

Veterinary Medical Alumni Association at Iowa State University

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We would like to take a moment to share what the VMAA at Iowa State University stands for and the important work we do. As a non-profit organization, we're run primarily by ISU College of Veterinary Medicine graduates who volunteer their time to give back. Your membership dues play a vital role in making a range of services and programs possible for alumni and current students. Thanks to your support, we're able to sponsor the prestigious Stange Alumni Award, the Outstanding Mentor and Service Awards. We also financially support 'The Gentle Doctor' magazine, sponsor events like the ISU Homecoming luncheon and IVMA Fall Conference Friday luncheon and help organize alumni reunions. Beyond these initiatives, we're passionate about investing in our students. We offer three scholarships alongside two senior awards to deserving students. We support the White Coat Ceremony and provide sophomore sweatshirts, fund the Student Travel Fund and created the Student Outreach Bureau. We are here to ensure our students feel connected and supported throughout their journey.

Outstanding Service Award and Outstanding Mentor Award Recipients

Dr. Roger Hogle is being recognized for his outstanding service to the Veterinary Medical Alumni Association (VMAA) at Iowa State University (ISU). After graduating in 1958, he dedicated five years to veterinary practice before returning to ISU as an instructor, eventually becoming the Associate Dean of Academic Affairs. Dr. Hogle has been instrumental in organizing reunions for his class, which has met every five years since graduation, most recently celebrating their 65th reunion in 2023. His commitment to fostering connections among classmates reflects his deep ties to both the veterinary community and ISU. His legacy of service continues to inspire others.



Dr. Tracy Lindquist was nominated for the 2024 Outstanding Mentor Award by Dr. Aubrey Cordray for her exceptional



dedication to mentorship at Humboldt Veterinary Clinic since 2018. She has notably mentored Dr. Kaity Wesley, a 2024 ISU graduate, creating a comprehensive mentorship program. Known for her personalized approach, Dr. Lindquist effectively identifies the strengths and areas for growth of her colleagues and students, fostering confidence and competence among her mentees. Her unwavering support and investment in the growth of others make her a deserving candidate for this award, reflecting her profound impact on the veterinary community and the next generation of veterinarians.

None of these awards, programs, and initiatives can happen without **our members**. We ask that you encourage your friends and colleagues to join us if they are not a part of the VMAA at ISU. We also ask that if you own or manage a veterinary clinic, you sponsor your staff members to be part of the VMAA at ISU. Your contributions truly make a difference, and **together**, we're building a stronger veterinary community. Thank you for your continued support!

Here are the reunion groups for 2025. Please let us know if you are a coordinator or if you would like us to assist with getting your classmates to the ISU Homecoming weekend. We'll roll out the red carpet!

70th Reunion- Class of 1955 65th Reunion-Class of 1960 60th Reunion- Class of 1965 55th Reunion - Class of 1970 50th Reunion- Class of 1965 45th Reunion- Class of 1980 40th Reunion- Class of 1985 35th Reunion - Class of 1990 25th Reunion- Class of 2000 15th Reunion- Class of 2010 10th Reunion - Class of 2015 5th Reunion - Class of 2020