

## **NOMINATION FOR THE ORDER OF THE KNOLL CORPORATION AND FOUNDATION AWARD**

The **ORDER OF THE KNOLL CORPORATION AND FOUNDATION AWARD** is presented on behalf of Iowa State University to a corporation or foundation (or association) that has demonstrated generosity to the university through significant leadership giving, dedicated and long-term service, and assistance to students and faculty through recruitment opportunities and research programs.

**QUALIFICATIONS AND CRITERIA: WHEN NOMINATING AN IOWA STATE DONOR FOR THIS AWARD, PLEASE CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES.**

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

For a corporation or foundation that has/have provided significant philanthropic support, dedicated and long-term service, and creative leadership to Iowa State and the Iowa State University Foundation by:

- Leadership level giving of \$500,000 or more in cumulative gifts or pledges to benefit the university and/or equipment, technology, facilities or other gifts in kind.
- Corporate representation on college advisory committees, boards, etc.
- Offering internships and recruitment opportunities for students, sponsoring faculty research or other similar programs to benefit students and faculty of the university.

### **SELECTION CRITERIA:**

#### **70 PERCENT IS WEIGHTED ON GIVING AND ITS IMPACT**

- What is the nominee's total giving to the university?
- What is the duration of their giving? Has their giving been consistent?
- To what area(s) of campus have gifts been given?

#### **15 PERCENT IS WEIGHTED ON SERVICE TO IOWA STATE**

- List committees, boards, activities that this corporation/foundation has been involved with at Iowa State University.
- What effects has this service had on the university/college/department?

#### **15 PERCENT IS WEIGHTED ON RESEARCH AND RECRUITMENT**

- What has this corporation/foundation done to provide recruitment and research opportunities for students?
- What has this corporation/foundation done to provide research opportunities for faculty?

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

- **All nominations are kept on file and confidential.**
- **Any nominee not chosen will be reconsidered for two years following their original nomination with the consent of their nominator(s).**
- **Nominators are strongly encouraged to update nomination materials annually.**

**NOMINATION FORM:**

**Order of the Knoll Corporation and Foundation Award**

**NOMINEE INFORMATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Business address \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATOR INFORMATION**

Name of nominator \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime phone \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_

Business name/title \_\_\_\_\_

Business address \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of nominator \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please include two or three letters of endorsement/support from people other than the nominator.**

**Please provide two or three examples of the nominee's qualifying traits in the following outline. The entire form must be completed for the nomination to be considered.**

1. What is the nominee's total giving to the university and the duration of their giving? *(The Iowa State University Foundation can assist in providing this information.)* What is the nominee's potential for future giving? *(cash, pledge, planned gifts)*

2. Where have gifts been given?



**IN ADDITION, PLEASE ANSWER IN ONE OR TWO PARAGRAPHS WHY YOUR NOMINEE  
IS WORTHY OF THIS AWARD.**

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**SUBMIT A COMPLETED NOMINATION FORM AND ANY SUPPORTING MATERIALS BY AUGUST 16, 2019, TO:**

Iowa State University Foundation, Attn: Communications, 2505 University Blvd, Ames, IA 50010.

If you have questions, please call Nicole Tupy at 515.294.9387 or [ntupy@foundation.iastate.edu](mailto:ntupy@foundation.iastate.edu).

**PREVIOUS RECIPIENTS AND AWARD YEAR:**

1993 Digital Equipment	2007 Caterpillar, Inc.
1994 Silicon Graphics	2008 3M
1995 Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc.	2009 Wells Fargo & Co.
1996 Lied Foundation Trust, Christina Hixson, Trustee	2010 Iowa Egg Council
1997 Roy J. Carver Charitable Trust	2011 Iowa Farm Bureau Federation
1998 W.K. Kellogg Foundation	2012 Roy J. Carver Charitable Trust
1999 Deere & Company	2013 The Meredith Corporation Foundation
2000 Maytag Corporation Foundation	2014 Iowa Pork Producers Association
2001 Cargill, Inc.	2015 The Boeing Company
2002 W.M. Keck Foundation	2016 Union Pacific Corporation
2004 Square D Company	2017 Danfoss Power Solutions
2005 UGS-PLM	2018 Rockwell Collins
2006 Monsanto	2019 Kent Corporation