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# Nebraska Chapter

## GAMMA SIGMA DELTA

### Newsletter

Issue #45, Fall 2012

#### President's Message

Dear Gamma Sigma Delta members,

What a difference a year makes. Last year Nebraska was experiencing ample moisture and flooding. This year, the drought that was focused in southern United States last year, decided to move north. This has put a lot of pressure on everyone with agriculture being most hard hit, and these industries are the economic drivers in our state. As the people of Nebraska joined together to manage through the drought, I thought of the many people at Land Grants and those that went through Land Grants that had a good educational foundation that helped them manage some tough situations. The emblem of our society is a "key" bearing the words "The Honor Society of Agriculture" in small Roman letters and the Greek letters, Gamma Sigma Delta, which are its insignia. The Greek meaning of our name is "the binding arts relating thereto for the welfare of others." How fitting is it that the core of our organization is symbolized as people work through these trying times.

I hope you can attend the Annual Meeting and Seminar to be held October 11 in Chase Hall on East Campus. Dan Cotton, leader of the National eXtension, will be our featured speaker. We have asked him to address "How Will Land Grant Universities Transfer Information to Their Clientele in the Future?" This topic seems fitting as the University of Nebraska's Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources will be celebrating the 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Morrill Act. The 2013 Initiation and Awards Banquet date is set for January 27, 2013. Read more about the banquet in the newsletter. Plan to attend both these Chapter functions. I look forward to seeing you.

*Rick Rasby*

GSD Nebraska Chapter President

#### Find important details in this Newsletter regarding the following activities of Gamma Sigma Delta

- **Fall Seminar and Annual Meeting**  
Thursday October 11  
116 Chase Hall  
3:00 PM
- **Nominations for New Gamma Sigma Delta Members –**  
**Due November 1**
- **Nominations for Gamma Sigma Delta Awards**  
**Due November 15, 2012**
  - Award of Merit
  - Excellence in Extension
  - Excellence in Research
  - Excellence in Teaching
  - Outstanding Graduate Student
- **Awards Banquet**  
Sunday, January 27, 2013  
Beacon Hills  
5353 North 27 Street, Lincoln  
6:00 PM
- Gamma Sigma Delta  
Membership Renewal Form

**Nebraska Chapter Gamma Sigma Delta  
Annual Business Meeting**

**October 11, 2012**

**116 Chase Hall**

**3:00 PM**

***Agenda***

**I. Officer Reports**

- **Secretary – Approval of 2011 Annual Meeting Minutes**
- **Treasurer –Approval of Treasurer’s Report**
- **Historian**
- **Membership Coordinator**
- **Past President**
- **President**

**II. Committee Reports**

- **Seminar Committee**
- **Officer Nominating Committee**
- **Undergraduate Student Recognition**
- **Initiation and Awards Banquet**

**III. Old Business – No items of Old Business at this time**

**IV. New Business**

- **Approve new members**

**V. Adjourn**

**Gamma Sigma Delta  
Outstanding Graduate Student Award Fund**

Your Nebraska Chapter of Gamma Sigma Delta has established a fund at the University of Nebraska Foundation to allow us to expand our recognition of high standards of scholarship to the graduate student ranks. The **Gamma Sigma Delta Outstanding Graduate Student Award Fund** was initiated with a \$750 grant from the International Gamma Sigma Delta organization. The fund is an expendable fund at this time, however, our goal is to raise \$25,000 to endow it permanently. Your contributions will assist us in reaching this goal.

A Gamma Sigma Delta Outstanding Graduate Student Award Selection Committee will organize the application and selection process. Graduate students in Human Sciences, Agriculture and related sciences who have demonstrated outstanding accomplishment in their teaching, research, or extension endeavors, and great promise for future academic contributions in their field of expertise are eligible.

Please send your donations to the University of Nebraska Foundation at 1010 Lincoln Mall, Suite 300, Lincoln, NE 68508 with the pledge form on page 19. Questions? Contact Kevin Meyer at [kmeyer@nufoundation.org](mailto:kmeyer@nufoundation.org).



Excellence in the practice of agricultural pursuits

# Gamma Sigma Delta

The Honor Society of Agriculture

The Nebraska Chapter of Gamma Sigma Delta

Presents

## How Will Land Grant Universities Transfer Information to Their Clientele in the Future?

By

# Dan Cotton

*Director of eXtension*

**Thursday, October 11, 2012**

**116 Chase Hall**

**3:00 PM**

**The Gamma Sigma Delta annual meeting will immediately follow seminar.**

**Refreshments will be provided.**

**For those unable to attend, the seminar will be available for viewing live at:**

[http://real.unl.edu/live\\_2/](http://real.unl.edu/live_2/)

**Seminar will also be archived for later viewing at:**

<http://real.unl.edu/programs/misc/GSD-2012.html>

**NOMINATIONS FOR  
GAMMA SIGMA DELTA  
September 2012**

The Membership Nominating Committee solicits your nomination of graduate students, faculty, managerial/professional staff, and alumni for membership in Gamma Sigma Delta.

We rely on your help to ensure that Gamma Sigma Delta recognizes worthy co-workers and graduate students for their contributions in agricultural sciences, natural resources, nutrition and health sciences, textiles, clothing and design or family and consumer sciences. A little reflection and a few minutes of your time to complete a form is all we ask. Nominations are requested for graduate students, faculty, managerial/professional staff, and alumni. Membership guidelines follow:

- A. Graduate students who meet all the following requirements:
  - 1. Show superior ability to carry on research and/or advanced study in agricultural sciences, natural resources, nutrition and health sciences, textiles, clothing and design or family and consumer sciences or in other sciences where the individual student's area of study or research is directly related to those areas,
  - 2. Show promise of making worthwhile contributions in these fields,
  - 3. Completed 2/5 of the required hours for the advanced degree being sought, either at the Masters or PhD level, and
  - 4. Attained a grade average of B or equivalent or better for graduate work toward an advanced degree.
  
- B. Faculty and managerial/professional staff who meet all the following requirements:
  - 1. University of Nebraska employee for at least three years, and
  - 2. Engaged in work in the professional areas of agricultural sciences, natural resources, nutrition and health sciences, textiles, clothing and design or family and consumer sciences for a period of at least three years.
  
- C. Alumni who meet all of the following requirements:
  - 1. Shown outstanding work in or service to agricultural sciences, natural resources, nutrition and health sciences, textiles, clothing and design or family and consumer sciences.
  - 2. Graduated from the University of Nebraska or an institution with a Gamma Sigma Delta chapter.
  - 3. Graduated at least five years prior to election to membership.

Please use the following membership nomination form to provide the necessary information. Nominations must be received by **November 1, 2012** to be considered. Send the completed forms to:

Tamra Jackson-Ziems  
406 Plant Sciences Hall (PLSH, UNL)  
Lincoln, NE 68583-0722  
[tjackson3@unl.edu](mailto:tjackson3@unl.edu)

**NEBRASKA CHAPTER GAMMA SIGMA DELTA**  
**Nomination for Faculty, Managerial/Professional,**  
**Graduate Students, and Alumni**

Date of Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First M.I.

**University or other address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-Mail address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of Nomination:**      Faculty / Managerial Professional      Graduate Student      Alumni

If faculty or staff nomination, list date of appointment to University: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month      Year

Degree	Date	Major	Institution
BS	_____	_____	_____
MS	_____	_____	_____
PhD	_____	_____	_____
Other	_____	_____	_____

**Graduate student nominees only. List all graduate courses and grades at University of Nebraska. A copy of a transcript or grade report may be attached.**

Course	Grade	Course	Grade	Course	Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

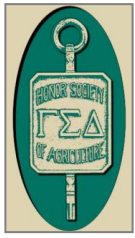
**Professional Activities:** (Attach résumé if available)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominators:** (Three signatures required)

Name	Name	Name
Department	Department	Department

**(Include attachments for additional comments)**



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NEBRASKA CHAPTER

**Award of Merit Nomination**

**TO:** IANR Administrators and Gamma Sigma Delta Members

**FROM:** Award of Merit Committee  
Z B Mayo, Interim Chair  
Keith Glewen  
Susan Fritz

**RE:** Nominations for Gamma Sigma Delta Award of Merit

The Award of Merit Committee announces the call for nominations for the 2012 Gamma Sigma Delta Award of Merit. We urge you to consider nominating one of our many outstanding faculty for this special recognition.

The selection criteria and format for the nomination are described on the following page. Nominations should be submitted by **November 15, 2012** to:

Z B Mayo  
Entomology Dept  
103 Entomology Hall (103 ENTO, UNL)  
Lincoln, NE 68583-0816  
[z.mayo@unl.edu](mailto:z.mayo@unl.edu)

**PAST AWARD RECIPIENTS**

1956	O.H. Leibers	1969	Edward W. Janike	1981	Paul Fischbach	1995	John Witkowski
1956	T.A. Kiesselbach	1969	Albert J. Ebers	1982	Wayne Collins	1996	Joan M. Laughlin
1957	W.W. Burr	1970	Lionel C. Harris	1982	Donald Hanway	1996	Robert L. Raun
1958	F.L. Duley	1970	T.M. McCalla	1983	John Furrer	1997	Martin Massengale
1958	R.W. Gross	1971	E.F. Frolik	1983	James Williams, Jr.	1998	Keith Gregory
1959	H.C. Filley	1971	A.W. Epp	1984	William Splinter	1998	James Kinder
1959	W.J. Loeffel	1972	Clare Porter	1984	R.D. Schnieder	1999	Karen Craig
1960	T.H. Goodding	1972	Harold Stevens	1985	Lowell E. Moser	2000	Robert Shearman
1961	Howard Deems	1973	John L. Adams	1985	Glen J. Vollmar	2000	Dale Van Vleck
1962	Ralph Cole	1973	Gordon E. Dickerson	1986	David P. McGill	2001	Rita Kean
1962	G.A. Spidel	1974	Philip A. Henderson	1987	Francis Haskins	2001	Roger Wehrbein
1963	Chauncy Smith	1974	M.G. McCreight	1988	Richard D. Earl	2002	Rodger Johnson
1963	Marvel Baker	1975	Marvin J. Twiehaus	1988	Herman J. Gorz	2002	Roger Mandigo
1964	JC Russel	1975	Myron Rumery	1989	Glenn Froning	2003	Merlyn K. Nielsen
1964	J.C. Swinbank	1976	Robert E. Roselle	1989	Dermot Coyne	2004	Charles Hibberd
1965	Marcus A. Weldon	1976	Doyle H. Free	1990	Sid Salzman	2005	David Keith
1965	M.A. Alexander	1977	Ernest R. Peo, Jr.	1990	LaVerne Stetson	2006	Z B Mayo
1966	Lawrence K. Crowe	1977	John L. WeiHING	1991	Robert Fritschen	2006	Ron Hanson
1966	Frank E. Mussehl	1978	O. Burr Ross	1992	Charles Stonecipher	2007	Don Adams
1967	H.O. Werner	1978	Ralston Graham	1992	Wes W. Furrer	2008	Alan Baquet
1968	John Muehlbeier	1979	Robert A. Olson	1993	Irvin T. Omtvedt	2009	Elbert Dickey
1968	R.M. Sandstedt	1979	Thomas W. Sullivan	1994	Kermit Hansen	2010	Keith Glewen
1968	Stanley Matzke	1980	Rosalind Morris	1994	Anne Vidaver	2011	Susan Fritz
1968	Willard Waldo	1981	Charles H. Adams	1995	Glenn A. Helmers		

## **Gamma Sigma Delta Award of Merit**

### **OBJECTIVE**

The Award of Merit is to further recognize those who have rendered outstanding service in research, extension, teaching, administration, and leadership in the field of agriculture, natural resources, and human sciences.

### **REQUIREMENTS**

The recipient of the Award of Merit must meet the following requirements:

1. Qualify under the objectives as stated above.
2. Be a member of Gamma Sigma Delta.
3. Minimum age – 30 years.

### **PROCEDURES**

The President shall appoint an Award of Merit Committee annually. The committee shall be composed of three members of which at least one member is from the previous year's committee.

The committee will canvass the membership of GSD for nominations for the Award of Merit. Nominations, as submitted to the committee, must be accompanied by supporting information. No nominations may be made from the floor at any meeting of GSD.

From the nominations received, the committee shall select not more than three candidates. The names of these candidates shall be presented to the membership in ballot form for mail vote. A brief statement of the qualifications of each candidate shall accompany the ballots.

A maximum of two Awards of Merit may be made each year. This does not preclude the making of one award or no award in any particular year.

The award(s) shall be presented at the annual banquet; and except under unusual circumstances, the recipient will be expected to be present to receive the award.





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NEBRASKA CHAPTER

## Extension Award Nomination

**TO:** IANR Administrators and Gamma Sigma Delta Members

**FROM:** Extension Award Committee  
Dennis Bauer, Chair  
Harshavardhan Thippareddi  
David Varner

**RE:** Nominations for Gamma Sigma Delta Extension Award

Gamma Sigma Delta invites you to submit nominations for the 2012 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 by **November 15, 2012** to:

Dennis Bauer  
Extension in B-K-R Counties  
148 W 4<sup>th</sup> St  
Ainsworth, NE 69210-1696  
[dbauer1@unl.edu](mailto:dbauer1@unl.edu)

### PAST AWARD RECIPIENTS

1980	Don J. Kubik	1996	Doyle R. Wolverton
1981	Alexander R. Martin	1997	Donald Steinegger
1982	Charles L. Fenster	1998	David L. Keith
1983	Donald C. Spitze	1999	Dale Grotelueschen
1984	Earl W. Gleaves	2000	Jeffrey F. Keown
1985	J.C. Cranfill	2001	Michael Brumm
1986	Gail A. Wicks	2002	Shirley Niemeyer
1987	Douglas D. Duey	2003	Dennis Burson
1988	Elbert C. Dickey	2004	Linda Boeckner
1989	Don Sander	2005	Ivan Rush
1990	Dean H. Eisenhauer	2006	Sharon Skipton
1991	Lloyd L. Young	2007	James W. Goeke
1992	James E. Novotny	2008	Rick Rasby
1993	Carol Thayer	2009	Dennis Bauer
1994	Robert D. Grisso	2010	Harshavardhan Thippareddi
1995	Frederick P. Baxendale	2011	David Varner

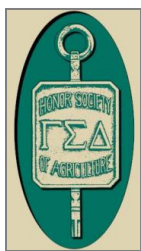
## **Gamma Sigma Delta Extension Award**

### **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.



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NEBRASKA CHAPTER

## Research Award Nomination

**TO:** IANR Administrators and Gamma Sigma Delta Members

**FROM:** Research Award Committee  
Clinton Jones, Chair  
Curt Weller  
Yiqi Yang

**RE:** Nominations for Gamma Sigma Delta Research Award

Gamma Sigma Delta invites you to submit nominations for the Nebraska Chapter's Research Award for 2012. This is an excellent means of recognizing significant research activity.

The selection criteria and nomination format are 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 by **November 15, 2012** to:

Clinton Jones  
Veterinary & Biomedical Sciences  
234 Morrison Center (MOLR, UNL)  
Lincoln, NE 68583-0900  
[cjones2@unl.edu](mailto:cjones2@unl.edu)

### PAST AWARD RECIPIENTS

1980	Orvin C. Burnside	1996	L. Dale Van Vleck
1981	Dermot P. Coyne	1997	Larry V. Cundiff
1982	Terry Klopfenstein	1998	David D. Baltensperger
1983	James H. Williams	1999	Terrance Riordan
1984	Roger W. Mandigo	2000	Chris R. Calkins
1985	James E. Specht	2001	Drew Lyon
1986	Rodger K. Johnson	2002	Terry Mader
1987	Austin J. Lewis	2003	Glenn Helmers
1988	Glenn W. Froning	2004	Michael Brumm
1989	Kenneth Vogel	2005	Judy Driskell
1990	Roger W. Wilson	2006	Blair Siegfried
1991	Milford Hanna	2007	Janos Zempleni
1992	Merlyn K. Nielsen	2008	Andrew Benson
1993	Joan Laughlin	2009	Clinton Jones
1994	P. Stephen Baenziger	2010	Curt Weller
1995	James E. Kinder	2011	Yiqi Yang

## **Gamma Sigma Delta Research Award**

### **SELECTION CRITERIA**

1. Evidence of outstanding research activity and productivity, either in fundamental or applied research as evidenced by:
  - Impact of nominee's research
  - Peer recognition as a research scientist
  - Research contributions as individual, as research leader, or as collaborator
2. Membership in Gamma Sigma Delta is required; membership in the Nebraska Chapter is desirable, but not mandatory.
3. Persons who have previously received national or international Gamma Sigma Delta research awards are not eligible.
4. 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. Description of research responsibilities
5. Major research accomplishments; research publications, patents, variety releases and other indices of research productivity.
6. National and/or international significance of the nominee's research.
7. Three letters of recommendation (including nominator's letter) from persons in a position to evaluate the nominee's research accomplishments.



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NEBRASKA CHAPTER

## Teaching Award Nomination

**TO:** IANR Administrators and Gamma Sigma Delta Members  
**FROM:** Teaching Award Committee  
Tiffany Heng-Moss, Chair  
Martha Mamo  
Lisa Karr-Lilienthal  
**RE:** Nominations for Gamma Sigma Delta Teaching Award

The Teaching Award Committee announces the call for nominations for the 2012 Gamma Sigma Delta Teaching Award. We urge you to consider nominating one of our many outstanding faculty for this recognition of excellence in teaching.

The selection criteria and format for the nomination are on the following page. An award application remains active for three years unless the individual submitting the application asks that it be withdrawn. Nomination should be submitted by **November 15, 2012** to:

Tiffany Heng-Moss  
Entomology Dept  
103 Entomology Hall (103 ENTO, UNL)  
Lincoln, NE 68583-0816  
[thengmoss2@unl.edu](mailto:thengmoss2@unl.edu)

### PAST AWARD RECIPIENTS

1963	John Sulek	1981	David T. Lewis	1999	Leon Higley
1964	Loyal C. Payne	1982	Allen G. Blezek	2000	Donald C. Lee
1965	William L. Colville	1983	Ted H. Doane	2001	Walter Schacht
1966	Pauline N. Doryland	1984	Robert A. Olson	2002	Phil Miller
1967	David P. McGill	1985	M. Rosalind Morris	2003	Stephen Mason
1968	James G. Kendrick	1986	Virginia A. Book	2004	Ellen Paparozzi
1969	Charles H. Adams	1987	Richard Waldren	2005	Timothy Carr
1970	U.E. Wendorff	1988	Dennis R. Brink	2006	Linda O. Young
1971	Terry J. Klopfenstein	1989	Steve Waller	2007	Darrell R. Mark
1972	Ernest J. Peo, Jr.	1990	Robert Sorenson	2008	Bryan Reiling
1973	Lowell E. Moser	1991	Jim Kinder	2009	Tiffany Heng-Moss
1974	P.J. Cunningham	1992	Ken Von Bargaen	2010	Martha Mamo
1975	Roy G. Arnold	1993	Ackland Jones	2011	Lisa Karr-Lilienthal
1976	A. Dale Flowerday	1994	Ronald M. Case		
1977	Bobby D. Moser	1995	Dennis M. Conley		
1978	Dwane Zimmerman	1996	George H. Pfeiffer		
1979	Ronald J. Hanson	1997	Dennis McCallister		
1980	Keith E. Gilster	1998	Steve Jones		

## **Gamma Sigma Delta Teaching Award**

### **SELECTION CRITERIA**

Outstanding teaching and advising record as evidenced by:

1. Student and peer evaluations of courses and instructor.
2. Commitment to teaching improvement activities.
3. Formal and informal interaction with students as academic and/or student organization adviser.
4. Membership in Gamma Sigma Delta.
5. An award application remains active for three years unless the individual submitting the application asks that it be withdrawn.

### **FORMAT FOR NOMINATION**

- Name of nominee (including an email address)
- Educational background
- Current position
- Responsibilities (courses taught and enrollment for past five semesters, spring semester 2010 through spring semester 2012)
- Academic advising responsibilities for past five semesters
- Documentation of scholarly activity such as invited/peer reviewed presentations, publications in teaching such as articles, textbooks, etc.
- Participation in teaching improvement program
- Student involvement (out-of-classroom interaction, advising of student organization etc.)
- Impact of nominee as teacher and adviser
- Student course evaluations which shall consist of a copy of the Results of the Objective Items. On the current CASNR evaluation form (CIEQ), this is the front summary page.
- Four letters of recommendation in addition to the nominator's letter are required. One letter of recommendation from a colleague, present student, former student, and an administrator should be submitted with the nomination

## **Outstanding Graduate Student Award Gamma Sigma Delta, Nebraska Chapter**

**Purpose:** To recognize outstanding graduate students in the areas of agricultural sciences, natural resources, nutrition and health sciences, textiles, clothing and design and family and consumer sciences at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

### **Procedures:**

Students meeting the following criteria shall be eligible for this award:

- a. Candidates shall be graduate students at University of Nebraska-Lincoln, studying in the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR), AAFCS accredited departments of the College of Education and Human Sciences (CEHS), and the College of Engineering and Technology when majoring in Biological Systems Engineering or Agricultural Engineering.
- b. Candidates shall have demonstrated outstanding accomplishment in their teaching, research, or extension endeavors, and great promise for future academic contributions in their field of expertise.
- c. Candidates are not required to hold a graduate assistantship to be eligible.

The winner will be awarded \$500 at the GSD Initiation and Awards Banquet on January 27, 2013.

Nominees should submit a current résumé/cv, a listing of UNL graduate course work and grades received, and no more than 3 letters of recommendation to Robert Wright ([rwright2@unl.edu](mailto:rwright2@unl.edu)), GSD Membership Coordinator, by **November 15, 2012**. Applications must be submitted electronically.

### **Previous Award Winners:**

2009 – Tim Husen, Entomology

2010 – Jessie Fernandez, Plant Pathology

2011 – Chandirasegaran Massilamany, Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences

### **Evaluation Criteria:**

**Scholarship** (as evidenced by performance in course work, and research, teaching, extension accomplishments).

These accomplishments can be demonstrated by journal publications and written articles (published or submitted), presentations at professional society meetings, student course evaluations for teaching, instructional materials developed (classroom teaching/ laboratory/extension), extension programming activities, grants written and/or submitted for funding, special honors and recognitions achieved.

**... 60 points**

**Letters of recommendation ... 30 points**

**Service** (within UNL, professional societies, community outreach) **... 10 points**

## Gamma Sigma Delta Committees 2012

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### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

President: Rick Rasby  
President Elect: Tamra Jackson-Ziems  
Secretary: TBA  
Treasurer: TBA  
Membership Coordinator: Robert Wright  
Historian: Z B Mayo  
Past President: Julie Albrecht

### **AWARD OF MERIT COMMITTEE**

Z B Mayo (2012 – interim)  
Keith Glewen (2013)  
Susan Fritz (2014)

### **EXTENSION AWARD COMMITTEE**

Dennis Bauer (2012)  
Harshavardhan Thippareddi (2013)  
Susan Fritz (2014)

### **RESEARCH AWARD COMMITTEE**

Clinton Jones (2012)  
Curt Weller (2013)  
Yiqi Yang (2014)

### **TEACHING AWARD COMMITTEE**

Tiffany Heng-Moss (2012)  
Martha Mamo (2013)  
Lisa Karr-Lilienthal (2014)

### **INITIATION AND AWARD BANQUET**

Julie Albrecht (Past President)  
Rick Rasby (President)  
TBD (Secretary)

### **INTERNATIONAL AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE**

Martin Massengale  
Dennis Brink

### **SEMINAR COMMITTEE**

Rick Rasby (President)  
TBD (Secretary)

### **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE**

Robert Wright (Coordinator)  
Dann Husmann, Ex Officio\*  
Judith Hofeldt, Ex Officio  
TBD (GSD Secretary)

### **OFFICER NOMINATING COMMITTEE**

(Current Executive Committee)

President: Rick Rasby  
President Elect: Tamra Jackson-Ziems  
Secretary: TBD  
Treasurer: TBD  
Membership Coordinator: Robert Wright  
Historian: Z B Mayo  
Past President: Julie Albrecht

### **SCHOLARSHIP RECOGNITION COMMITTEE**

(Past Presidents)

Robert Wright (Coordinator)  
Julie Albrecht (2014)  
Dann Husmann, Ex Officio

### **GRADUATE AWARD**

Robert Wright\*  
Executive Committee

### **AUDITING COMMITTEE**

Brad Lubben (2012)\*

\* Chairperson





## GAMMA SIGMA DELTA

2012 ANNUAL DUES NOTICE FOR NEBRASKA CHAPTER  
MEMBERSHIP COORDINATOR, 103 ENTO  
INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES  
UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA  
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA 68583-0816

September 14, 2012

**TO:** Gamma Sigma Delta Members  
**FROM:** Robert J. Wright, (402) 472-2123  
**SUBJECT:** Renewal of Active Membership / Dues for 2012

If you have not already done so this year, renew your membership in Gamma Sigma Delta. Please recall that GSD membership is based on the calendar year and runs from January 1 – December 31. We are counting on your continuing support of our honorary society. Please be sure to print off and complete the appropriate form and respond today.

Dues are \$20 per year. Please make your check (\$20 for 2012, or \$20 per year for multiple years) payable to **Gamma Sigma Delta** (please don't mail cash) and send it along with your completed membership form to me at one of the addresses indicated.

If you wish to be placed on the GSD Inactive list, do not send dues but check the appropriate box on the form and return it to me. You can always return to active membership just by sending me your annual dues. Also, if you know of GSD members who have moved to Nebraska, please send me their name(s) and address(es) or have them contact me so they can become active here. We wish to welcome all of you who have recently transferred into our Nebraska Chapter.

Those of you who have **Retired** (refer to list on the next page) or received the Distinguished Service of Agriculture **Award of Merit** (refer to list below) are not required to pay dues and should have previously received a **Permanent** membership card.

Those of you who have paid dues in advance are so noted on the **Prepaid** list. Please check to see if my extension date is correct for your prepaid dues. For those of you who have a campus email address, please use that address to help reduce our postage expenses.

The following members have received our Chapter Distinguished Service to Agriculture **Award of Merit** and are not required to pay dues. Your membership card should indicate **Permanent** and have the space checked for Award of Merit and year of the award.

D.C. Adams, A. Baquet, K.E. Craig, E.C. Dickey, R.D. Earl, R.D. Fritschen, S. Fritz, G.W. Froning, W.W. Furrer, K. Glewen, H.J. Gorz, R.J. Hanson, D.G. Hanway, F.A. Haskins, G.A. Helmers, R.K. Johnson, R.C. Kean, D.L. Keith, R.M. Koch, J.M. Laughlin, R.W. Mandigo, M.A. Massengale, Z B

Mayo, M.R. Morris, L.E. Moser, M. Nielsen, I.T. Omtvedt, R.L. Raun, S.E. Salzman, R.C. Shearman, W.E. Splinter, L.E. Stetson, T.W. Sullivan, M.J. Twiehaus, L.D. Van Vleck, A.K. Vidaver, G.J. Vollmar, R. Wehrbein, J. H. Williams, Jr., J.F. Witkowski.

The following Gamma Sigma Delta members have **Prepaid** their dues through the calendar year listed after their names. If you were an active member in 2011 and your name is not on this list, your membership has expired. The following memberships are prepaid through December 31 of the year indicated:

- D. Aiken – 2013
- R. Bernthal – 2012
- D.W. Boden – 2013
- W. Booker – 2012
- J.C. Brockmann – 2012
- N. Brockmann – 2015
- M.C. Brumm – 2013
- C.A. Burkhart-Kriesel – 2015
- C.R. Calkins – 2012
- T. Carr – 2013
- L. Delserone – 2012
- R.C. French – 2014
- J.E. Gilley – 2014
- D. Grotelueschen – 2012
- F.L. Hamouz – 2014
- P.C. Hay – 2014
- L.D. Isom – 2012
- J.J. Jacobson – 2015
- M.B. Jacobson – 2015
- W.M. Koszewski – 2013
- N.M. Lewis – 2012
- B.D. Lubben – 2012
- D.J. Lyon – 2012
- T. Marston – 2012
- S. Meng – 2012
- K.C. Meyer – 2012
- K.F. Niemann – 2012
- J.S. Nixon – 2012
- J.E. Parker – 2012
- S. Paula-Moraes – 2014
- R.J. Rasby – 2014
- W.R. Raun – 2012
- K.M. Rolfe – 2012
- L. Snell – 2012
- J.E. Specht – 2013
- C.L. Weller – 2012
- R.J. Wright – 2015
- J. Zempleni – 2013

**NOTE: New members inducted in January 2012 are also *Prepaid* through December 31, 2012!!**

The following members have **Retired** and are on our active mailing list and are **Not** required to pay dues. Your current card should indicate **Permanent**. M.E. Baker, A.G. Blezek, L.E. Davis, R.D. Earl, F.E. Eldridge, D.G. Hanway, D. Hay, D.W. Kellogg, D.L. Keith, R.M. Koch, S.K. Lederer, D.G. Levis, L.E. Lucas, Z B Mayo, M.R. Morris, G.A. Newkirk, H.W. Ottoson, L. Schulze, D.E. Stenberg, B.A. Weichenthal, R.G. White, D.R. Wolverton, L.L. Young.

Best regards,

*Robert J Wright*

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Membership Coordinator

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