teacher. She received her bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Kansas, and a second master's degree from Washburn University.





**Shelley R. Faerber**  
**Susan B. Anthony Middle School**  
**Manhattan/Ogden**

“As a teacher, I function with the flexibility to see my best plans change in the face of unexpected needs and realities. I teach my students that we control the confidence and creativity we bring to each new mystery and experience,” said Ms. Shelley Faerber.

In her 15 years of teaching, Ms. Faerber has used her philosophy and skills to teach middle school students the values of curiosity, decision-making, and enjoying the journey of their lives. In preparing students for the world waiting for them outside of school, Ms. Faerber brings her experiences to the classroom. She has tutored students in China, helped build houses locally, done tsunami relief work in the hardest hit location of Indonesia, and been a foster mother.

As a former student of hers said, “She has not only dedicated her life to teaching, but to the hearts of the kids that are around her.”

Ms. Faerber has served as a seventh grade language arts teacher for the past 10 years. She received her bachelor’s and master’s degrees from Kansas State University and is certified in cross-cultural studies and ESL. She is currently working on her master’s of divinity.



**Diane Ladenburger**  
**Mattie O. Haskins Elementary School**  
**Pratt**

**F**ocus, dedication, and commitment—these traits are continually used by students, colleagues, and parents to describe Mrs. Diane Ladenburger. As the overseer of a “garden of children”—the definition of the German word kindergarten—Mrs. Ladenburger’s in charge of caring, nourishing, and guiding each child’s growth.

One child in particular remembers Mrs. Ladenburger’s affect on her life. “I have been hearing-impaired since I was 18 months old,” said the student. “When I started kindergarten, Mrs. Ladenburger made me feel accepted and included me in class. She took a sign language class then taught the whole class sign language...Because of Mrs. Ladenburger, I did not know I was hearing-impaired or felt like I was different from other kids.”

As an award-winning teacher with 25 years of experience and active member of her community, Mrs. Ladenburger hopes she is a role model for students. “I try to plant the seeds of compassion...(I hope students) will bloom into adults willing to give their time and talents to philanthropic needs.”

Mrs. Ladenburger has taught kindergarten at Haskins Elementary for the last 12 years. She received her bachelor’s degree from Fort Hays State University and her master’s degree from Friends University.



**Marilyn McComber**  
**Emporia High School**  
**Emporia**

**H**aving the ability to transform “a class of wandering focus and sophomoric behaviors, to a team of young scientists with an impressive level of interest and engagement” is one of Mrs. Marilyn McComber’s skills, according to a colleague. With over 30 years of teaching, Mrs. McComber said that “some 5,268 students later—give or take a few—there is still joy in teaching.”

But it is not just her joy and continuation of learning that keeps her going. As one colleague writes, “It’s one thing to develop into a teacher of impressive skills, knowledge and abilities. It’s quite another to give of oneself and time to assure that others can also have extraordinary opportunities to grow in that direction.”

Mrs. McComber was named the 2007 Emporia NEA Master Teacher in December 2006. Along with other teaching awards, in 2005 she successfully completed the difficult work to become a National Board Certified Teacher.

Mrs. McComber has taught science at Emporia High School for the last 14 years. She received her bachelor’s degree from Emporia State University and her master’s degree from the University of Houston.



**Angela K. Miller**  
**Junction City Middle School**  
**Junction City**

“Throughout my career, very few things have been more satisfying than witnessing the moment a student’s brain locks around a difficult mathematics concept,” said Mrs. Angela “Angie” Miller. With over 10 years of teaching experience, she has often witnessed these moments once she gets students over “math phobia.”

In 2004, Mrs. Miller received the US Department of Education’s *American Star of Teaching*. This annual award is given to one teacher in each state who successfully uses creative teaching methods and increases student achievement. As one colleague said, “Her value...lies in her naturally helping spirit and her nonjudgmental approach to empowering learners of any age.”

“(Superheroes are) always taking time out of their lives to help other people. People don’t even know,” said a former student. “I see Mrs. Miller as a superhero.”

Mrs. Miller has taught math at Junction City Middle School since 2003. She received her bachelor’s and master’s degrees from Kansas State University.



**Elouise Miller**  
**Lincoln Elementary School**  
**Hays**

At four years old, a little girl imitated a much older sister who was a teacher. Putting on the sister's high-heeled shoes and carrying an old grade book, the little girl conducted her own school. It wasn't too much longer when, at the age of 17, she actually began her teaching career.

Now, nearly 60 years later, Miss Miller—who dresses in the colorful clothing her kindergarten students like—looks every now and then at women in business, wearing fancy clothes in offices and envies them for a minute, before thinking, “But how boring would that job be compared to teaching.”

“Miss Miller is a role model for all professionals; one leaves her presence uplifted, inspired, and ready to pursue new avenues of learning in the classroom, and a clear understanding that education is truly the most important profession on the face of the earth,” said a colleague.

Miss Miller has been a kindergarten teacher at Lincoln Elementary School since 1965. She received her bachelor's and master's degrees from Fort Hays State University.

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## 2007 Master Teacher Nominees

Anton Ahrens, Topeka  
Russell Baker, El Dorado  
Nancy Browne, Kansas City  
Rob Davis, Blue Valley  
Monica Diaz, Garden City

Robin Dixon, Auburn Washburn  
Carolyn Edwards, Shawnee Heights  
Nedra Elbl, Salina  
Shelley Faerber, Manhattan/Ogden  
Kathleen Felder, La Crosse

Lisa Findley, Andover  
Ronald Garvin, Lawrence  
Jennifer Gigstad, Effingham  
Valerie Haring, Butler Community College  
Debra Helberg, Newton

Mark Hoduski, Bonner Springs Maranatha  
Deborah Holloway, Tonganoxie  
Mary Jefferson, Olathe  
Bob Johnson, Wamego  
Linda Johnson, Council Grove

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Diane Ladenburger, Pratt  
Roberta Lewis, Fort Scott  
Diane Liebsch, Atchison  
Charlene Littlefield, Kansas City  
Marilyn McComber, Emporia

Angela Miller, Junction City  
Elouise Miller, Hays  
Gina Miller, Bluestem  
Nancy Pence, Blue Valley  
Donna Reed, Baldwin City

Debra Rice, Wamego  
Brian Roth, Abilene  
Barbara Straight, Dodge City  
Jack Weaver, Jr., Pittsburg  
Julie Wilcox, Shawnee Mission

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# Past Master Teachers

*1954*

Laura M. Beichley, Ulysses  
Harry H. Brown, Peabody  
Lucy Headrick, Winfield  
Ira Laidig, Oberlin  
Edith Ellen Means, Princeton  
Violet Randolph, Atchison  
Grace E. Stewart, Salina

*1955*

Redicia Engholm, Topeka  
Edna Mason Golladay, Wichita  
Gaye Iden, Arkansas City  
Gussie Mootz, Dodge City  
Elsie Olson, Marysville  
M. F. Stark, Hiawatha  
Dr. John Twente, Lawrence, KU

*1956*

Florence K. Belding, Iola  
Dr. Jane M. Carroll, Pittsburg, PSU  
Clifford H. Dresher, McPherson  
John E. Humphreys, Ashland  
Mamic D. Mellinger, Emporia  
Katie Puls, Attica  
Audtey Smith, Goodland

*1957*

Teresa McDonald Coffey, Axtell  
Dr. Maud Ellsworth, Lawrence, KU  
Una Funk, Council Grove  
Mildred P. Parker, Hutchinson  
Dr. Clyde U. Phillips, Hays, FHSU  
Ruth Flory Sexton, Howard  
Katherine A. Tucker, Topeka

*1958*

Mildred Cunninham, Parsons  
Myrrl Houck, El Dorado  
Julian A. Johnson, Buhler  
Edward D. Kroesch, Hoisington  
Dr. Minnie M. Miller, Emporia, ESU  
Elsie N. Parrish, Concordia  
Maude Thompson, Marion

*1959*

Henrietta Courtwright, Arkansas City  
Nettie May Davis, Winchester  
Paul R. Dick, Oakley  
Ethlyn Hamlin, Fort Scott  
Robert H. Pool, Larned  
D. Ruth Thompson, Sterling  
Jane Townsend, Girard

*1960*

Eula Bridger, Kansas City  
Maty Louise Gritten, Bird City  
Lena Carl, Holcomb  
Owen E. Hodgson, Salina  
Opal Jayne Kennedy, Lawrence  
Pauline Shockley, Wellington  
Blanch Smith, Pittsburg  
\*C. O. Wright, Topeka, KSTA

*1961*

Reba Anderson, Hutchinson  
George D. Caldwell, Iola  
Lydia Haag, Dodge City  
Larry Ling, Liberal  
Dotothy McPherson, Coffeyville  
Jane E. Roether, Junction City  
Ruth Socolofsky, Manhattan



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### 1962

Dr. William A. Black, Pittsburg, PSU  
Eunice McGill, Sterling College  
Nellie McGuinn, Kansas City  
Owen R. McNeil, Peabody  
Ella C. Shearer, Beloit  
Marie Therkelsen, Independence  
William D. Wolfe, Lawrence

### 1963

May Gruver, Augusta  
Alta Hendrickson, Oakley  
Walter M. Ostenberg, Salina  
Pearl Peterie, Kinsley  
Phebe Scott, Derby  
Martha Steele, Goodland  
Charles E. Strange, Wichita

### 1964

Dan Foster, LaCrosse  
Mary Hunholz, Manhattan  
Erdman Johnson, Turner  
Loma Mack, Madison  
Bernadine Sitts, Garden City  
Lillie Elizabeth Studt, Glasco  
Dewey E. Wolgast, Marysville  
\*Ruth Stout Wright, Topeka

### 1965

Rebecca Bloodworth, Kansas City  
Bryce H. Glecker, Dodge City  
Mabel Lacey, Gorham  
Hazel Lee Simmons, Lawrence  
Floyd C. Smith, Iola  
Dorothy Vaughn, Neodesha  
Ethel Yantis, Howard

### 1966

Eva M. Chalfant, El Dorado  
Louis A. Coppoc, Belpre  
Helen Glaser, Coffeyville  
Evelyn Harper, Atchison  
Maurice Little, Goodland  
Ione Ramey, Olathe  
Wesley E. Simpson, Salina

### 1967

Dr. J. W. Breukelman, Emporia, ESU  
Lois Hogue, Pratt  
Dr. Perva M. Hughes, Pittsburg, PSU  
Winifred Jennings, Shawnee  
Jean Jones, Topeka  
Florence Miller, Iola  
Cecil E. Smith, Pittsburg  
\*Adel F. Throckmorton, Wichita,  
State Supr.

### 1968

Arley A. Bryant, Concordia  
Lottie Carver, Mulvanc  
Alice Ham, Hutchinson  
Hazel Miller, Emporia  
Irma Minden, Paola  
Gladys Peterson, Lindsborg  
Doris Stith, Bonner Springs

### 1969

Kelso Deer, Hoisington  
Marguerite Hackney, Iola  
Joe W. Ostenberg, McPherson  
Theodore Palmquist, Turner  
Maxine Sebelius, Northern Valley  
Joy Wigginton, El Dorado  
Lonnie Wood, Independence  
\*Dr. Alex Daughtry, Emporia, ESU

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*1970*

Ralph Dennis, Olathe  
John England, Pittsburg  
Gladys Kaump, Dodge City  
Thomas Kelley, Hutchinson  
Lois Patton, Grear Bend  
Albert Riedel, Hays  
Mary Ellen Sissman, Eureka

*1971*

Dr. Kenneth Anderson, Lawrence, KU  
Earl Bevan, Pittsburg  
Helen Case, El Dorado  
Carl Clinesmith, Fort Scott  
Herman Grundy, Kansas City  
Bety Jackson, Colby  
Margaret Jagger, Minneapolis  
\*F. L. Schlagle, Kansas City

*1972*

Joseph L. Bournonville, Pittsburg  
Roberr Burnett, Colby  
Gerald Goacher, Topeka  
Carl A. James, Emporia  
Catherine Johannsen, Kansas City  
Dr. Margaret Parker, Pittsburg, PSU  
Leona Velen, Manhartan  
\*F. Royd Herr, Topeka, State  
Dept. of Education

*1973*

Mildred Barber, Concordia  
Dr. Elron W. Cline, Pittsburg, PSU  
Marie Hieger, El Dorado  
Anna Hurty, Hutchinson  
Rachel Leist, Fort Scott  
Allen L. Unruh, Ottawa  
Marjorie Vieux, Atwood

*1974*

Wanda Franzen, Emporia  
Arlene Garrett, Hugoron  
Ruben Grose, Hurchinson  
Louis Hayward, Eureka  
Clyde Johnson, Leavenworth  
Esrher Overman, Columbus  
Norris Sayre, Ensign

*1975*

Vernon Hasterr, Ulysses  
J. Paul Jewell, Kansas City  
Betty Dutton, Alta Visra  
Iram Teichgraeber, Chapman  
Marion Klema, Salina  
Ernesr Nelson, Pittsburg  
Rozella Swisher, Kansas City

*1976*

Charlotte Doyle, Manharran  
Harry Hart, Emporia  
Glennis Lindsey, Hurchinson  
Frances Raines, Winfield  
Dr. Richard Roahen, Emporia, ESU  
Darlene Theno, Basechor  
Eleanor Whire, Dodge City  
\*Dr. James A. McCain, Manhattan,  
President, KSU

*1977*

Jean Curl, Kansas City  
Fred Deyoe, Dodge City  
Joan Hanna, Winfield  
Shirley Longfellow, El Dorado  
Martha McReynolds, Burlington  
Gene Russell, Galena  
Dan Tewell, Pirtsburg  
\*Dr. William Edwards, Emporia, ESU

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*1978*

Dennis L. Ary, Topeka  
Erma Lang Dow, Eureka  
Harold Hardy, Pittsburg  
Dr. Robert R. Noble, Pittsburg, PSU  
Milton Senti, Pratt  
Patricia J. Teel, Columbus  
Eugene Wiltfong, Norton  
\*Dr. A. Truman Hayes, Emporia, ESU

*1979*

Gerald E. Barkley, Galena  
Wendell Hodges, Anthony  
Eleanor Kee, Coffeyville  
Clifton McWaid, Kansas City  
Loren E. Ribletr Sr., Wamego  
Cynthia Schrader, Alta Vista  
William Warner, Manhattan  
\*Dr. Everett Rich, Emporia, ESU

*1980*

Harold Balzer, Buhler  
Raymond Goering, Salina  
Lucille Luckey, Dodge City  
Mary Remington, Pittsburg  
Patricia Samuelson Bonds, Emporia  
James R. Smith, Olathe  
Paul Willis, Topeka

*1981*

Mary Chase, Andover  
Mary Lou Davis, Dodge City  
Marguerite Flick, Winfield  
Don Miller, Fort Scott  
Deloris Jean Osger, Eureka  
Chester Peckover, Buhler  
Byron Smith, Anrhone

*1982*

Dorothy Arensman, Dodge City  
Frances Kohrs, Fort Scott  
Bill Saunders, Garden City  
Marjory Pease Sharp, Pittsburg  
Patricia Tippin, Manhattan  
Kenneth Trickle, Jr., Salina  
Elizabeth Voorhees, Emporia

*1983*

Catherine Ann Brown, Emporia  
Elaine Fowler Bryant, Pittsburg  
Betty Holderread, Newton  
Lois McLure, Kingman  
Barry L. Schartz, Kingman  
Sally Shipley, Kansas City, Mo.  
Doris Velen, Manhattan

*1984*

Robert Coffman, Chase  
Frances Lou Disney, Great Bend  
Stephen R. Germes, Dodge City  
Thomas Hedges, Pittsburg  
Don L. Mason, Kingman  
• Dottie McCrossen, Ottawa  
• Joan Spiker, Manhattan  
\*Dr. John Visser, Emporia  
President, ESU

*1985*

Bob Anderson, Manhattan  
Ken Carothers, Wellington  
Thomas Fowler, Emporia  
Charlotte McDonald, Olathe  
• Lana Scrimsher Oleen, Manhattan  
Barbara Shinkle, Pratt  
Sharon Willis, McPherson  
\*Dr. John E. King, Carbondale, IL,  
President, ESU

### 1986

Jill Burk, Manhattan  
Richard G. Dawson, Kansas City  
Frank B. Evans, Dodge City  
Dr. Jim Gill, Stilwell  
Harry Heckethorn, McPherson  
Sally Six Hersh, Lawrence  
Helen Owens, Derby  
\*Dr. Fred Markowitz, Emporia, ESU

### 1987

Roger D. Brannan, Manhattan  
Jackie Engel, McPherson  
Dr. Nick Henry, Pittsburg, PSU  
Dr. Eloise Beth Lynch, Salina  
• Marie Peterson, Oakley  
• Joyce Rucker, Pratt  
Dr. Sandra J. Terril, Salina  
\*Dr. John Webb, Emporia, ESU

### 1988

• Carol S. Adams, Manhattan  
Donald G. Buhler, Pratt  
Robert Hottman, Anthony  
Carolyn Clevenger Kuhn, Emporia  
Michael S. Rush, Osawatometie  
Bonnie Weingarr, Fort Riley  
Martha Zakrzewski, Hays

### 1989

Tanya Channell, Hays  
Max Ferguson, Medicine Lodge  
Lois Schweitzer Gray, Pratt  
Carolyn Koch, Emporia  
Ada Ligia R. Paquette, Junction City  
• Mary Anne Trickle, Salina  
• Gary Wilkerson, Derby  
\*Dr. Darrell Wood, Emporia, ESU

### 1990

Dr. Thomas Christie, Lawrence  
• Gretchen Davis, Overland Park  
Dr. E. Sutton Flynt, Pittsburg, PSU  
• James Gardner, El Dorado  
Ralph E. Mock, Council Grove  
Allen K. Scheer, Westmoreland  
Beverliann Wolf, Derby

### 1991

Deena L. Horst, Salina  
Kenneth R. Kennedy, Pratt  
Sherryl L. Longhofer, Topeka  
• Susan F. McKinney, Emporia  
Kenneth R. Strith, Dodge City  
• Valarie S. Tims, Pittsburg  
Helen A. Wagner, El Dorado

### 1992

Beth Bergsten, Junction City  
Ernest L. Brown, Wakeeney  
• Irma Jean Fallon, Manhattan  
Diane Low, Lawrence  
Ethel Marie Peterson, Dodge City  
Alana Kay Sewell, Pratt  
• Joyce Ann Sinn, Fort Scott

### 1993

Mickey L. Bogart, Manhattan  
Carol J. Brandert, Salina  
Mary Alice Gordon, Lawrence  
Kathy Ann Ramsour, Dodge City  
• William M. Scott, Wakeeney  
Alice M. Shaffer, Overland Park  
• Glenda S. Watkins, Paola  
\*Dr. Daryl Berry, Emporia, ESU

### 1994

Norma Bynum West, Dwight  
• Diane Prell, Derby  
Myron E. Schwinn, Manhattan  
• Connie J. Viebrock, Olathe  
Kathryn E. Taylor, Emporia  
Anne Nettleton, Salina  
Garold Robert Billionis, Fort Scott  
\*Dr. Robert Glennen, Emporia  
President, ESU

### 1995

Cathy Colborn, Medicine Lodge  
Joseph P. Glotzbach, Council Grove  
John B. Harclerode, Emporia  
Diana E. Harris, Pratt  
• Patrick R. Lamb, Manhattan  
• Tom Schwartz, Abilene  
Jo Ann Schuette, Wichita

### 1996

Doyle D. Barnes, Manhattan  
Margaret Coggins, Lawrence  
Catherine Ecroyd, Ottawa  
• Jacquelyn Faye Fiest, Dodge City  
• Millie P. Moyer, Salina  
Janice Reutter, Medicine Lodge  
Nancy Robohn, Emporia

### 1997

Lisa Artman Bierau, Manhattan  
JoLene Rae Bloom, Seneca  
• Patricia Gnau, Blue Valley  
Mike Harvey, Pratt  
Darla J. Mallein, Emporia  
Renita Ubel, Ottawa  
• Randall J. Warner, Olathe  
\*Dr. Jack D. Skilletr, Emporia, ESU

### 1998

Brian "Chip" Anderson, Lawrence  
Janeen Brown, Wakceny  
Candy Birch, Olathe  
Elizabeth Cronemeyer, Tonganoxie  
• Floyd "Stan" Standridge, Salina  
Shirley Stein, Ulysses  
Carol Strickland, Emporia

### 1999

• Michelle DiLisio, Chanute  
Mary Machin Hemphill, Manhattan  
• Judy Humburg, Andover  
Mary Porterfield, Goodland  
Linda Maxine Stelzer, Pratt  
Phillip Theis, El Dorado  
Curt C. Vajnar, Hays  
\*Dr. Andy Tompkins, Topeka

### 2000

Kay Parks Bushman Haas, Ottawa  
• Tracy Jo Kerth, Overland Park  
• Michael R. Schainost, Osawatomic  
Roberta (Robbie) Thomas, Andover  
Robert James Tindel, Pittsburg  
Deborah B. Wertin, Overland Park  
Goldie Wood, Dodge City

### 2001

• Cathy Esquibel, Dodge City  
Jeanne Evans, El Dorado  
• Betty Lavery, Srilwell  
Leona Madden, Hays  
Margaret McClatchey, Overland Park  
Rosemary A. Riordan, Lenexa  
Jane Sak, Overland Park  
\*Jerry Long, Assoc. Dean, ESU

## 2002

Bev Bertolone, Blue Valley  
Barbara Fowler, Emporia  
• Sue Givens, Pratt  
Christine Herald, Manhattan  
Dee A. Moxley, Andover  
Jan Prather, El Dorado  
• Alexander Specht, Osawatomie

## 2003

• Tina Buck, Medicine Lodge  
Matt Copeland, Topeka  
Connie Ferree, Emporia  
• Connie Healey, Stilwell  
Pamela, Kilgariff, Pratt  
Barbara Tims, Pittsburg  
Carol Woydziak, Dodge City

## 2004

Mary Elizabeth Baker, Andover  
Luana Bitter, Pratt  
Patricia Grzenda, Lawrence  
Nicki Hancock, Olathe  
• Greg Mittman, Valley Center  
• Devra Parker, Medicine Lodge  
• Patricia Weidert, Emporia  
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Ken Garwick, Manhattan  
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• Larry Wayland, Overland Park

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Vicki O'Neal, Baxter Springs  
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## 2007

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