VISION & VISIONARIES

Past Honorees
2019 Honorees

Stephen Knott
Honorary Alumnus

Patrick S. Donahue
B.A. Business Administration – Marketing, ’78
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Laurie Haack
B.S. Computer Science, M.S. Software Engineering, ’79, ’06
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Honorable Elizabeth G. Macias
B.A. Psychology and Chicano and Chicana Studies, Minor in Spanish, ’95
Distinguished Alumna Award

Scott O’Brien
B.A. Business Administration, ’77
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Joaquin Valdepeñas
B.M. Music Performance, ’78
Distinguished Alumnus Award

2017 Honorees

Walter R. Baranger
B.A. Journalism, ’86
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Anthony Rendon
B.A., M.A. Political Science, ’92, ’94
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Bill Ruh
B.A., M.A. Computer Science, ’83, ’84
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Marilyn C. Brewer
Honorary Alumna Award
2015 Honorees

Lou Correa
B.A. Economics, '80
Distinguished Alumnus Award

James Gutmann
M.A. Business, '90
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Russell Hicks
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Tam Nguyen
M.A. Business, '95
Recent Graduate Achievement Award

Mona Simpson
B.S. Engineering – Mechanical, '77
Distinguished Alumna Award

Carole Wakeman
B.A. American Studies, '89
Distinguished Alumna Award

2016 Honorees

Nicholas Begovich
Lee Begovich
Honorary Alumni Award

Rosalina Davis
B.A. Spanish, '77
Distinguished Alumna Award

Gary Green
B.A. Business Administration, '80
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Enrique (Henry) Martinez
B.S. Engineering, '75
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Tam Nguyen
M.A. Business, '05
Recent Graduate Achievement Award

Mona Simpson
B.S. Engineering – Mechanical, '77
Distinguished Alumna Award

Carole Wakeman
B.A. American Studies, '89
Distinguished Alumna Award
2014 Honorees

Joseph G. Cervantes
Honorary Alumnus Award

Daniel K. Huckabay
B.A. Business Administration - Finance, ’03
Recent Graduate Achievement Award

2012 Honorees

Randall L. Baumberger
Master of Business Administration, ’92
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Caecilia S. Gotama
B.S., M.S. Engineering - Mechanical, ’83, ’86
Distinguished Alumna Award

Tony Ortega
B.A., M.A. English, ’87, ’89
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Raymond L. Thompson
B.A. Theatre Arts, ’77

Dale Raoul
B.A., M.A. Theatre Arts, ’73, ’79
Distinguished Alumna Award

Jeffrey S. Van Harte
B.A. Business Administration - Finance, ’80
Distinguished Alumnus Award

Becky L. Hamilton
B.A. Radio-TV-Film Documentarian, ’76
Recent Graduate Achievement Award

Verne D. Wagner
B.A. Business Administration - Accounting, ’77
Distinguished Alumna Award
2011 Honorees

Paul F. Folino
Honorary Alumni Award

Dr. Ann L. Coil
M.S. Education, '75
Distinguished Alumni Award

Dr. T. Allan Comp
B.A. History, '65
Distinguished Alumni Award

Annette E. Feliciani
B.A. Business Administration – Finance, '80
Distinguished Alumni Award

Ashley C. Force Hood
B.A. Radio-TV-Film, '04
Recent Graduate Achievement Award

Frank G. Robitaille
Honorary Alumni Award

Kurt K. Suzuki
Renee M. Vignery Suzuki
B.S. Child and Adolescent Development, '05
Recent Graduate Achievement Award

2010 Honorees

Victoria L. Vasques
B.S. Human Services, '76
Distinguished Alumni Award

Gary C. Sherwin
B.A. Communications, '84
Distinguished Alumni Award

David J. Siebels
B.A. Music, '75
Distinguished Alumni Award

Ernest W. Schroeder
B.A. Business Administration, '67
Distinguished Alumni Award

Donna L. Schroeder
B.A. Communications, '71
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2009 Honorees

Honorable Dick Ackerman
Honorary Alumni Award

Gregory D. Bunch
B.A. Criminal Justice, ’79
Distinguished Alumni Award

Margaret M. McCarthy
B.A. Political Science, ’84
Distinguished Alumni Award

Eric L. Openshaw *
B.A. Business Administration - Marketing, ’77
Distinguished Alumni Award

Dr. Alan J. Schafer
B.A. Biological Science, ’85
Distinguished Alumni Award

Joan T. Waltman
B.S. Engineering - Electrical, ’85
Distinguished Alumni Award

2008 Honorees

Richard K. Davis
B.A. Economics, ’83
Distinguished Alumni Award

Scott B. Gudes
M.F.A. Public Administration, ’78
Distinguished Alumni Award

Daniel P. Hann
B.A. Economics, ’77
Distinguished Alumni Award

Debra F. Luther
B.A. Business Administration - Accounting, ’80
Distinguished Alumni Award

Rodger C. Talbott
Honorary Alumni Award
2007 Honorees

Allen L. Boerner
Honorary Alumni Award

Lucetta (Lucy) A. Dunn
B.A. Political Science, ‘76
Distinguished Alumni Award

Roger L. Kotch
B.A. Business Administration - Accounting, ‘91
Distinguished Alumni Award

Steven G. Mihaylo
B.A. Business Administration, ’69
Distinguished Alumni Award

Albert C. Wong
B.S. Engineering - Electrical, ’75
Distinguished Alumni Award

2006 Honorees

Marc H. Cherry
B.A. Theatre Arts, ’95
Distinguished Alumni Award

Rachelle Cracchiolo
B.A. Psychology, M.S. Education, ’71, ’76
Distinguished Alumni Award

Dr. Joann E. Schaefer
B.S. Biological Science, ’90
Distinguished Alumni Award

Marc E. Stein
B.A. Communications, ’91
Distinguished Alumni Award

Robert M. Taylor
B.A. Business Administration, M.B.A., ’67, ’73
Distinguished Alumni Award
2005 Honorees

Gregory L. Christy  
B.A. Theatre Arts, ’85  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Dr. Warren R. McKay  
B.A. Biological Science, ’77  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Honorable Jack T. O’Connell  
B.A. History, ’73  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Irasema Salcido  
B.A. Business Administration, ’87  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Dr. Linda J. Spilker  
B.A. Physics, ’77  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Jubilant R. Sykes  
B.M. Music, ’79  
Distinguished Alumni Award

2004 Honorees

Peggy E. Conlon  
B.A. Communications, ’73  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Sue Ellen Cooper  
B.A. English, ’58  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Joseph R. Moderow  
B.A. Economics, ’70  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Christopher G. Schmidt  
B.A. Business Administration, ’81  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Jan Shawe  
M.A. Communications, ’78  
Distinguished Alumni Award
2003 Honorees

Wylie A. Aitken
B.A. Biological Science, ’74
Distinguished Alumni Award

Rodney W. Gilfry
B.A. Music, ’81
Distinguished Alumni Award

Carl N. Karcher
B.A. Communications, ’88
Distinguished Alumni Award

Wayne (Buz) L. Knyal
B.S. Physical Education, ’75
Distinguished Alumni Award

Lawrence P. Mortorff
B.A. Political Science, ’70
Distinguished Alumni Award

Barbara (Bobbi) J. Rice
B.A. Communications, ’82
Distinguished Alumni Award

Michael B. Shermer
M.A. Psychology, ’78
Distinguished Alumni Award

Daniel C. Struve
B.A. Business Administration, ’71
Distinguished Alumni Award

2002 Honorees

Vance R. Ablott
B.A. Biological Science, ’74
Distinguished Alumni Award

Robert V. McDonald
B.S. Physical Education, ’75
Distinguished Alumni Award

Christopher B. Mears
B.A. Theatre Arts, ’77
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Michele G. Ruiz
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Philip R. Schimmel
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2001 Honorees

Tracy E. Caldwell
B.S. Chemistry, ’93
Distinguished Alumni Award

David J. Cline
B.S. Chemistry, ’67
Distinguished Alumni Award

Mark A. Collins
Distinguished Alumni Award

R.J. (Jim) Considine, Jr.
Honorary Alumni Award

David G. Hirz
B.A. Business Administration, ’66
Distinguished Alumni Award

Gerald E. Johnston
B.A. Business Administration, ’71
Distinguished Alumni Award

Peter D. Kelly, III
B.A. Political Science, ’72
Distinguished Alumni Award

2000 Honorees

Dan O. Black
B.A. Physics, ’67
Distinguished Alumni Award

A. Terrance Dickens
B.A. Business Administration, ’67
Distinguished Alumni Award

Honorable Miguel A. Pulido
B.S. Engineering – Mechanical, ’80
Distinguished Alumni Award

Terry P. Rossio
B.A. Communications, ’84
Distinguished Alumni Award

Harold S. Schultz*
B.A. Business Administration, ’69
Distinguished Alumni Award

James D. Woods*
B.A. Business Administration, ’67
Distinguished Alumni Award
1998 Honorees

Joseph E. Brann
B.A. Criminal Justice, '75
Distinguished Alumni Award

Terry M. Giles
B.A. Speech Communication, '70
Distinguished Alumni Award

Robert B. Grant
B.A. Business Administration, '66
Distinguished Alumni Award

Donald S. McNutt
B.A. Business Administration, '76
Distinguished Alumni Award

Warren R. Pompei
B.S. Engineering - Electrical, '87
Distinguished Alumni Award

Leon O. Wood
B.S. Physical Education, '84
Distinguished Alumni Award

1999 Honorees

Julie Greiner
B.A. Business Administration, '75
Distinguished Alumni Award

Peggy M. Hammer
B.A. Speech Communication, M.S. Education - Reading, '96, '70
Distinguished Alumni Award

Jordan A. Law
B.A. Business Administration, '74
Distinguished Alumni Award

Jack Lindquist
Honorary Alumni Award

Honorable Edward R. Royce
B.A. Business Administration, '77
Distinguished Alumni Award

Delbert W. Yocam
B.A. Business Administration, '66
Distinguished Alumni Award

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Steve Charton  
B.A. Business Administration, '71  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Jack L. Kidwiler  
B.A. Business Administration, '74  
Distinguished Alumni Award

William E. Ross  
B.S., M.S. Physical Education, '75, '80  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Ruth Schermitzler*  
Honorary Alumni Award

Vikki D. Vargas  
B.A. Communications, '81  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Tim Wallach  
Distinguished Alumni Award

1996 Honorees

Leonard H. Dreyer  
B.A. Business Administration, '72  
Distinguished Alumni Award

George G. Golleher  
B.A. Sociology, '71  
Distinguished Alumni Award

C. Keith Greer  
B.A. Business Administration, '72  
Distinguished Alumni Award

John A. McLuckey*  
B.A. Business Administration, '77  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Dr. Arnold Miller*  
Honorary Alumni Award

Deborah Voigt  
Distinguished Alumni Award
1995 Honorees

Jeff Bacon  
B.A. Art, '85  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Gareth C.C. Chang  
B.A. Mathematics, '65  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Ronald V. Davis  
B.A. Business Administration, '69  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Susan E. George  
M.A. Counseling, '79  
Distinguished Alumni Award

A. Maurice Myers  
B.A. Business Administration, '64  
Distinguished Alumni Award

John O’Brien  
B.A. Art, M.A. Art - Design, '79, '81  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Leo S. Shapiro  
Honorary Alumni Award

1994 Honorees

H. William Bridgford  
Honorary Alumni Award

Jerry I. Goodwin  
Honorary Alumni Award

Scott A. Montgomery  
B.A. Communications, '73  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Frank P. Stanek  
B.A. Business Administration, '64  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Raul R. Tapia, Esq.  
B.A. Political Science, '72  
Distinguished Alumni Award

Linda C. Woolverton  
M.A. Theatre Arts, '79  
Distinguished Alumni Award

• Deceased

There was no 2013 Vision & Visionaries ceremony.