

THE HORIZON AWARD



The Horizon Award, presented on a biennial basis, honors and recognizes a person or persons for their early professional accomplishments. This award is based on a significant record of career achievement and a promise for future professional success.

GUIDELINES & RESTRICTIONS

- + Have a bachelor's, master's or doctoral degree from the University of Kentucky Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment, including the former College of Home Economics and the former College of Human Environmental Sciences
- + Age 40 years or younger at the time of nomination OR within 10 years of graduation for non-traditional students
- + Have made a significant contribution to one's profession, society and/or community
- + Not hold a political office at the time of nomination
- + Cannot be a current employee of the University of Kentucky
- + Cannot be currently serving on the UK Martin-Gatton CAFE Alumni Association Board

HALL OF DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI



The Hall of Distinguished Alumni, awarded on a biennial basis, honors and recognizes extraordinary alumni who have contributed substantially to their chosen fields, their communities and society. This award is the highest honor the college will bestow.

GUIDELINES & RESTRICTIONS

- + Have a bachelor's, master's or doctoral degree from the University of Kentucky Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment, including the former College of Home Economics and the former College of Human Environmental Sciences
- + Have completed their degree at least 10 years prior to the nomination deadline.
- + Have made a significant contribution to their profession, society and/or community
- + Have a record of outstanding accomplishments
- + Have shown evidence of strong support for their fields in the Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment
- + Not hold political office at the time of nomination
- + Cannot be a current employee of the University of Kentucky
- + Cannot be currently serving on the UK Martin-Gatton CAFE Alumni Association Board

THE MARTIN-GATTON CAFE FRIEND AWARD



The Martin-Gatton CAFE Friend Award, presented on a biennial basis, honors and recognizes a person(s) or entity who have demonstrated a strong commitment and provided extraordinary service to the University of Kentucky Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment.

GUIDELINES & RESTRICTIONS

- + Have sustained significant contribution to the UK Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment
- + Cannot be a current employee of the college
- + Cannot be currently serving on the UK Martin-Gatton CAFE Alumni Association Board

THE PAUL APPEL ALUMNI SERVICE AWARD



The Paul Appel Alumni Service Award, presented on a biennial basis, honors and recognizes a person(s) or entity who have provided extraordinary service to the University of Kentucky Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment Alumni Association. The honoree(s) can be an alum or non-alum of the college.

Paul Appel was instrumental in starting alumni activities for the Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment. Appel was tasked by Dean Charles Barhart in 1973 to update the alumni database and get alums back to campus one day a year. Appel implemented the annual Roundup event held on campus each fall and started 15 geographical alumni chapters across the state. He is praised for his foresight of the need for alumni relations work on the college level. Much of Appel's alumni efforts are still in effect today.

GUIDELINES & RESTRICTIONS

- + Have a sustained record of outstanding service to the University of Kentucky Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment Alumni Association
- + Cannot be a current employee of the college
- + Cannot be currently serving on the UK Martin-Gatton CAFE Alumni Association Board.