

## UNSTA-NCTA Alumni Awards

### Award recipients:

- 2016** – Gene Heller, Alumni Service Award  
Stan and Dorothy Matzke, Honorary Life Membership
- 2015** – Jerry Sundquist, Distinguished/Legacy Award  
David and Ann Bruntz, Alumni Achievement  
Dr. Martin Massengale, Honorary Life Membership
- 2014** – Dave Smith, Honorary Life Membership  
Mike Stewart, Alumni Achievement, posthumous  
Dr. Walter Long, Distinguished/Legacy Award, posthumous
- 2013** – R.P. Smith, Distinguished/Legacy Award
- 2012** – Community of Curtis, Alumni Service Award
- 2011** – Richard and Marilyn Shinn, Alumni Service Award  
Dr. George Garlick, Distinguished/Legacy Award
- 2010** – Elaine Siminoe, Alumni Service Award  
Dr. Weldon Sleight, Honorary Life Membership Award

**Alumni association awards** are based on nominations submitted to the board of directors, in these categories for recognition:

**Alumni Achievement** – Recognizes exemplary service to NSA, UNSA, UNSTA, or NCTA or to Nebraska agriculture and natural resources, in general. The honoree must have completed a degree at the Curtis institution.

**Alumni Service** – For outstanding service to NSA, UNSA, UNSTA, or NCTA. The recipient *need not* be a graduate.

**Honorary Life Membership** – For outstanding service to Nebraska's agriculture or natural resources; recipient is not an alumnus.

**Distinguished/Legacy Award** – Recognizes personal or professional excellence in advancing the legacy of NSA, UNSA, UNSTA or NCTA, or for demonstrating exemplary commitment, leadership, and participation bringing distinction to themselves, their profession, the technical college, or to the NU system.