CONGRATULATIONS

Fall 2013 Graduates:
Masters of Arts in Education: Stacey Alberts, Long Pine, NE; David Anastasia, Barnwell, SC; Debra Daly, Mullen, NE; Sean Grinch, Shadyside, OH; Derek Lahm, Oakland, NE; Angela Maybee, Nebraska City, NE; Kenzie Mollring Omaha, NE; Thomas O’Connor, Omaha, NE; Sandra Pohl, Kearney NE; Hayley Reikofski, Albion, NE; Lance Smith, Omaha, NE; Education Specialist: Dirk Coon, Geneva, NE; Rodney Ehler, Sidney, NE; Lili High, Orange Park, FL

GRADUATION BREAKFAST

Deb Daly and her family were able to attend our first breakfast gathering before the graduation ceremony.
Spring 2014 Graduates

Friday, May 9th at 10:00 a.m. at Health and Sports Center

You and your family are invited to attend a breakfast reception before graduation to commend your hard work in gaining your master’s degree or education specialist degree. We hope to see you in Kearney to celebrate graduation with you! A personal invitation will come closer to graduation.

Praxis II Examination in Nebraska

Praxis II Examination applies to both Principalship Programs and School Superintendent Program. Students in Curriculum Supervisor of Academic Area Program and Supervisor of Special Education Program are not required to take the Praxis Examinations.

Effective September 1, 2014: All candidates applying for certification will have to provide evidence they have taken the required content test.

Effective September 1, 2015: All candidates applying for certification will have to provide the evidence they have taken the required content test and received a required passing score.

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, April 4th and returned on April 11th
Specialist’s Comps: April 1st – 2nd (will be scheduled individually)

BEGINNING IN FALL 2014:

- Students completing the School Principalship Programs will be given the choice to take the written comps or to pass the Praxis II.
- Students completing the School Superintendent Program will be required to take a practice Praxis II exam online in addition to the oral comps.
2014 Summer / Fall Class Schedules

Summer classes will be available in MyBlue on January 31st and fall classes will be available in MyBlue on February 24th. Early registration for both summer and fall semesters is on April 7th and general registration is April 28th.

If you want to start planning for future semesters, please go to our website to see what classes are offered by semester. If you have questions about a class, contact Holly Peterson (call 308-865-8512 or email petersonha@unk.edu) for more information. http://www.unk.edu/academics/edad/Class_Schedules/

Program Checklist

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 fill out and print the forms before returning these forms to Holly Peterson (email: petersonha@unk.edu, fax: (308) 865-8097, mail: 1615 W 24th, Kearney, NE 68849

Graduation Application: The application for May 9th, 2014 graduation is now open. The application deadline is February 3rd. The application must be completed online via MyBLUE and costs $25. Students must apply for graduation even if they do not plan to attend the ceremony. It is important to apply for graduation either way because this process will post your degree. Your degree will not get posted or become official until the application if received. If you missed the deadline to apply for graduation in May, please contact Jessica Bishop at bishopjs@unk.edu or (308) 865-8444.

Educational Leadership Opportunities

Occasionally we will receive notifications of administrative openings. I will post job announcements on the Educational Administration Webpage. I will also have the information posted in LinkedIn. In LinkedIn, job announcements will be displayed on the University of Nebraska at Kearney group. University of Nebraska at Kearney is a private group for UNK alumni and friends of the University of Nebraska at Kearney. To request membership, click on ‘Join’ and your request will be reviewed by the group manager. Joining this group will allow you to connect with and contact other UNK graduates.

http://www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=106817&trk=my_groups-b-grp-v
Let us know

We want to acknowledge our current and former students who have received a new administrative position. We also want to acknowledge any awards or honors you have received. We think it is important to share this information with all of you. Please let Holly Peterson (call 308-865-8512 or email petersonha@unk.edu) or one of your professors know if you have any news we can share!

Educational Administration Staff

Pat Hoehner, Ken Nelson, Holly Peterson, Dick Meyer, Tom Jacobson

http://www.unk.edu/edad/