



University of  
Northern Colorado

# Honored Alumni Awards Banquet

October 20, 1979



# Program

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Invocation

Dinner

Presentation of Awards

- Columbine Award
- Distinguished Alumnus Award
- Emeritus Community Service Award
- International Alumna Award
- Outstanding Alumnus-Field of Education Award
- Past President Award
- Trail Blazer Award

Presented by the UNC Alumni Association

Columbine Award

## Andra Schmidt Bookman



Wisdom, devotion, and leadership on many levels characterize the 1979 Columbine Award winner.

Andra Schmidt Bookman persisted in the attainment of a bachelor of arts degree at UNC from 1957-70. Fund raising, Cub Scouts, school affairs and governmental studies began her public career. The first female ever named to the State Highway Commission, she has been chairman for the past two years. She is also the first woman board member of the Greeley National Bank, and writes a weekly column for the *Town and Country* newspaper.

An achiever and contributor, a woman in ascension, Andra Schmidt Bookman utilizes her education and talents to serve home, community, and state.

Distinguished Alumnus Award

## J. Gilbert Hause



Perception, perfection, perseverance -- an alliteration expressing some essentials about the 1979 Distinguished Alumnus.

From 1955-77, prior to accepting the presidency of Black Hills State College, Dr. J. Gilbert Hause served this University as an administrator in admissions, administrative services, academic services, and public affairs; assistant to the President; Pakistan Project chief-of-party, and secretary to the Board of Trustees. Also a leader in the Greeley City Council, Kiwanis Club, Independence Stampede, Colorado Municipal League, and Catholic Community Services, he has been a friend on many levels to his community, university and Alumni Association. Dr. Hause received his B.A. and M.A. in 1951 and 1952 from UNC.

With deep personal pride and appreciation, the Distinguished Alumnus Award is made to Gil Hause.

Emeritus Community  
Service Award

# Martin Candelaria



A catalyst, a mover, a doer...above all, a teacher who ever offers students and colleagues wise counsel and friendship.

Martin Candelaria joined the UNC faculty in 1948, and retired in 1963. With a rich background as teacher and coach in New Mexico, Colorado, and Wyoming, and three degrees, Dr. Candelaria also brought his dream of equality in education. Sharing his dream, he was instrumental in making it a reality at UNC.

In 1974, Candelaria Hall on Holmes Campus was given his name, and in 1976, the CEA honored him and wife Fay for "Outstanding Service in Human Relations." His beloved presence has been felt in community and state, and emeritus status has only meant new channels for service.

International Alumna Award

## Poonsang Sutabutra



Those who know her agree that she is a most gracious and beautiful lady. Those who enthusiastically proposed her for this honor agree she is most deserving.

Poonsang Sutabutra, earned a bachelor of arts degree at Chulalongkorn University, and a master's degree at UNC in 1965. She returned to her native Thailand to serve both nations as a cultural counselor to high school and college students who wish to study in America.

Her dedicated service with the International Communications Agency, formerly the United States Information Service, has proven Mrs. Sutabutra to be a credit to this University, this country, to Thailand, and to the world.

Outstanding Alumnus-Field Of  
Education Award

## John Udell Michaelis



From teacher, principal, superintendent, and professor, to consultant, advisor, and international authority on education, he has earned recognition in each endeavor.

John Udell Michaelis earned a UNC bachelor of arts degree in 1936, and for more than forty years has prepared teachers to teach. On all levels, and in many subject areas, Dr. Michaelis has advised schools, educators, and governments around the world. He has written dozens of articles, books, and instructional materials which deal with and circulate to every corner of the globe.

It is with pride that the Alumni honor a man at a pinnacle of professional achievement, one who began his outstanding career in education at this institution.



Past President Award

## J. C. Tim Scates



Loyalty, leadership and service have been bywords for the recipient of this year's Past President Award.

J.C. Tim Scates joined the Association when he received a UNC bachelor's degree in 1966, and became a director in 1974. He has served as an officer since 1976, and chaired the committee for legislative relations. Attorney, principal and co-founder of a Denver law firm, Tim is also vice president, director and general counsel for a firm of professional and management services to business and professional organizations.

The UNC Alumni Association is proud that its 1978-79 president also received an "Outstanding Young Man of America" Award in 1979.

Trail Blazer Award

## Glenna Shacklett Dannels



By her own definition, this year's Trail Blazer is an artist, teacher, substitute parent, banker, and friend.

For the past ten years, Glenna Shacklett Dannels has built and directed her dream, the Rocky Mountain Spectrum. A gallery, studio, and school in Estes Park, it is dedicated to education for all -- artists, salespersons, customers, teachers, and the community. Glenna Dannels, a 1947 graduate with a B.A. in Fine Arts, has created a unique educational environment in which artists live and work, teach customers and visitors about art, and gain and give inspiration and encouragement.

The Association salutes Mrs. Dannels for her foresight, humanitarianism, patronage of the arts and the young, and loyalty to this University.



