

College Bestows Annual Awards

The College of Business will honor four Iowa State alumni at this fall's Homecoming Awards on October 16. Two will receive

the Citation of Achievement Award, which honors distinguished alumni who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in life beyond the campus. One will receive the John D. DeVries Service Award, recognizing an individual who has demonstrated outstanding service to the college.

This year, the College of Business established the Russ and Ann Gerdin Award, given to valuable corporate partners or successful individuals who are not College of Business graduates. The Gerdins, neither of which attended Iowa State, made a \$10 million lead gift in 1998 that helped build the Gerdin Business Building.

CITATION OF ACHIEVEMENT HONOREES



Donna Johnson Fuller, CPA ('68 Industrial Administration) is the retired chief financial officer at Pacific Gas & Electric Co. in San Francisco, California. She was the only female accounting student in her class at Iowa State, and in 1980 became the first woman ever to be promoted to manager at Pacific. Fuller retired in 1993 and is also a longtime exhibitor, breeder, and judge of pedigreed cats. She has taken home numerous awards and served as a judge of cat shows around the world.

Andrew Hensen ('96 Marketing) and his wife Kari ('96 Sociology, '98 MS Higher Ed, '05 PhD Ed Leadership and Pol Studs) are recipients of the 2009 Outstanding Young Alumni Award, given by the ISU Alumni Association to recognize alumni age 40 and under who have excelled in their professions and provided service to their communities. Hensen is an associate vice president and financial consultant with RBC Wealth Management in Clive, Iowa.



Craig E. Hansen ('80 Industrial Administration) is a senior vice president and treasurer with Holmes Murphy & Associates, an independent risk management and insurance brokerage firm in West Des Moines, Iowa, insuring major construction clients. Hansen works with faculty in the College of Engineering and visits campus annually to speak to freshmen engineering students. He and his wife, Judith Ralston-Hansen ('80 Sociology), are also philanthropic supporters, including a recent estate gift to endow two scholarships.

RUSS AND ANN GERDIN AWARD HONOREE



William A. Goodwin ('59 Industrial Engineering) is president of Cerro Gordo Land Co. in Des Moines, Iowa. He is a longtime member of the Dean's Advisory Council and with his wife, Elizabeth, provided philanthropic support to create two faculty fellowships. Both are impressive commitments for someone who graduated from a different college at Iowa State. Goodwin also earned an MBA from Stanford University in 1965 and spent many years as a U.S. Naval officer.

JOHN D. DEVRIES SERVICE AWARD HONOREE



James Frein ('67 Industrial Administration) is the retired vice chairman of the board of Hutchinson, Shockey, Erley, and Co., a law firm in Vail, Colorado. He is a member of the Dean's Advisory Council, and he and his wife Ann ('66 Mathematics) serve on the College of Business Campaign Iowa State Development Committee. They are also the benefactors of the Harry L. Shadle Endowed Scholarship and the Harry L. Shadle Faculty Development Fund, named for a faculty member who impacted Frein. He also earned an MBA from Loyola University Chicago in 1971. ■