CONGRATULATIONS

Summer 2013 Graduates:
Masters of Arts in Education: Marcus Donner, Kevin Green, Noah Maulsby, Justin Patterson, Tarl VanDusen, Kristin White, Education Specialist: Bobby Kelley

Spring 2013 Graduates:
Masters of Arts in Education: Ade Allen, Kurt Altig, Heath Birkel, Matthew Coufal, Amanda Culek, Christine Fisher, Derek Gangwish, Rochelle Geiger, Josh Graves, Marci Haight, Susan Halsed, Brandon Henkel, Kimbra Herndon, Carolyn Hofferber, Nathan Kleinmeyer, Russ Kupperstein, Craig McCurry, Desiree Teahon, Gwendolyn Wallace, Tobias Young, Education Specialist: Joshua Cumpston, Christopher Prososki, Stephanie Wlaschin

AWARDS:

UNKLES Award – University of Nebraska at Kearney Leaders in Education and Service. Membership in UNKLES, earned by hard work and achieved by invitation, is viewed as an honor to be bestowed annually on deserving nominees at a special College of Education awards convocation, during which honorees will receive plaques suitably inscribed for the occasion.


2013 UNKLES Award: Greg Barnes, Superintendent of Seward Public Schools – MAE in Principalship 7-12 Kearney State College 1993, Ed D University of Nebraska Lincoln 2002

2013 – 2014 Scholarship Recipients:
Carissa Eberhardt, Marcus Donner, Jennifer Lynch, Teri Ruybalid, Drew Rische
## 2013 – 2014 JOB PLACEMENTS

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## CLASS ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Comprehensive Examination**

*Have you registered for written or oral comps?* Contact Holly Peterson (call 308-865-8512 or email petersonha@unk.edu) to get signed up for comps.
Master’s Comps: Sent on Friday, November 1st and need to be returned on November 8th
Specialist’s Comps: November 5th – 7th (will be scheduled individually)

Practicum Class

Omaha Public School Visit:
   Dates: November 10th – 12th
       Sunday, November 10th starting at 5:00 p.m.
       Monday, November 11th all day
       Tuesday, November 12th until 12:00 p.m.

Hotel Information:
   Name: Regency Lodge
       909 S 107th Ave,
       Omaha, NE 68814
       (402) 397-8000
   Rate: $89.00 – Identify yourself as an Educational Administration student to receive the discount.
   Rooms: There are 40 rooms reserved for November 10th- 11th.

Helpful Reminders

Fall 2013 Commencement

Friday, December 20th at 10:00 a.m. at Health and Sports Center

We hope you can make it to Kearney for the ceremony held on Dec 20th at 10:00 a.m. in the Health and Sports Center. Please let us know if you plan to attend 2013 Fall Commencement

If you missed the deadline to apply for graduation in December, please contact Jessica Bishop at bishopjs@unk.edu or (308) 865-8444.

Spring classes: Spring classes will be available in MyBlue on September 23rd. If you want to start planning for spring classes, please go to our website to see what classes are offered which semester. Just click on your program and all the classes are listed including when they are offered. If you have questions about a class from other departments, contact Holly Peterson for more information.

The department webpage: http://www.unk.edu/academics/edad/Educational_Administration/.
Application for Candidacy Form: Once you have completed 12 hours of your program, you need to fill out the candidacy form and send it to Holly Peterson for signatures and processing. Click on ‘Application for Candidacy’ Form on the link below.

Change in Program of Study: To add a class as an elective or to change a class, click on ‘Change in Program of Study’ on the link below.

Graduate Website:  http://www.unk.edu/academics/gradstudies/resources/Student__Faculty_Resources/

Please return these forms to Holly Peterson (email: petersonha@unk.edu, fax: (308) 865-8097, mail: 1615 W 24th, Kearney, NE 68849

Non-degree seeking student: The deadline to be accepted into the program for the spring semester is October 15, 2013. Once everything has been submitted online, the graduate committee will review all the documents and make the decision. You will receive a letter from the graduate office, welcoming you to the graduate program. All transcripts, all recommendations, resume, essay and/or professional biography must be submitted online before the graduate committee can review your application.

According to, The 20 best Online Master of Education Degrees, UNK Online Graduate Programs are ranked 4th in the nation. http://www.thebestschools.org/blog/2013/06/21/20-online-master-education-degree-programs/

Let us know

This is our first newsletter that and our goal is to send out a newsletter every semester. We want to acknowledge our current and former students who have received a new job. We also want to acknowledge any awards you have received from your school or district. This is fun and exciting news that we feel is important to share with all of you. Please let Holly Peterson or one of your professors know any news we can share!

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