

### **Nomination Form**

The IDEA award recognizes faculty members who have extended their academic expertise beyond the boundaries of the University in ways that have enriched the broader community.

	Name and Full Professional Title	Complete Campus Address (include campus zip code)	Campus Phone
Nominee	Name Title	Address Campus Zip	( )
Nominator	Name Title	Address Campus Zip	( )
Seconder	Name Title	Address Campus Zip	( )

On or before October 20, 2014, the nomination and all materials to be considered must be submitted in a single file on a CD in .pdf format to:

Office of the Chancellor (at one of the following campuses)

UNK:	1000 Founders Hall University of Nebraska at Kearney 68849	UNL:	201 Administration Building University of Nebraska–Lincoln 68588-0419
UNMC:	5001 Wittson Hall University of Nebraska Medical Center 68198-6605	UNO:	201 Eppley Administration Building University of Nebraska at Omaha 68182

This form must be accompanied by: (1) nominating letter, (2) seconding letter, (3) curriculum vitae of nominee, (4) evidence of nominee's most significant accomplishments, (5) consent to contact five leaders from community, business, private, governmental, non-profit, cultural, or educational organizations from outside the University system who have been asked to provide letters in support of the nomination.

Five letters of support from leaders of community, business, private, governmental, non-profit or educational organizations from outside the University of Nebraska system solicited directly by the nominator are necessary to complete the nomination. These letters should be sent to the Chancellor's office by October 20, 2014, at the campus address above. Only reviewer letters that are sent directly to the Committee by the reviewers themselves will be accepted.

Chancellors will forward their selected campus nominations on a CD in .pdf format, along with their letters of endorsement, to the Office of the Provost by November 10, 2014.

# To: Outside Reviewers of Candidates for the University of Nebraska Innovation, Development and Engagement Award (IDEA)

#### From: IDEA Awards Selection Committee

Five letters of support from leaders of community, business, private, governmental, non-profit, cultural, or educational organizations from outside the University of Nebraska system are required for the nomination of a faculty member for the Innovation, Development and Engagement Award. This award has been established to recognize faculty who have extended their academic expertise beyond the boundaries of the University resulting in new developments that have strengthened the region or community economically, culturally, environmentally, or governmentally. Nominations are solicited from the campuses of the University of Nebraska–Lincoln, the University of Nebraska at Omaha, the University of Nebraska Medical Center, and the University of Nebraska at Kearney.

The recipients of the IDEA award are honored annually in the spring and are each awarded \$10,000, a presidential medallion, and a plaque.

Thank you for agreeing to write a letter of support on behalf of one of the professors who has been nominated for this prestigious award. Your letter should be sent to the Chancellor's office as directed below.

When writing your letter of support, keep in mind the following criteria: the awards are given for a sustained record of excellent accomplishments and documented impact in the creation of economic growth or partnerships with businesses, schools, or communities, or initiatives that improve social or cultural understanding, or commercialization of research and technology.

# Please send your letter of support on or before October 20, 2014 to:

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If you have any questions, please contact Angela Dibbert at: (402) 472-5242 • evpp@nebraska.edu