

NAIFA-Nebraska Distinguished Service Award

In 1996 the Nebraska State Association of Life Underwriters established the NSALU Distinguished Service Award, now called NAIFA-Nebraska Distinguished Service Award.

This award recognizes an individual member of NAIFA-Nebraska who during the course of their career has made outstanding contributions and given substantial and meritorious service to the institution of Life and Health Insurance.

Nomination Procedure:

- Nominations for this award may be made by any member of NAIFA-Nebraska.
- A selection committee consisting of nine (9) association members from across the State will determine the recipient.
- When an individual is selected to receive this most prestigious award, it will be presented at the NAIFA-Nebraska Annual Business Meeting, Annual LILI Banquet, or some other statewide event as determined by the Board of Directors.
- It is possible that this award may be awarded posthumously.

Selection Committee

The nine (9) member Selection Committee consists of:

1. President-Elect (chairs committee)
2. State Secretary/Treasurer
3. State Immediate Past President
4. Four State Board Directors
5. Two past DSA recipients appointed by the NAIFA-Nebraska President

Past Recipients

- 1997 James Bradford, Norfolk
- 1998 Bruce Hendrickson, Holdrege
- 1999 John Gossin, Lincoln
- 2000 Robert "Spike" Stineman, Omaha
- 2001 Jack Campbell, Lincoln
- 2002 James McGill, Omaha
- 2003 Jim Parker, Scottsbluff
- 2004 Bob Nelson, Omaha
- 2005 Bob Steinberger, Lincoln
- 2006 Dave Sundberg, Lincoln
- 2007 Lewis Zemanek, Scottsbluff
- 2008 Terry Headley, Omaha
- 2009 Tom Hawco, Lincoln
- 2010 Neal Thomas, Lincoln
- 2011 Charmaine Uhrig, Scottsbluff
- 2012 Tom Carlson, Holdrege
- 2013 Mark Jefferson, Omaha
- 2014 James "JJ" Green, Grand Island
- 2015 Dan Yost, Hastings
- 2016 Eugene Beerbohm, Kearney
- 2017 Dan Scholz, Omaha
- 2018 Dennis Hruby, Lincoln
- 2019 Chuck Olson, Omaha
- 2020 Patrick Ramaekers, Omaha