

Distinguished Career Award Recipients

The Distinguished Career Award is given to an individual based on distinguished and meritorious achievement in career and life. Candidates for this award are alumni/ae of William Penn University or Nebraska Central College.

1978	H. Wayne Vasey	1998	Elaine Lee Bejjani
1980	John H. Ferguson	1999	William Fennelly
1981	Robert W. Rinden	2000	Taylor W. Hayes
1982	Waldo W. Braden	2001	Richard H. Wells
1983	Ivan O. Bull	2002	Gary & Betty (Frazer) J. Harmsen
1984	Wilbur F. Young	2003	Claude E. Kennard
1985	Dr. Eugenio Chang-Rodriguez	2004	James A. Portese
1986	Willard R. Ruby	2005	Tony L. Schrader
1987	Dr. Olin M. Byerly	2006	Edward A. Thomas
1988	David L. Printy	2007	Dr. Steven C. Poe
1989	Eleanor M. Zelliot	2008	Gregory A. Shortell
1990	Steve & Marlene Morrison Pedigo	2009	John 'Jack' Holveck
1991	Melvin R. Kiner	2010	Raphael 'Ray' F. Blue
	Dr. Beverly S. Young	2011	Robert W. Ask
1992	Dr. Bruce E. Cowgill	2012	Dr. Melvin Oliver
	Dr. Dorothy Craven	2013	David Law
1993	Dr. Walden A. Baskerville	2014	Gwen (Millett) Senio
	Ulysses 'Duke' D. Jenkins	2015	Miriam (Khamadi) Were
	Orville 'Joe' J. White	2016	Roger Gross
1994	Ronald J. Randleman	2017	Michael Gates
1995	William C. Kimball	2018	Alfio Tognocchi
	John D. Wagoner	2019	James Lindenmayer
1996	Dr. Ruth Hull Bennett	2021	Richard 'Rick' Dickinson
1997	Dr. Paul W. McCracken	2022	Charles Pierson