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**2021 DAVID STEVENSON FACULTY SENATE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD**

This annual award to a past or current *UNK Faculty Senator* recognizes

exceptional commitment to the

**Honor, Integrity, Importance, and Seriousness of Serving as a UNK Faculty Senator**

**Past Award Recipients**

1999:*Robert Young*, CB&T

*Dale Zikmund*, CB&T

2000: *Ann Young*, CNSS

2001: *Annabell Zikmund*, CFHA

2002: *Kay Hodge*, CB&T

*Roger Davis*, CNSS

2003: *Daryl Kelley*, CNSS

2005: *Rick Miller*, CNSS

2006: *Martha Kruse*, CFAH

2007: *Bill Wozniak,* CNSS

2008: *Scott Darveau*, CNSS

2009: *Larry Theye*, CB&T

2010: *Daren Snider,* CFAH   
2011: Mark Hartman, CFAH  
2012: Aaron Dimock, CFAH  
2013: *Scott Darveau*, CNSS

2014: Stephen Amundson, CB&T

2015: *Jeremy Dillon,* CNSS

2016: *Larry Peterson, CFAH*

2017: *Daryl Kelley*, CNSS

2018: *Dawn Mollenkopf, COE*

*Claude Louishomme, CAS*

2019: *Roger Davis, CAS*

2020: Will Aviles, CAS;   
 Karl Borden, CB&T

2021:   
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Nomination Ballot: 2021 David Stevenson UNK Faculty Senate Distinguished Service Award

Please return/mail ballot to **Faculty Senate Secretary by May 15**

**Date:**

**NOMINEE (Past or Current UNK Faculty Senator):**

Nominated by Outgoing, Continuing or Incoming Faculty Senator:

Seconded by Outgoing, Continuing, or Incoming Faculty Senator:

**Please provide a brief statement below in support of nomination:**

**The David Stevenson Hamster Wheel Award for service to the Faculty Senate**

The Hamster Wheel award was begun by Senator David Clark, following the death of David Stevenson on Jan. 12, 1997. Professor Stevenson was a member of the History Department for 30 years and served as Secretary of the Faculty Senate and chair of the General Studies Committee. He was a spokesperson for the ideals of intellectual discourse, who challenged us to live up to our academic values in a way that demonstrated decency and civility while engaged in rigorous debate. Professor Stevenson was a loyal senate supporter and strong believer in the principle and practice of shared governance which is the core of the Faculty Senate’s mission.

Professor Stevenson wrote a satirical review following each Senate meeting called the “Hamster Wheel,” where he reviewed the meeting, and also lampooned the foibles of the Senate. His self-depreciating sense of humor reminded us to not take ourselves too seriously. The Stevenson “Hamster Wheel” was a welcome and anticipated read across the campus.

In 2012, the name of the award was changed to the David Stevenson Faculty Senate Distinguished Service Award.

In his memory, we present this award to a senator who has demonstrated honor, integrity, and seriousness while serving on the Faculty Senate.