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## HISTORY OF NORTH DAKOTA DECA

# High School & Post Secondary Divisions

### HISTORY OF DECA IN NORTH DAKOTA

As the Distributive Education Program developed, the professional members directly involved in the activities of the student of DE felt that additional curricular activity was needed to supplement the program itself. Students in Distributive Education did not have the opportunity to develop their potential in other extra-curricular or co-curricular activities within the school district because they attended school in the morning and were released from school early to go to work. For the purposes of developing a respect for education in marketing and distribution and of promoting leadership and understanding of the responsibilities of citizenship in this country, the teacher-coordinators in North Dakota organized, in 1953, at Valley City High School on April 10th to form the North Dakota Association of DECA.

Seven high schools were represented from the following cities:

Enderlin Garrison
Jamestown Kenmare
Minot Valley City

Wahpeton

It was voluntary to have clubs and two of the larger cities did not have clubs. A state charter was received at the eighth Annual National Convention of DECA in San Antonio, Texas, April 25-28, 1954.

The first Annual North Dakota DECA Convention was held at Minot High School, October 9, 1953. Not all clubs were represented at Minot. The following officers were elected at the Valley City and Minot conventions:

Office April 10, 1953 - Valley City October 9, 1953 - Minot

President Duane Lokken, Enderlin Juanita Brown, Devils Lake Vice President Rose Mary Busch, Minot Alma Norquist, Garrison Helen Gissel, Kenmare Betty Ann Carns, Williston Secretary Gordon Lee, Valley City Charles Scheetz, Enderlin Treasurer Parliamentarian Ardyth Evenson, Minot John Bald, Wahpeton Joyce Sweet, Lisbon Historian Jackie Brannan, Jamestown Board of Gov. Donald Steiner, Wahpeton Leroy Erickson, Wahpeton

Hager served a three-year term on the National Board of Directors.

Advisors for the local clubs and the state organization attending the conventions at Valley City and Minot were:

City Valley City Convention Minot Convention

Devils Lake Dave Mair

Enderlin Dave Mair Rentze Nicolary Garrison Emeroy Swanson Harland Samson

Jamestown Mabel Hartje

Kenmare Donald Aase

Langdon

Lisbon Donald Aase
Minot Ron Davy Ron Davy

Lyle Brenna

Valley City Al Larvick

Wahpeton Beulah Bute Beulah Bute
Williston Gerald Ziebeck

Distributive Education was changed to Marketing and Distributive Education and was changed to Marketing Education in 1984.

Arlie Burgess

#### History of State DECA Advisor for North Dakota 1938-1941 Miss Edith Jane Veitch 1941-1943 Mr. Oswald M. Hager 1943-1947 Mr. Torre Allegrezza 1947-1967 Mr. Oswald M. Hager 1967-1970 Mr. Ronald Davy 1970-1971 no state advisor Mr. Leonard Pokladnik 1971-1997 1997-2024 Mr. Kevin Reisenauer 2024-present Mr. Dustin Norby

#### History of State Supervisor for North Dakota Marketing Education

1938-1941	Miss Edith Jane Veitch
1941-1943	Mr. Oswald M. Hager
1943-1947	Mr. Torre Allegrezza
1947-1967	Mr. Oswald M. Hager
1967-1970	Mr. Ronald Davy
1970-1971	no state supervisor
1971-1997	Mr. Leonard Pokladnik
1997-1999	Mr. Leonard Pokladnik, contracted
1999-2000	Mr. Darren Bollinger
2001-2024	Mr. Kevin Reisenauer
2024-present	Mr. Dustin Norby

#### **PURPOSES AND OBJECTIVES**

The purpose of DECA is to develop respect for education which will contribute to occupational competence, and to promote understanding and appreciation for the responsibilities of citizenship in our free, competitive enterprise system.

- 1. Assisting state associations in their growth and development of DECA.
- 2. Providing awards and recognition for youths who demonstrate outstanding qualities in marketing, merchandising and management skills.
- 3. Encouraging students to participate in an organized school activity (DECA) thus giving them an opportunity to develop responsibilities of leadership and citizenship.
- 4. Giving members a chance to learn and serve as both leaders and followers, and to offer the opportunity for state and national recognition that they might not have otherwise.
- 5. Maintaining DECA activities as school-centered, thus contributing to the school's purpose of preparing well-adjusted, employable citizens.
- 6. Working with business interests to upgrade student employment with interested firms.

#### What is DECA?

DECA identifies the Program of Youth Activity relating to Marketing Education. It is designed to develop future leaders for Marketing Education. The organization is non-profit, non-political, school centered and totally youth oriented. All chapters are self-supporting, with members paying local, state, and national dues. It is the only national youth organization operating in the nation's schools to attract young people to careers in marketing education.

Marketing Education was first organized in 1937, but it was not until 1948 that various DECA Chapters joined together and adopted the official name of Distributive Education Clubs of America. At that time, there were 17 charter states with a total membership of 793. From this beginning, DECA has grown to over 125,000 members annually in 4,000 school chapters.

Marketing Education prepares our high school and college students for rewarding careers in marketing, management, and entrepreneurship. DECA enhances that education ... by providing marketing related activities and leadership development based directly on classroom study. DECA's activities focus on competition, on the local, state and national level, in specific occupational skills, leadership development and management training.

The objective of both marketing education and DECA is to teach marketing and management skills in such diversified career areas as food marketing, hotel management, restaurant marketing and management, department and specialty store retailing, industrial and international marketing, finance and credit, advertising, insurance, wholesaling, and entrepreneurship. The curriculum is tailored to specific career goals of students but includes basic scholastic and communication skills human relations and employability skills.

Students are taught the fundamentals of marketing and management as well as the principles of economics and free enterprise through classroom instruction, on the job training, and DECA activities.

In every state, four territories, the District of Columbia and Canada, DECA offers students the opportunity to excel and to be recognized for their achievements in marketing education.

DECA's student divisions - High School, and Delta Epsilon Chi at the college level - are student organizations specifically crated to provide teaching / learning experiences to be used both in and out of the classroom. DECA is not extracurricular. Recognized by the state boards of education and by federal legislation, DECA is an integral part of the marketing education instructional program.

DECA is one of the best examples of the business community working cooperatively to create a well-trained, educated work force from which business can draw future managers and marketing personnel. It is a relationship of mutual benefit.

Marketing Education exists because business demands that it exist. As global economic competition intensifies, a growing emphasis will be placed on education - particularly management and marketing education.

History has proven that a nation prospers in direct proportion to the educational level of its workers, managers and leaders. America is in a struggle for world economic and political leadership. Marketing education and DECA are effective weapons for this struggle.

For over forty years, since 1947, business leaders and DECA have worked hand in hand to educate a quality labor pool of marketing and management specialists. Thousands of local businesses and over sixty major United States Corporations recognize DECA as a vital link between the classroom and the business world ... a bridge between school and productive employment.

#### UPDATES 2011

**MISSION STATEMENT:** DECA prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs in marketing, finance, hospitality and management.

#### **GUIDING PRINCIPLES:**

DECA's Comprehensive Learning Program

- INTEGRATES INTO CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION: An integral component of classroom instruction, DECA activities provide authentic, experiential learning methods to prepare members for college and careers.
- APPLIES LEARNING: DECA members put their knowledge into action through rigorous project-based activities that require creative solutions with practical outcomes.
- CONNECTS TO BUSINESS: Partnerships with businesses at local and broader levels provide DECA members realistic insight into industry and promote meaningful, relevant learning.
- PROMOTES COMPETITION: As in the global economy, a spark of competition drives DECA members to excel and improve their performance

DECA Prepares the next generation to be

- ACADEMICAALY PREPARED: DECA members are ambitious, high- achieving leaders equipped to conquer the challenges of their aspirations.
- COMMUNITY ORIENTED: Recognizing the benefit of service and responsibility to the community, DECA members continually impact and improve their local and broader communities.
- PROFESSIONALLY RESPONSIBLE: DECA members are poised professionals with ethics, integrity and high standards.
- EXPERIENCED LEADERS: DECA members are empowered through experience to provide effective leadership through goal setting, consensus building and project implementation.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

The NEW DIMENSIONS has been published for and about DECA members since it replaced the DECA Distributor, which started in 1947. It is intended to inform the membership trends and activity in Marketing and Distributive Education and provides a vehicle for member ideas in different areas of activity. Newsletters and other publications are circulated to all chapters. The newsletter is primarily concerned with news, which affects the chapters on a state or national level. One key publication, which is a must for all progressive chapters and individuals in the DECA Handbook. It clarifies the educational advantages of DECA chapter activity, suggests procedures for local chapter improvement and development, and aids the DECA chapter function in supplementing Marketing Education Programs.

#### ADVANTAGES TO MEMBERSHIP

Several advantages of student membership in DECA are:

- affiliation with students who have common job and career interests
- encouragement of individual and group initiative and effort on a competitive level
- a local chapter in which a member can learn, compete, and be eligible for state and national recognition
- stature in a job training station from an employer who recognizes, supports, and respects Marketing Education
- automatic subscription of the official DECA publication, published four times a year, and other items in the membership package
- informed about marketing and distribution, chapter news, and other special interest articles as they pertain to the membership
- scholarship awards programs which assist and encourages members to further their education
- membership in an organization which encourages civic responsibility and social awareness through professional conferences, chapter activities, school improvement projects, and support for the community activities
- many other membership features

#### **GOVERNING BODIES AND SUPPORTING ORGANIZATIONS**

- Any student enrolled in a Marketing Education instructional program is eligible for membership in local, state, and national DECA.
- DECA, Inc. is the adult governing body and legal controlling agency of DECA; composed of representatives of Marketing Education in all State Associations chartered by DECA.
- DECA Foundation is created to assist and encourage DECA members to continue career study in marketing and distribution. The DECA Foundation is governed by the Board of Directors.
- Board of Directors is composed of 13 members (10 of whom are from DECA, Inc., plus three appointed members) elected to set policy for National DECA and the DECA Foundation.
- National Advisory Board consists of organizations contributing financial support to DECA. Representatives serve in an advisory capacity to the Board of Directors.
- Program Council Members are appointed by the Board of Directors to research and present recommendations for competitive
  events.
- Diamond Club has a membership which is open to individuals or firms and available only through a State Association. This
  Club provides funds for the Program of Youth Activity in the area of Awards and Recognition, Leadership Conferences,
  Program Development, Leadership Training, Public Information, and Scholarships.
- The alumni division of DECA is a program that provides former DECA members an opportunity to continue association with DECA after graduation.
- Scholarship Awards are available to deserving members of DECA. They are intended to help members towards continuing their preparation for business or teaching careers in Marketing Education. They range in value depending upon the recipient's needs.

• The Oswald M. Hager Leadership Award is a financial award available to any DECA member who shows evidence of leadership ability and intends to complete a program of study at the University of North Dakota in Marketing Education.

#### **HISTORY OF RECOGNITION**

North Dakota N	<u> Members who served as National Officers</u>
1958-1959	Norma Gjerde, Vice President of the Central Region (HS)
	Minot High School
1965-1966	Michelle Lanzmeier, Vice President of the Central Region (HS)
	Wahpeton High School
1965-1966	Donald Taylor, Vice President of the Central Region (PS)
	Lake Region Junior College, Devils Lake
1967-1968	Wayne Boekes, Vice President (PS)
	University of North Dakota, Williston Center
1988-1989	Greg Anderson, Central Region Representative (Collegiate)
	University of North Dakota, Grand Forks
1990-1991	Heather Funke, National President (HS)
	Minot High School
1992-1993	Jackie Marquart, National President (PS)
	UND Lake Region, Devils Lake
1996-1997	Heather Funke, National Chair Alumni Division
	Minot High School
1998-1999	Sandy Longie, Central Region Vice President, Delta Epsilon Chi Division
	UND Lake Region, Devils Lake
2002-2003	Jim Carlisle, Central Region Vice President, Delta Epsilon Chi Division
	University of North Dakota, Grand Forks
2007-2008	Stephanie Sandstrom, National President, Delta Epsilon Chi Division
	University of Mary, Bismarck
2012-2013	Morgan Thompson, National President, DECA (HS)
	Fargo North High School
2022-2023	Ross Motter, Vice President of the Central Region, DECA HS

Jamestown High School

#### **National DECA Inc. Board of Directors**

National DECA	The Board of Directors
1960-1961	Ozwald M. Hager, State Supervisor
1961-1962	Ozwald M. Hager, <i>Treasurer</i> , State Supervisor
1962-1963	Ozwald M. Hager, <i>Treasurer</i> , State Supervisor
1976-1977	Dr. James Strate, UND North Dakota
1979-1980	Leonard Pokladnik, State DECA Advisor
1980-1981	Leonard Pokladnik, Vice President, State DECA Advisor
1981-1982	Leonard Pokladnik, State DECA Advisor
1998-1999	Kevin Reisenauer, Minot High School, State DECA Advisor
1999-2000	Kevin Reisenauer, Treasurer, Minot High School, State DECA Advisor
2000-2001	Kevin Reisenauer, Secretary, Minot High School, State DECA Advisor
2001-2002	Kevin Reisenauer, State DECA Advisor
2002-2003	Kevin Reisenauer, President Elect, State DECA Advisor
2003-2004	Kevin Reisenauer, President, State DECA Advisor
2004-2005	Kevin Reisenauer, State DECA Advisor
2005-2006	Kevin Reisenauer, President Elect, State DECA Advisor
2006-2007	Kevin Reisenauer, President, State DECA Advisor
2008-2009	Kevin Reisenauer, Board Member, Secretary, State DECA Advisor
2009-2010	Kevin Reisenauer, Board Member, Secretary, State DECA Advisor
2010-2011	Kevin Reisenauer, Board Member
2010-2014	Wayne Kutzer, Board Member, Representing State Directors
2014-2017	Wayne Kutzer, Board Member, Representing State Directors
2014-2015	Kevin Reisenauer, Board Member
2015-2016	Kevin Reisenauer, Board Member, Chair Elect, State DECA Advisor
2016-2017	Kevin Reisenauer, Board Member, Chair, State DECA Advisor

#### **National Officer Advisory Council**

1999-2000	Kevin Reisenauer, Board Liaison
2000-2001	Kevin Reisenauer, Board Liaison
2008-2009	Kevin Reisenauer, Board Liaison

#### National Program Advisory Council Members

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1987-1988	Renee Wonsor, Post Secondary Council (NDSU Bottineau)		
1988-1989	Renee Wonsor, Post Secondary Council Chair (NDSU Bottineau)		
1996-1997	Kevin Reisenauer, Secondary Council (Minot High School)		
1997-1998	Kevin Reisenauer, Secondary Council (Minot High School)		
	National Council Chairperson		
1998-1999	Kevin Reisenauer, Post Secondary Council (Board of Directors Liaison)		
2001-2002	Kevin Reisenauer, Post Secondary Council (Board of Directors Liaison)		
2002-2003	Kevin Reisenauer, Post Secondary Council (Board of Directors Liaison)		
2004-2005	Sara Smith, Secondary Council (Fargo South High School)		
2004-2005	Donna Gutschmidt, Post Secondary Council (Lake Region State College)		
2004-2005	Kevin Reisenauer, Post Secondary Council (Board of Directors Liaison)		
2005-2006	Donna Gutschmidt, Post Secondary Council CHAIR (Lake Region State College)		
2005-2006	Sara Smith, Secondary Council CHAIR (Fargo South High School)		
2009-2010	Karel Sovak, Post Secondary Council (University of Mary)		
2010-2011	Karel Sovak, Post Secondary Council (University of Mary)		
2014-2015	Kevin Reisenauer, Collegiate Council (Board of Directors Liaison)		
2014-2015	Rob Johnston, Collegiate Council (Mayville State University)		
2015-2016	Rob Johnston, Collegiate Council, Chair (Mayville State University)		
2016-2017	Kevin Reisenauer, Competitive Events Task Force (Board Liaison)		
2018-2019	Kevin Reisenauer, Collegiate Council		

#### **Honorary Life Membership Awards**

- 1964 Oswald M. Hager
- 1965 L. T. Havig
- 1966 Dr. Thomas Clifford
- 1969 none
- 1970 Governor William Guy
- 1971 Oswald M. Hager
- 1972 Ronald Davy
- 1973 Audrey Solheim
- 1974 Carrol Burchinal and Dr. Thomas Clifford
- 1975 Larry Selland, Reuben Guenther, Harriet Schurr
- 1976 Jack Gableman
- 1977 Don Lange, Jim Floyd, John Peterson, Claire Rowe, Bruce Brorson
- 1978 none
- 1979 Dr. James Navara, George Kipp, Linda Putz, Norbert Mayer
- 1980 Dr. Donald Kohns, William Pallasch, Dr. Dorothy Grovum, Ardith Kundert
- 1981 Jerald Lydeen, Jim Stai, Governor Allen Olson
- 1982 Mabel Hartje, Dick Dupre, Fran Fischer
- 1983 Dr. Vern Bennett, Dr. Wayne Boekes, David Tehle, Dennis Warcup
- 1984 Lois Carter, Lyle Sorum, Ralph Jose
- 1985 Dan Rood, Carl Haas, Dave Olson, Ernie Breznay
- 1986 Les Tweten, Del Bjork
- 1987 Gene Sayler, Viola Moltzen
- 1988 Tim Zastoupil, Mike Gallagher
- 1989 Dr. Wayne Sanstead
- 1990 Addie Lea
- 1991 Larry Roller, John Von Ruedon
- 1992 Karol Williams
- 1993 Dean Hermanson, Jackie Marquart
- 1994 Gwen Eltz, Orris Gulson, J. W. Smith
- 1995 Roger Larson, Leonard Pokladnik, Mike Drew
- 1996 Peter Zimmerman
- 1997 Robert Knutson

- 1998 Dayle Dietz
- 1999 Governor Edward Schafer
- 2000 Shelly Adams
- 2001 Bill Pallash, Todd Goschen
- 2002 Mike Johnson, Arnie Stebleton
- 2003 Margaret McNickle, LaDonna Elhardt
- 2004 Dr. Richard Warner, Wayne Kutzer
- 2005 Bernie Schaffer
- 2006 Ashley Halvorson, Debbie Harris
- 2007 Bruce Harmon
- 2008 Kathi Schwan, Deb Mathern
- 2009 Pam Stroklund
- 2010 Lora Soderholm, Howard Webb
- 2011 Dr. Donna Gutschmidt
- 2012 Stephanie Sandstrom
- 2013 None
- 2014 Justin Welk
- 2015 Dwight Crabtree
- 2016 Larry Rehn
- 2017 None
- 2018 Keith Ronkowski
- 2019 KimBerly Clark
- 2020 Mark Wagner
- 2021 Dr. Amber Aberle
- 2022 Dr. Denise Jonas
- 2023 Craig Erickson
- 2024 Ashley Campion
- 2025 Brian Heger

#### North Dakota Young Educator Award

- 1975 Bruce Harmon, Fargo South High School
- 1976 Terry Burke, Bismarck Century High School
- 1977 Jim Delaney
- 1978 Lloyd Olson
- 1979 Keith Ronkowski, Grand Forks Red River High School
- 1980 Steve Anderson, West Fargo High School
- 1981 Terry Schneider, Richland County Vocational Center, Wahpeton
- 1982 Dan Rood, Valley City Vocational Center, Valley City
- 1983 Joel Lindquist
- 1984 Renee Wonsor, NDSU Bottineau
- 1985 Kevin Reisenauer, Minot High School
- 1986 Neil Litton, Central Cass High School, Casselton
- 1987 Jay Kasdan, North Valley Vocational Center, Grafton
- 1988 Donna Fricke, Bismarck Century High School
- 1989 Kim (Kuznia) Clark, North Valley Vocational Center, Grafton
- 1990 Vicky Jackson, Valley City Vocational Center, Valley City
- 1991 Doug Darling, UND Lake Region, Devils Lake
- 1992 Greg Anderson, Southeast Vocational Center, Oakes
- 1993 Curt Nolander, NDSU Bottineau
- MD Isley, North Dakota State College of Science, Wahpeton
- 1995 Troy Olson, Bismarck Century High School
- 1996 Peter Young, Minot State University at Bottineau
- 1997 Duane Pederson, North Dakota State College of Science, Wahpeton
- 1998 Sara Steinkopf, Richland County Vocational Center, Wahpeton
- 1999 Darren Bollinger, MSU-Bottineau
- 2000 Donna Gutschmidt, LRSC, Devils Lake
- 2001 None
- 2002 Valerie Heilman, MSU Bottineau
- 2003 Deb Decker, SE Vocational Center, Oakes
- 2004-2005 None

2006 Michelle Boyeff, Minot High School

2007 Amber Aberle, Mandan High School

2008 Melissa Johnson, North Valley Career and Technology Center, Grafton

2009 Tracy Becker, James Valley Career and Technology Center, Grafton

2010-2012 None

2013 Leonard Kjelland, SE Career and Technology Center, Oakes

2014-2017 None

2018 Morgan Schwartzenberger, Napoleon High School

2019-2020 None

2021 Lisa Hoffman, Central Cass

2022-2024 None

#### <u>High School - DECA - History Member Recognition</u>

#### **High School State Presidents**

1952-1953	Duane Lokken, Enderlin High School
1953-1954	Juanita Brown, Devils Lake High School
1954-1955	Robert Power, Langdon High School
1955-1956	Eugene Gilman, Kenmare High School
1956-1957	Adair Renville, Wahpeton High School
1957-1958	Tom Hennessy, Minot High School
1958-1959	Norma Gjerde, Minot High School
1959-1960	Viginia Larson, Velva High School
1960-1961	Donna Headrick, Minot High School
1961-1962	Eloise Stoltenow, Minot High School
1962-1963	Janeen Blahna, Wahpeton High School
1963-1964	Le Ann Littke, Wahpeton High School
1964-1965	Thelma Arneson, Jamestown High School
1965-1966	Bonita Edwardson, Minot High School
1966-1967	Douglas Woodruff, Wahpeton High School
1967-1968	Don Longmier, Bismarck High School
1968-1969	Dwight Sloto
1969-1970	Roxanne Dukart, Hettinger High School
1970-1971	Rhonda Hanson, Williston High School
1971-1972	Larry Long, Minot High School
1972-1973	Mike Kiley, Grand Forks Central High School
1973-1974	Jim Douglas, Grand Forks Central High School
1974-1975	Kevin Dangerud, Hettinger High School
1975-1976	William Haas III, Valley City Vocational Center
1976-1977	Vince Marquart, Bismarck High School
1977-1978	Kelly Dick, Dickinson High School
1978-1979	Rodger Olson, Valley City Vocational Center
1979-1980	Dan Olson, Valley City Vocational Center
1980-1981	Wanda Henry, Minot High School
1981-1982	Myron Vanbruggen, Valley City Vocational Center
1982-1983	Scott Schuler, Valley City Vocational Center
1983-1984	Brent Ness, Fargo South High School
1984-1985	Jody Rominski, Valley City Vocational Center
1985-1986	Korey Nissan, Fargo South High School
1986-1987	Lyrae Myxter, Fargo South High School
1987-1988	Chris Kragness, Bismarck Century High School
1988-1989	Paula Dufty, Fargo South High School
1989-1990	Heather Funke, Minot High School
1990-1991	Randy Dick, Fargo South High School
1991-1992	Jeremy Berg, Minot High School
1992-1993	Jason Geier, Fargo South High School
1993-1994	Tanya Hauk, Fargo South High School
1994-1995	Jason Baakegard, Fargo North High School
1995-1996	Josh Blikre, Minot High School

1996-1997	Quentin Staton, Fargo North High School
1997-1998	Fran Sletmoe, Fargo South High School
1998-1999	Mike Offerdahl, Bismarck Century High School
1999-2000	Colin Eide, West Fargo High School
2000-2001	Dan Walsh, Grand Forks Red River High School
2001-2002	Leif Mattson, Minot High School
2002-2003	Ryan Murphy, Minot High School
2003-2004	Tonya Mulvaney, Fargo North High School
2004-2005	Austin Morris, Fargo South High School
2005-2006	Justin Welk, Fargo North High School
2006-2007	Luke Schieve, Red River High School, Grand Forks
2007-2008	Tom Stadum, Fargo North High School
2008-2009	Kathryn Olson, Fargo South High School
2009-2010	Evan Bong, Fargo South High School
2010-2011	Eric Moe, Fargo South High School
2011-2012	Morgan Thompson, Fargo North High School
2012-2013	Kelsey Humphreys, Minot High School
2013-2014	Andrew Kelsh, Fargo South High School
2014-2015	Anna Lawley, Fargo South High School
2015-2016	Casey Osborn, Mandan High School
2016-2017	Olivia Roche, Fargo, North High School
2017-2018	Tessa Olson, Bismarck, Century High School
2018-2019	Jack Boub, Fargo, Davies High School
2019-2020	Isabelle McLean, Fargo, Davies High School
2020-2021	Garret Meehl, SRCTC Oakes
2021-2022	Logan Heger, West Fargo High School
2022-2023	Patrick Lawrence, Fargo Davies
2023-2024	Mattyson Ertelt, Lake Area Career and Technology Center, Devils Lake
2024-2025	Sawyer Heger, West Fargo High School
2025-2026	Brynn Field, West Fargo Sheyenne High School

#### **High School State Officers**

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1952-1953	Vice President Rose Mary Busch, Minot, Secretary Helen Gissel, Kenmare, Treasurer Gordon Lee, Valley City,
	Parliamentarian Ardyth Evenson, Minot, Historian Jackie Brannan, Jamestown
1953-1954	Vice President Alma Norquist, Garrison, Secretary Betty Ann Carns, Williston, Treasurer Charles Scheetz, Enderlin,
	Parliamentarian John Bald, Wahpeton, Historian Joyce Swaet, Lisbon
1954-1955	Vice President Ralph Schoephoerster, Lisbon, Secretary Joan Mahany, Devils Lake, Treasurer Barbara Ausk,
	Enderlin, Parliamentarian Gary McDaniel, Jamestown, Historian Katherine Lenzmier, Wahpeton
1955-1956	Vice President Alice Gallagher, Minot, Secretary Charlotte Haecharl, Lisbon, Treasurer Beberly Fudge, Williston,
1956-1957	Vice President Helen Hovdeness, Devils Lake, Secretary Leonard Traub, Garrison, Treasurer Lois Wilke, Lisbon,
	Parliamentarian Joyce Burke, Minot, Historian Douglas Lebakken, Wahpeton
1957-1958	Vice President Sharyn Schultz, Wahpeton, Secretary Joan Readel, Jamestown, Treasurer Doris Elefson, Minot,
	Parliamentarian Viona Gunst, Jamestown, Historian Jerome Schlager, Jamestown
1958-1959	Vice President Janice Johnson, Devils Lake, Secretary Diane Sayler, Treasurer Ronnie Lund, Jamestown,
	Parliamentarian Charlotte Pederson, Minot, Historian Diane Hanson, Garrison
1959-1960	Vice President Janet Peterson, Jamestown, Secretary Eileen Gliege, Minot, Treasurer Judy Thompson, Garrison,
	Parliamentarian Peggy Tucker, Devils Lake, Historian Sharon McCullough, Wahpeton
1960-1961	Vice President Vern Koppelman, Wahpeton, Secretary Karen Dahl, Velva, Treasurer Clarice Williams, Jamestown,
	Parliamentarian Mavis Herda, Devils Lake, Historian Eileen Scheller, Wahpeton
1961-1962	Vice President Kerdell Remboldt, Jamestown, Secretary Velora Thompson, Velva, Treasurer Linda Zimmer, Minot,
	Parliamentarian Fred Waclaw, Wahpeton, Historian Duane Roemmick, Jamestown
1962-1963	not available
1963-1964	President Marlys Leonard, Jamestown, Secretary Kathleen Olson, Wahpeton, Treasurer Judy Peterson, Minot,
	Parliamentarian Natalie Geiser, Wahpeton, Historian Gary Ochnser
1964-1965	Vice President Michelle Lenzimeir, Wahpeton, Secretary Kathy Iverson, Minot, Treasurer Natalie Beiser,
	Wahpeton, Parliamentarian Patty Clemons, Jamestown, Historian Lanny Worner, Wahpeton
1965-1966	Vice President Diane Wegenar, Minot, Secretary Audrey Nygaard, New Rockford, Treasurer Mary Baarstad,
	Jamestown, Parliamentarian Linda Zimmerman, Garrison, Historian Barb Sletten, Wahpeton
1966-1967	Vice President James Nelson, Garrison, Secretary Gerri Nirau, Bismarck, Treasurer Patricia Nordby, Minot,
	Parliamentarian Linda Block, Jamestown, Historian Kenneth Dahlgren, Grand Forks

1967-1968	Vice President Mike Wallace, Fargo South, Secretary Betty Schuler, Bismarck, Treasurer Patricia Norton, Jamestown, Parliamentarian Marlys Michelson, Bismarck, Historian Terry Ziegelmann, Grand Forks, Reporter Wayne Sorlie, Fargo South, Public Relations Bruce Carlson, Fargo North
1968-1969	Vice President Kent Christianson, Secretary Cheryl Olson, Treasurer Ruth Ann Morgan, Parliamentarian Rosanne Smith, Historian Marsha Schillinger, Reporter Karla Klein
1969-1970	Vice President Ken Pawluck, Fargo South, Secretary Cynthia Jensen, Dickinson, Treasurer Gary Ramey, Minot, Parliamentarian Sylvia Schwind, Jamestown, Historian Larry Volk, Jamestown, Reporter Debra Kjelland, Bismarck, Public Relations Natalie Anderson, Bottineau
1970-1971	Vice President John Peters, Bowman, Secretary Paulette Zent, Dickinson, Treasurer Deb Sobem, Jamestown, Parliamentarian Juanita Kleve, Bottineau, Historian Peggy Harrison, Grand Forks Central, Reporter Audrey Simes, Minot
1971-1972	Vice President Sue Lawson, Minot, Secretary Margaret Hegg, Jamestown, Treasurer Lisa Laughlin, Grand Forks, Parliamentarian Wayne Luer, Jamestown, Reporter Raveena Gilbert, Williston
1972-1973	Vice President Randy Souser, Grand Forks Red River, Secretary Wendy Wegener, Grand Forks Red River, Treasurer Marna Hanson, Williston, Parliamentarian Susan Uecker, Hettinger, Reporter Laurie Swift, Valley City
1973-1974	Vice President Brad Wright, Fargo, Secretary Connie Kuhn, Minot, Treasurer Kathie Wright, Bismarck, Parliamentarian Bob Schulz, Kenmare, Reporter Mary Mertens, Devils Lake
1974-1975	Vice President Mitch Seaborn, Valley City, Secretary Patty Hoeltl, Devils Lake, Treasurer JoAnn Mattson, Grafton, Parliamentarian Bob Schneider, Devils Lake, Reporter Jodee Macdonald, Valley City
1975-1976	Vice President Mark Erickson, Grand Forks Central, Secretary Debbie Gordon, Valley City, Treasurer Jeff Hanson, Valley City, Parliamentarian Todd Haugen, Valley City, Reporter Chris Crawford, Valley City
1976-1977	Vice President Kirby Schuler, Devils Lake, Secretary Rose Brunsvold, Fargo North, Treasurer Roxanne Schwab, Devils Lake, Kevin Reisenauer, Mandan, Parliamentarian Barb Berg, Minot
1977-1978	not available
1978-1979	Vice President Mark Lindbloom, Bismarck Century, Secretary Dawn Jose, Fargo North, Treasurer Marjean Dick, Devils Lake, Reporter Linda Brown, Valley City Vocational Center, Parliamentarian Allen Fleeker, Fargo South,
	Photographer Jeff Miller, Valley City
1979-1980	Vice President Tim Rowland, West Fargo, Secretary Jackie Kosmatka, North Valley Grafton, Treasurer Melanie
	Gordon, Valley City, Reporter Shirley Mitzel, Minot, Parliamentarian Roger Anderson, Fargo South, Photographer Roger Peterson, Valley City
1980-1981	Vice President Tim Hoggarth, Valley City, Secretary Dorian Ellerman, Minot, Treasurer Brad Bushaw Valley City, Reporter Judy Schmeider, Minot, Parliamentarian Paul Dinger, Devils Lake, Photographer Dana Hanson, Fargo South, Miss DECA Dawn Jose, Fargo North
1981-1982	Vice President Sandra Rodgers, West Fargo, Secretary Mary Lou Schmidt, Mandan, Treasurer Connie Juelke, Bismarck Century, Reporter Shannon Hochhalter, West Fargo, Parliamentarian Ernie Plank, Minot, Photographer Dennis Anderson, Grand Forks Central, Miss DECA Kay Eide, Fargo South High School
1982-1983	Vice President Tammy Bohn, Wahpeton, Secretary Tara Ims, Wahpeton, Treasurer Dawn Broadbent, Minot, Reporter JoAnn Odell, Minot, Parliamentarian Karen Nelson, Bismarck High, Photographer Mary Nelson, Devils Lake, Miss DECA Lisa Rubin, Grand Forks Red River, Mr. DECA Patrick Gunville, Belcourt
1983-1984	Vice President Rod St. Michel, Fargo South, Secretary Dawn Bartl, Minot, Treasurer Mike Knauer, Valley City, Parliamentarian Troy Hohbein, Bismarck High, Reporter Sherry Dietchman, Devils Lake, Photographer Joel Peterson, Fargo South, Miss DECA Paige Mitchell, Grand Forks Red River, Mr. DECA Chad Devier, Devils Lake
1984-1985	Vice President Jamie Webster, Fargo South High School, Secretary Mishelle Wild, Valley City, Treasurer Marla Groneman, Wahpeton, Reporter Brenda Rogers, Grafton, Parliamentarian Rachel Nordness, Fargo North, DECA Ambassador Elana Grieger, Valley City, DECA Ambassador Korey Nissen, Fargo South, Photographer Mark Lindlauf, Fargo South
1985-1986	Vice President Aimee Olson, Fargo North High School, Secretary Soon Yun, Fargo North, Treasurer Stacy Richter, West Fargo, Reporter Shari Aslakson, Grafton, Parliamentarian Scott Hiller, Fargo South, Photographer BJ Behm, Minot
1986-1987	Vice President Kim Kubela, Wahpeton, Secretary Terri Bartl, Minot, Treasurer Tom Clauson, Minot, Reporter Scott Upton, Fargo North, Parliamentarian Michael Smith, Fargo South, Photographer Jeff Rogne, Fargo South
1987-1988	Vice President Donna Thomas, Bismarck High, Secretary Stacie Wallace, Minot, Treasurer, Kerry Fricke, Bismarck Century, Reporter Natalie Medalen, Grafton, Parliamentarian John Zimmerman, Minot, Photographer John Gumeringer, Minot
1988-1989	Vice President Chad Kurle, Bismarck Century, Secretary Leslie Herslip, Bottineau High School, Treasurer Michelle Tharaldson, Valley City Voc Center, Reporter Blain Ovind, Minot High School, Parliamentarian Lynea Orn, Fargo South High School, Photographer Julie Massey, Minot High School
1989-1990	Vice President Jeff Lovell, Fargo South High School, Secretary Jackie Marquart, Bismarck Century, Treasurer Laura Erickson, Minot High School, Reporter Jason Zimmerman, Minot High School, Parliamentarian Brian

	Leingang, Bismarck Century, Photographer Brad Hendricks, Fargo South High School
1990-1991	Vice President Brian Leingang, Bismarck Century, Secretary Nancy Schmidt, Minot High School, Treasurer Nicole
	Highley, Bismarck High School, Reporter Liz Case, Fargo South High School, Parliamentarian Mike Jaeger, Lake
	Area Voc Center, Photographer Sandee Scheeler, Bismarck Century
1991-1992	Vice President Jill Fellman, Fargo South High School, Secretary Johanna Staton, Fargo North High School,
	Treasurer Jenn Baron, Fargo South High School, Reporter Jill Steinhaus, Lake Area Voc Center, Parliamentarian
	Heather Moen, Bottineau High School, Brian Tipton, Bismarck Century
1992-1993	Vice President Angela Samuelson, North Valley Voc Center Grafton, Secretary Jennifer Hanson, Fargo South High
	School, Treasurer Sara Dahle, Bottineau High School, Reporter Becky Haakenson, Bismarck Century, Photographer
	Jay Skroch, Bismarck High School, Parliamentarian Rachelle Lenz, Richland County Voc Center Wahpeton
1993-1994	Vice President Jason Frank, Bismarck Century, Secretary Stephanie Marquart, Bismarck Century, Treasurer Tom
	Korsmo, West Fargo High School, Reporter Brock Blikre, Minot High School, Photographer Kristen Stevenson,
	Minot High School, Parliamentarian Christine Berg, Bismarck High School
1994-1995	(Vice Presidents) Brian Louser, Minot High School, Erica Quinlen, Minot High School, Matt Hanson, Bismarck
	High School, Alison Steinwand, Bismarck Century, Shannon Prather, Fargo South High School, Bree Gronneberg,
	West Fargo High School
1995-1996	(Vice Presidents) Chris Semrau, Minot High School, Carrie Manney, North Valley Voc Center Grafton, Tana
	Sorensen, Bismarck Century, Allysea Roe, Bismarck High School, Quentin Staton, Fargo North High School,
	Crystal Greenley, Fargo South High School
1996-1997	(Vice Presidents) Justin Salisbury, Minot High School, Jodi Lamoureux, North Valley Voc Center Grafton, Wes
	Doolittle, Bismarck Century, Sarah Highley, Bismarck High School, Isaiah Carriere, Fargo North High School, Matt
	Korsmo, West Fargo High School
1997-1998	(Vice Presidents) Kelli Hall, Minot High School, Mary Lindgren, Grand Forks Red River, Jacey Olson, Bismarck
	Century, Beth Orstad, Bismarck Century, Dusty Brainerd, Fargo North, Tara Trapp, West Fargo
1998-1999	Secretary Becky Kottsick, Minot High School, Treasurer Alia Jacklitch, Richland County Vocational Center
	Wahpeton, Repoter Kimberly Pettersen, Minot High School, District I Vice President Kelsey Rood, Grand Forks
	Red River High School, District II Vice President Cathy Moos, Bismarck High School, District III Vice President
	Angie Anderson, Fargo South High School
1999-2000	Secretary Lyndsi Johnson, Minot High School, Treasurer Jared Bickler, Minot High School, Reporter PJ Ryan,
	Minot High School, District I Vice President Julie Johnston, North Valley Vocational Technical Center in Grafton,
	District II Vice President Tony Frank, Century High School, and District III Vice President Katie Anderson, West
	Fargo High School
2000-2001	Treasurer David Huffman, Fargo South High School, Reporter Jenni Glick, Minot High School, Vice President
	District I Brett English, North Valley Vocational Technical Cernter, Grafton, Vice President District II Chad
	Calderon, Dickinson High School
2001-2002	Secretary Annie Zander, Bismarck High, Treasurer Josh Labrenz, Bismarck Century, Reporter Mitch Delvo, Minot
	High School, Vice President District I Brett Bergman, Grand Forks Red River, Vice President District II Mike
	Deyle, Bismarck High School, Vice President District III Jamie Anderson, Fargo North High School
2002-2003	Secretary Stephanie Sandstrom, Minot High School, Treasurer Abby Szarkowski, Century High School, Reporter
	Jenna Thurow, Minot High School, District I Vice President, Erik Vangsnes, Grand Forks Red River, District II
	Vice President Matt Maslowski, Century High School, District III Vice President Kate Anderson, Fargo South High
	School
2003-2004	Secretary Jennifer Pederson, West Fargo, Reporter Randi Vennes, Minot High School, Web Master Marissa Taylor,
	Minot High School, District I Vice President Nick Nupdal, Red River High School, District II Vice President Ashten
	Schaff, Mandan High School, and District III Vice President Jennifer Sliper
2004-2005	Secretary Chelsey Schwartz, Fargo South, Reporter Crystll Hoff, Minot, Web Master Andrew Evanoff, Minot,
	District I Vice President Nicole Nelson, Minot, District II Vice President Bill Haupt, Bismarck High School, and
	District III Vice President Justin Welk, Fargo North
2005-2006	State Vice Presidents: Matt Bergh, Fargo South, McKinzey Whitty, Minot, Erin Borud, Minot, Ariel Hammond,
	Mandan, and Jodi Olson, Grand Forks Central.
2006-2007	State Vice Presidents: Ashton Wilson, Bismarck High School, Kyhlie McLaughlin, Minot, Laura Ihry, Fargo South,
	Kristin Altendorf, Minot, Danny Weigel, Grand Forks Central, Celina Poukka, SERCTC Oakes.
2007-2008	Vice Presidents: Carly Fjeld, Minot, Jordon Lakoduk, Minot, Kim Zuroff, Bismarck Century, Kia Adams, Fargo
	South, Ashley Erickson, Fargo North, James Ross, Fargo North.
2008-2009	Vice Presidents: Evan Bong, Fargo South, Tosha College, Minot, Camila Hueck, Fargo North, Katie Kupper,
	Mandan, James Ross, Fargo North, and Ashley Walen West Fargo.
2009-2010	Vice Presidents: Kasey Aune, Adams Edmore, Bobbi Jo Chesley, Oakes SRCTC, Kayla Daley, Grafton NVCTC,
	Nick Nelson, Fargo North, Maria Pitner, Minot, and Jennifer Wolf, Fargo South.
2010-2011	Vice Presidents: Stephanie D'Ambrosio, Minot, Brennan Lemar, Fargo North, Rachel McGuigan, Fargo South,
	David Palmer, Minot, Morgan Thompson, Fargo North, Garret Zastoupil, Fargo South.

2011-2012	Vice Presidents: Jordan Braaten, West Fargo, Courtney Jacobson, Davies High School, Paige Cote, Central Cass. Austin Cariveau. Davies High School, Callie Roth, Fargo North, Mara Nysetvold, Fargo North.
2012-2013	Vice Presidents: Aidan Bramel, Fargo South, Hannah Fishbeck, Mandan, Ellen Keim, Davies, Yann Niteka, West Fargo, Alex Spilman, Mandan, and Eliot Wilking, Fargo South.
2013-2014	Sean Ahlness, Fargo South, Brenna Greenwood, Davies, Brad Nelson, Fargo North, Billy Sartwell, Minot, Nick Sikorski, West Fargo, Eileen Spilman, Mandan.
2014-2015	Kaytlyn Aufforth, Bottineau, Brady Boeddecker, Fargo South, Dominic Davis, Century, Haley Goodall, Stanley, Eileen Spilman, Mandan, Adam Vareberg, Davies.
2015-2016	Carly Johnson, Fargo South, Christian Wedin, Grand Forks Central, Collin Poolman, Century, Kate Aufforth, Bottineau, Neha Patel, Fargo South, and Rachel Trenne, Grand Forks Red River.
2016-2017	Ashley Brandriet, SECTC Oakes, Dale Spilman, Mandan, Andrew Schaan, NVCTC Grafton, Anjali Kumar, Bottineau, and Francine Dong, Grand Forks Central.
2017-2018	Abby Slyter, Valley City, Adrian Cummings, Grand Forks Central, Aiden Ulmer, SRCTC Oakes, Bailey Skjefte, SRCTC Oakes, Erik Anderson, Fargo North, Charles Graf, Davies High School.
2018-2019	Abril Arce, West Fargo Sheyenne, Drew Brown, Fargo South, Jack Dorsher, Fargo North, Ameena Jovonovich, Fargo North, Haisaon Nguyen, West Fargo, and Kolten Reisenauer, Mandan.
2019-2020	Ryan, Birst, Century, Ryan Hermes, Oakes, Natalie Lemnus, Valley City, Diya Panda, Red River, and Gary Wu, Grand Forks Central.
2020-2021	Garett Elwood, Minot, Karissa Hammer, Northern Cass, Jake Hanson, Grand Forks Central, Ieree Lundin, Century, Pablo Nunez, Davies, and Sophie Thompson, Fargo North
2021-2022	Logan Heger, West Fargo; Linnea Axtman, Fargo; Emma Haberman, Bottineau; Ross Motter, Jamestown; Jacquelyn Dufner, West Fargo; Hannah Ripplinger, Bismarck Legacy; Abby Richman, Northern Cass.
2022-2023	Peyton Bradley, Fargo Davies; Mattyson Ertelt, LACTC Devils Lake; Regan Keller, Jamestown; Aanya Kumar, Bottineau; Brady Peterson, Central Cass; Anika Weekes, Mandan.
2023-2024	Jackson Guthmiller, Bismarck Century; Emery Holland, Central Cass; Regan Keller, Jamestown; Aanya Kumar, Bottineau; Parker Thorson, West Fargo; Kaden Wass, LACTC Devils Lake.
2024-2025	Amelia Hawley, Fargo South; Emery Holland, Central Cass; Liam Medbery, Minto; Olivia Mitchell, LACTC, Devils Lake; Autumn Spain, Grand Forks Central; Olivia Thorenson, Mandan.
2025-2026	Riley Anderson, Grand Forks Central; Alex Chislii, Mandan; Lillian Eastman, LACTC Devils Lake; Hadley Frueh, Bismarck Century; Harnoor Johal, West Fargo; Megan Morrissey, Fargo South.

#### High School Chapter of the Year and Advisor of the Year Awards

1975-1976	Devils Lake Area Vocational Center	Les Hanson, advisor
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1978-1979	Fargo South High School	Bruce Harmon, advisor
1979-1980	Devils Lake Area Vocational Center	Les Hanson, advisor
1980-1981	Minot High School	Renee Wonsor, advisor
1981-1982	Minot High School	Kevin Reisenauer, advisor
1982-1983	Fargo South High School	Bruce Harmon, advisor
1983-1984	Minot High School	Kevin Reisenauer, advisor
1984-1985	Minot High School	Kevin Reisenauer, advisor
1985-1986	Minot High School	Kevin Reisenauer, advisor
1986-1987	Minot High School	Kevin Reisenauer, advisor
1987-1988	Minot High School	Kevin Reisenauer, advisor
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1993-1994	Minot High School	Kevin Reisenauer, advisor
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1999-2000	Minot High School	Kevin Reisenauer, advisor
2000-2001	Minot High School and Red River HS	Kevin Reisenauer, Minot, Keith Ronkowski Red River
2001-2002	Minot High School and Red River HS	Michelle Boyeff, Minot, Keith Ronkowski, Red River

2002-2003	Minot High School	Michelle Boyeff, advisor
2003-2004	Minot High School	Michelle Boyeff, advisor
2004-2005	Minot High School	Michelle Boyeff, advisor
2005-2006	Red River High School	Keith Ronkowski and Brent Polum, advisors
2006-2007	Minot High School	Michelle Boyeff, advisor
2007-2008	Red River High School	Keith Ronkowski and Brent Polum, advisors
2008-2009	Red River High School	Keith Ronkowski and Brent Polum, advisors
2009-2010	Fargo South High School	Sara Smith and Jason Holland, advisors
2010-2011	Fargo South High School	Sara Smith, advisor
2011-2012	Fargo North High School	Craig Erickson and Kelli Sitzler, advisors
2012-2013	Red River High School	Keith Ronkowski and Brent Polum, advisors
2013-2014	Red River High School	Keith Ronkowski and Brent Polum, advisors
2014-2015	Red River High School	Keith Ronkowski and Brent Polum, advisors
2015-2016	Red River High School	Keith Ronkowski and Brent Polum, advisors
2016-2017	Red River High School	Maggie Uetz and Brent Polum, advisors
2017-2018	Mandan High School	Don Fry and Randy Wilson, advisors
2018-2019	Grand Forks Central High School	KimBerly Clark, advisor
2019-2020	Conference Cancelled due to Corona Viru	s: Worldwide Pandemic.
2020-2021	Red River High School	Brent Polum and Dustin Norby, advisors
2021-2022	Mandan High School	Don Fry, advisor
2022-2023	Grand Forks Red River High School	Brent Polum and Dustin Norby, advisors
2023-2024	Mandan High School	Don Fry and Jennifer Thorenson, advisors
2024-2025	Mandan High School	Don Fry and Jennifer Thorenson, advisors

#### Oswald M. Hager Leadership Award (scholarship to student attending UND)

- 1980 Kevin Reisenauer
- 1981 Beverly Heinle
- 1982 Mark Lindblom
- 1983 Tammy Johnson Swick, Donna Silbernagel, Scott Shuler
- 1984 Kelly Kruise, Judy Schneider
- 1985 Tammie Hagness, Aaron Schultz
- 1986 Mitch Uslin
- 1987 Judy Arnason
- 1988 Colleen Skaaden
- 1989 Greg Anderson
- 1990 Sandy LeTexier
- 1991 Randy Dick, Tammy Staves
- 1992 Jeremy Berg
- 1993 Thom Lewis, Cory Koesterman
- 1994 Steven Shirley, Jackie Marquart, Christine Sorensen
- 1995 Darren Bullinger, Amy Tripp, Sara Steinkopf
- 1996 Tom Korsmo, Kelly Bullinger
- 1997 Amy Tripp, Joanna Wahl
- 1998 Mary Lindgren
- 1999 Angie Anderson, DeAnn Burckhard
- 2000 Jared Bickler, Julie Johnston
- 2001 Jenni Glick, Chad Wolf
- 2002 Leif Mattson, Brett Bergman
- 2003 Kate Anderson, Daniel Waind
- 2004 Marissa Taylor
- 2005 Brittany Johnston and Emily Metz
- 2006 Matt Bakke
- 2007 Kyhlie McLaughlin, Minot
- 2008 Bryn Seay
- 2009 Katie Steffan, Grand Forks Central
- 2010 Ashley Brey
- 2011 Jade Stanislowski, Red River
- 2012 None
- 2013 Mitch Hersch, Mandan
- 2014 Ashley VanderBush, Fargo South

- 2015 John Praska, SE CTC, Oakes
- Taylor Albrecht, Sheyenne High School 2016
- Paige Rudnik, Grafton NVCTC 2017
- 2018 None
- 2019 Carly Jordan, Grand Forks Central
- 2020 Aidan Fire, Grand Forks Central
- Brady Meland, Red River High School 2021
- 2022 None

#### **NDSCS Scholarship**

- Carter Kipp, Wahpeton High School 2017
- None Awarded 2018
- 2020 Josie Welder, Wahpeton High School
- 2021 None Awarded
- Parker Steeves, Wahpeton High School 2022
- Kadence Wiedmeier, Oakes 2023
- 2024 None Awarded
- 2025 None Awarded

1999-2000

#### Taking You Higher Scholarship – Sponsored by Former State Officers Colin Eide, West Fargo High School

2000-2001	Dan Walsh, Grand Forks Red River High School
2001-2002	Mike Deyle, Bismarck High School
2002-2003	Kate Anderson, Fargo South High School

2003-2004 Randi Vennes, Minot High School

2004-2005 Chelsey Schwartz, Fargo South High School

Kelly Brademeyer, SERCTC Oakes 2005-2006 2006-2007 Celina Poukka, SERCTC Oakes 2007-2008 Kim Zuroff, Bismarck Century Tosha College, Minot High School 2008-2009 Evan Bong, Fargo South High School 2009-2010

Sierra Murphy, Minot High School 2010-2011 Morgan Thompson, Fargo North High School 2011-2012

Alyssa Moum, Minot High School 2012-2013

2013-2014 Cole Bachmeier, West Fargo

Ryan Bjerke, Fargo North 2014-2015

Christian Wedin, Grand Forks Central 2015-2016

2016-2017 Isabella Hansen, Oakes 2017-2018 Erik Anderson, Fargo North

2018-2019 Jack Boub, Davies

2019-2020 Ryan Hermes, SRCTC Oakes Garret Meehl, SRCTC Oakes 2020-2021

2021-2022 Logan Heger, West Fargo High School 2022-2023 Peyton Bradley, Fargo Davies High School

Jackson Guthmiller, Bismarck Century High School 2023-2024

2024-2025 Sawyer Heger, West Fargo

#### North Dakota DECA Scholarship—Tribute to Leonard Pokladnik

1999-2000	Jason Burckhard, Minot High School
2000-2001	Jenni Glick, Minot High School
2001-2002	Leif Mattson, Minot High School
2002-2003	Stephanie Sandstrom, Minot High School
2003-2004	Katie Froshour, Grand Forks Central
2004-2005	Leila Nazari, Fargo North High School
2005-2006	Rebecca Sinner, Central Cass High School
2006-2007	Bridget Nagel, Grand Forks Central
2007-2008	Hannah Larson, Minot High School
2008-2009	Brittany Walker, Red River High School
2009-2010	Maria Pitner, Minot High School
2010-2011	Rachel Nelson, Fargo South High School

2011-2012	Nicholas Reitan, West Fargo High School
2012-2013	Abbey Benson, Fargo South High School
2013-2014	Rachel Fix, Bottineau High School
2014-2015	Shelby Gilenski, SE Career and Technology Center, Oakes
2015-2016	Sam Novak, NVCTC Grafton
2016-2017	Brailyn Weber, Davies
2017-2018	Bailey Skjefte, SERCTC Oakes
2018-2019	Ameena Jovonovich, Fargo North
2019-2020	Kennedy Shereck, NVCTC Grafton
2020-2021	Charmaine Haas, Napoleon High School
2021-2022	Hannah Ripplinger, Bismarck Legacy High School
2022-2023	Josephine Machayya – Sheyenne High School, West Fargo
2023-2024	Aanya Kumar, Bottineau High School
2024-2025	Andrew Ternes, LACTC Devils Lake
DECA Scholar	
2018-2019	Natalie Buck, Grand Forks Central
2019-2020	Claire Wagner, SRCTC Oakes and Natalie Lemnus, Valley City
2020-2021	Clara Hanson, Grand Forks Central
2021-2022	Gretchen Reich-Keller, Fargo South and Abby Richman, Northern Cass High School
2022-2023	Ross Motter, Jamestown and Elise Williams, Fargo Davies
2023-2024	Cammie Veldkamp, Jamestown
2024-2025	Amelia Hawley, Fargo South
Lake Region D	ECA Scholarship – must attend LRSC in Devils Lake
2003-2004	Ashley Miller, Minot High School
2004-2005	Kyle Schneider, Lake Area Career and Technology Center, Devils Lake
2005-2006	Eric Hove, Lake Area Career and Technology Center, Devils Lake
2006-2007	Not Awarded
2007-2008	Jordan Mertens, Lake Area Career and Technology Center, Devils Lake
2008-2009	Melanah Poole, Minot High School
2009-2010	Adam Kitchens, Lake Area Career and Technology Center, Devils Lake
2010-2011	Austin Luehring, Lake Area Career and Technology Center, Devils Lake
2012-2013	Brandon Tofte, Lake Area Career and Technology Center, Devils Lake
2013-2014	None Awarded
2014-2015	None Awarded
2015-2016	None Awarded
2016-2017	None Awarded
2017-2018	None Awarded
2018-2019	None Awarded
2019-2020	None Awarded
2020-2021	None Awarded
2021-2022	None Awarded
2022-2023	None Awarded
2023-2024	Kadan Wass, Lake Area Career and Technology Center, Devils Lake
2024-2025	None Awarded
Minot State Ur	niversity Scholarship – must attend MSU in Minot
2012-2013	Kelsey Humphreys, Minot High School
2013-2014	Jordan Busch, Minot High School
2014-2015	Haddie Lucy, Minot High School
2015-2016	Krista Savage, Stanley High School
2016-2017	Makensey Arlien, Minot High School
2017-2018	None Awarded
2018-2019	Kathleen Gush, Minot High School
2019-2020	None Awarded
2020-2021	Ashley Holen, Watford City High School
2021-2022	Peyton Andes, Minot High School
2022-2023	None Awarded
2023-2024	None Awarded

#### 2024-2025 None Awarded

	Appl	ebee's	<b>DECA</b>	Scholarship
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2005-2006	Jodi Olson, Grand Forks Central (\$500)
2006-2007	Rachel Welk, Fargo North (\$600)
2007-2008	Ben Berg, Minot High School (\$900)
2008-2009	Ashley Delisle, Red River High School (\$1,000)
2009-2010	Nick Nelson, Fargo North (\$1,000)
2010-2011	Katelyn Larson, Minot High School (\$1,000) and Brittany Diederich, Fargo South (\$500)
2011-2012	Jenna Coghlan, Valley City High School (\$1,000) and Callie Roth, Fargo North (\$500)
2012-2013	Hannah Fishbeck, Mandan (\$1,000) and Emily Borud, Minot (\$500)
2013-2014	Austin Klapperich, Oakes (\$1,000) and Addison Long, Fargo North (\$500)
2014-2015	Anna Lawley, Fargo South (\$1,000) and Lydia Hanna, Fargo South (\$500)
2015-2016	Neha Patel, Fargo South (\$1,000) and Nathan Glass, Mandan (\$500)
2016-2017	Ashley Brandriet, Oakes (\$1,000)
2017-2018	Mackenzie Korbel, Fargo South (\$1,000) and Elisabeth Ehnert, Sheyenne (\$500)
2018-2019	Jack Dorscher, Fargo North (\$1,000) and Kolten Reisenauer, Mandan (1,000)
2019-2020	Isabelle McLean, Davies (\$1,000) and Oliver Dalmi, Grand Forks Central (\$1,000)
2020-2021	None Awarded
2021-2022	Linnea Axtman, Fargo Davies (\$1,000) and Dawson Beck, Washburn (\$800)
2022-2023	Kaylee Kirkeby, Grand Forks Central High School and Sierra Rodriquez, Washburn High School
2023-2024	Mattyson Ertelt, LACTC, Devils Lake and Lauren Glennon, Central Cass
2024-2025	Emery Holland, Central Cass and Naomi Rahman, Red River

#### **Owest DECA Scholarship**

2005-2006	(3 - \$1,000) Trenton Howard, Minot; Casey Slusher, Fargo South & Justin Welk, Fargo North
2006-2007	(3 - \$1,000) Mark Knudson, Minot, Laura Ihry, Fargo South & Patricia McCann, SERCTC Oakes
2007-2008	(5 - \$1,000) Katie Johnson, Fargo North, Hanna Fischer, Fargo South, Kia Adams, Fargo South, Jenny Skjei, Fargo
	South, Chad Kreitinger, Grand Forks Central
2008-2009	(5 - \$1,000) Kaylene Prigge, Fargo South, Emily Harris, West Fargo, McKenna Larson, Minot, Zach Jacobson,
	Bismarck, and James Ross, Fargo North
2009-2010	(5 - \$1,000) Kasey Aune, Adams Edmore, Jennifer Bernier, Grand Forks Central, Kayla Daley, NVCTC Grafton,
	Hanna Schieve, Red River, Elle Weisenberger, Fargo South, Nick Nelson, Fargo North

#### WalMart DECA Scholarship

2010-2011	Garret Zastoupil, Fargo South, (\$1,000)
2011-2012	Jordi Braaten, West Fargo (\$1,000)
2012-2013	Mandi Egeland, Grand Forks Red River (\$1,000)

#### A+ Services and Dakota Impressions Landscaping and Design DECA Scholarship

2017-2018 Erik Anderson, Fargo North and Bailey Skjefte, Oakes (\$500 scholarship each)

#### Dr. Donald P. Kohns Achievement Awards

- Joann Erickson, Minot; Jaime Woitaszewski, Minot; Brad Nayes, Fargo South; Mike Aas, Fargo South 1997 Tera Berland, Minot; Alison Tande, Minot; Crystal Greenley, Fargo South; Nicholas Pyle, Central Cass
- 1998 Lindsay Hoes, Minot; Cathy Sabo, Minot; Kristine Schons, Fargo South; Angie Hoglund, Central Cass High School
- 1999 DeAnn Burckhard, Minot; Briana Berryman, Minot; Elaine Colvin, Fargo South; Sarah Markel, Fargo South

#### **Outstanding New Member State Honor Award**

- 1998 Lori Pawlak, Richland County Vocational Center, Wahpeton
- 1999 Jared Bickler, Minot High School, Minot
- 2000 Staci Johnson, Fargo South High School, Fargo
- 2001 Jessica Diaz, North Valley Voc Tech Center, Grafton
- 2002 Lacy Mau, Minot High School, Minot
- 2003 Michelle Bailly, Fargo South High School, Fargo
- 2004 Kyleigh Monson, Bottineau High School
- 2005 Amy Auginbaugh, Fargo South High School
- 2006 Danny Weigel, Grand Forks Central High School
- 2007 Carly Fjeld, Minot High School, Minot
- 2008 Nick Nelson, Fargo North High School

- 2009 Nora Mihalick, Minot High School
- 2010 Courtney Jacobson, Fargo South High School
- 2011 Brandon Glimsdahl, Grand Forks Central
- 2012 Jordyn Peterson, Southeast Career and Technology Center, Oakes
- 2013 Breanna Theademan, Southeast Career and Technology Center, Oakes
- 2014 Ellen Trotter, Davies High School
- 2015 Savannah Kramlich, James Valley CTC, Jamestown
- 2016 Nathan Horner, Davies High School
- 2017 Carlie Bell, Wahpeton
- 2018 Claire Wagner, Southeast Career and Technology Center, Oakes
- 2019 Hayden Rostvet, Northern Cass High School
- 2020 Karissa Hammer, Northern Cass High School
- 2021 Ella Keith, Bottineau High School
- 2022 Nick Newsam, Fargo North High School
- 2023 Sydney Shoemaker, Washburn High School
- 2024 Beth Schmaltz, Rugby High School
- 2025 Keagan Schneider, Minot High School

#### Oswald M. Hager Award of Excellence

- 1977 Karen Liere, UND Lake Region
- 1978 Todd Goschen, Fargo North High School
- 1979 Bruce Harmon, Fargo South High School
- 1980 Joel Lilliquist, Minot High School
- 1981 Ron Davy, Bismarck State College
- 1982 Les Hanson, Lake Area Vocational Center, Devils Lake
- 1983 Renee Wonsor, NDSU Bottineau
- 1984 Terry Schneider, Richland County Vocational Center, Wahpeton
- 1985 Orris Gulson, Grand Forks Central High School
- 1986 Steve Anderson, West Fargo High School
- 1987 Rod Roaldson, James Valley Vocational Center, Jamestown
- 1988 Kevin Reisenauer, Minot High School
- 1989 Garry Bullinger, Bottineau High School
- 1990 Larry Rehn, Bismarck High School
- 1991 Donna Fricke, Bismarck Century High School
- 1992 Neil Litton, Central Cass High School, Casselton
- 1993 Greg Anderson, Southeast Vocational Center, Oakes
- 1994 Kimberly Clark, North Valley Vocational Center, Grafton
- 1995 Dayle Dietz, North Dakota State College of Science, Wahpeton
- 1996 Keith Ronkowski, Grand Forks Red River High School
- 1997 Elsie Reichert, Dickinson High School
- 1998 Dr. James Navara, University of North Dakota
- 1999 Duane Pederson, North Dakota State College of Science
- 2000 none
- 2001 Sara Steinkopf, Fargo South High School
- 2002 Craig Erickson, Fargo North High School
- 2003 Tim Schilling, Valley City High School
- 2004 Bruce Harmon, Fargo South High School
- 2005 Keith Ronkowski, Grand Forks Red River High School
- 2006 Michelle Boyeff, Minot High School
- 2007 Steve Anderson, West Fargo High School
- 2008 Craig Erickson, Fargo North High School
- 2009 Larry Rehn, Bismarck High School
- 2010 Amber Aberle, Mandan High School
- 2011 Jason Holland, Davies High School
- 2012 Neil Litton, Central Cass High School
- 2013 None
- 2014 Leonard Kjelland, SE Region CTC
- 2015 Troy Olson, Century
- 2016 Kelli Sitzler-Erickson, Fargo North
- 2017 Nathan Simpson, Bottineau

- 2018 Don Fry, Mandan
- 2019 Randy Wilson, Mandan
- 2020 Sheila Larson, Valley City
- 2021 David Bitz, Devils Lake
- 2022 Brent Polum, Grand Forks Red River
- 2023 Dustin Norby, Grand Forks Red River
- 2024 Greg Borders, West Fargo High School
- 2025 Lisa Hoffman, Central Cass High School

#### New Advisor of the Year (5 years or less)

- 2018 Janae Helvik
- 2019 Maggie Uetz, Grand Forks Red River
- 2020 Lisa Hoffman, Central Cass
- 2021 Emily Jacobson, Legacy High School
- 2022 Laurie Salander, Grand Forks Central
- 2023 Brooke Schulte, Washburn High School
- 2024 Amber Johnson, Southeast Region CTC, Oakes
- 2025 Jillian Hanson, Minto High School

#### **Exemplary Advisor Award**

- 1996 Kevin Reisenauer, Minot High School
- 1997 Kevin Reisenauer, Minot High School
- 1998 Bruce Harmon, Fargo South High School
- 1999 Kevin Reisenauer, Minot High School
- 2000 Garry Bullinger, Bottineau High School
- 2001 Bruce Harmon, Fargo South High School

#### FRIEND OF DECA AWARD (business)

- 2014 Applebee's
- 2016 ND Air National Guard
- 2017 Scheels
- 2018 JC Penney's
- 2019 Clubs Choice
- 2020 Men's Warehouse
- 2021 Bank of North Dakota
- 2022 Sanford Health
- 2023 Baymont/Ramada Hotels, Bismarck/Mandan
- 2024 ND Army National Guard
- 2025 Capital Credit Union

#### **Highest Chapter Membership**

- 1990 Fargo South High School (96)
- 1991 Minot High School (120)
- 1992 Fargo South High School (96)
- 1993 Fargo South High School (101)
- 1994 Minot High School (81)
- 1995 Minot High School (90)
- 1996 West Fargo High School (84)
- 1997 Minot High School (71)
- 1998 Bismarck High School (110)
- 1999 West Fargo High School (122)
- 2000 West Fargo High School (110)
- 2001 West Fargo High School, Bismarck High School (110)
- 2002 West Fargo High School, Bismarck High School (106)
- 2003 Bismarck High School (120)
- 2004 Red River High School (112)
- 2005 West Fargo High School (108)
- 2006 West Fargo High School (118)
- 2007 Minot High School (128)
- 2008 Fargo South High School (150)

2009	Minot High School (130)
2010	Minot High School (115)
2011	Fargo North High School (130)
2012	Fargo North High School (179)
2013	Fargo North High School (175)
2014	Fargo North High School (159)
2015	Fargo North High School (139)
2016	Fargo North High School (158)
2017	Fargo North High School (165)
2018	Mandan High School (125)
2019	Minot High School (135)
2020	Grand Forks Central (123)
2021	Grand Forks Central (109)
2022	Minot High School (101)
2023	Fargo North (94)
2024	Mandan High School (109)
2025	Mandan High School (132)

### <u>Collegiate DECA – History Member Recognition</u> <u>Collegiate DECA was Junior College DECA from 1974-1982 and Delta Epsilon Chi from 1982-2010</u>

Post Secondar	y Divisions Officers (Junior College Division)
1974-1975	President Neal Engleman, Bismarck, Vice President Jeff Moug, NDSCS, Secretary Connie Allen, Devils Lake,
	Treasurer Steve Delzer, NDSCS, Reporter Clark Smith, Devils Lake, and Parliamentarian Wallace A. Rutter,
	NDSCS
1975-1976	President Mary Mertens, Devils Lake, Vice President Sue Lachenmeier, Bismarck, Secretary Patti Parrow, NDSCS,
	Treasurer Vicky McCulley, Bismarck State, Reporter Kim Paulson, Bismarck State, and Parliamentarian Wendy
	Bendixon, Williston
1976-1977	President Kim Paulson, Bismarck State, Vice President Harry Lester, UND Lake Region, Secretary Brenda Hoger,
	UND Williston, Treasurer Vicky McCulley, Bismarck State, Reporter Marlene Praska, NDSCS, and Parliamentarian
	Tom Gustafson, NDSCS
1977-1978	Unavailable
1978-1979	President Kevin Reisenauer, Bismarck State, Vice President Ray Kotchain, NDSCS, Treasurer Carol Wangler,
	Bismarck State, Reporter Roberta Johnson Bismarck State, and Parliamentarian John Eckhoff, NDSCS
1979-1980	President Deana Jacobson, UND Lake Region, Vice President Russ Jenson, NDSCS, Secretary Lisa Frost,
	UND Lake Region, Treasurer Jodi Eslinger, Bismarck State, Reporter Bev Heinle, Bismarck State, and
	Parliamentarian Tammy Stark, Bismarck State.
1980-1981	President Holly Jacober, Bismarck State, Vice President Karen Tuchscherer, UND Lake Region, Secretary Bill
	Stowman, NDSCS, Treasurer Kim Mosbrucker, Bismarck State, Reporter Mitch Welin, NDSU Bottineau, and
	Parliamentarian Jeff Stein, NDSCS
1981-1982	President Judy Schneider, Bismarck State, Vice President Susan Held, NDSU Bottineau, Secretary Cindy
	Bachmeier, Devils Lake, Treasurer Tammy Coppin NDSCS, Reporter Mike Hallsey, UND Williston, and
	Parliamentarian Rhonda Smith, NDSU Bottineau

Post Secondar	ry Divisions Officers (Delta Epsilon Chi Division)
1982-1983	President Aaron Schultz, NDSU Bottineau, Vice President Joe Geary, NDSU Bottineau, Secretary Janelle Smetty,
	UND Lake Region, Treasurer Tina Engwis, NDSCS, Reporter Kem Grimm, Bismarck State, and Parliamentarian
	Ken Botner NDSCS
1983-1984	President Pat Leire, UND Lake Region, Vice President Lori Mayer, NDSU Bottineau, Secretary Lorna Crouch,
	UND Lake Region, Treasurer Monty Whitney, Bismarck State, Reporter Lorrie Mowrrow, NDSU Bottineau, and
	Parliamentarian Ken Botner, NDSCS
1984-1985	President Lynn Beaudoin, Bismarck State, Vice President Todd Bertsch, Lake Region, Secretary Carol Althoff,
	NDSCS, Treasurer Joan Silewski, Bismarck State, Reporter Michelle Cutler, NDSU Bottineau, Parliamentarian
	Ryan Straabe, NDSCS, and Ambassador Robin Schwab, UND Lake Region
1985-1986	President Margo Halvorson, NDSU Bottineau, Vice President Todd Bertsch, UND Lake Region, Secretary Molly
	crouch, UND Lake Region, Treasurer Troy Hohbein, Bismarck State, Reporter Lance Hjelseth, UND Lake Region,
	and Parliamentarian Randy Rosendahl, NDSCS
1986-1987	President Suzi Komrosky, UND Lake Region, Vice President Judy Arnason, NDSU Bottineau, Secretary Karen Ust

	NDSCS, Treasurer Judy Bieber, NDSU Bottineau, Reporter Sharon Kuchynski, NDSCS, and Parliamentrian Debbie
1987-1988	Spaeth, UND Lake Region President Harlan Eckholm, UND Lake Region, Vice President Larin Stewart, UND Lake Region, Secretary Donnet Knox, NDSU Bottineau, Treasurer Robyn Storkson, NDSCS, Reporter Trudy Hansen, NDSCS, and
1988-1989	Parliamentarian, Duane Peterson, NDSCS President Joyce Straus, UND Lake Region, Vice President Susan Scheel, NDSU Bottineau, Secretary Kim Kubela, NDSCS, Treasurer Margo Thorstad, UND Lake Region, Reporter Michelle Miller, NDSCS, Parliamentarian Jayne Quam, NDSCS, and Photographer Lisa Patterson, NDSU Bottineau
1989-1996	Unavailable
1996-1997	President Jason Lee, UND Lake Region, Vice President Matt Grove NDSCS, Secretary Mandy Smith, UND Lake Region, Treasurer Coette Cote, NDSCS, Public Relations Kenny Grad, UND Lake Region, and Parliamentarian Jeremy Ketterling, NDSU Bottineau
1997-1998	President Sandy Longie, UND Lake Region, Vice President Ryan Pownell NDSCS, Secretary Amanda Odegaard, NDSCS, and Parliamentarian Roger Fritz, NDSU Bottineau
1998-1999	President Erica Frey, NDSCS, Vice Presidents (5) UND Lake Region Bradley Bergeron, UND Grand Forks Toni Jore, NDSU Bottineau Matt Richard, Bismarck State Justin Sackman, and NDSCS Kellee Kromarek
1999-2000	President Tara Duchscherer, NDSCS, Vice Presidents (3) Miranda Towerton, MSU-Bottineau, Mike Offerdahl, Bismarck State College, Stacy Sevigny, NDSCS
2000-2001	President, Shawn Flemmer, NDSCS, Vice President Tulsa-Leigh Ouse, NDSCS, Vice President Maggie Gonzalez, MSU-Bottineau, Vice President Becky Haakenson, BSC, Vice President Evelyn Bogert, LRSC
2001-2002	President Brad Arnold, BSC, Vice President, Josephine Maus, LRSC, Vice President Allison Pearce, MSU-Bottineau, Vice President Adam Jacobs, NDSCS, Vice President Dan Walsh, UND-Grand Forks
2002-2003	President Kristy Eckenrode, NDSCS, Vice President Allison Pearce, MSU Bottineau, Vice President Leif Mattson, UND, Vice President Rebecca Colby, NDSCS, and Vice President Travis Kitchens, LRSC
2003-2004	President Jason Meyers, NDSCS, Vice President UND Leif Mattson, Vice President MSU Bottineau Mindy O'Toole, Vice President NDSCS Rebecca Colby, Vice President LRSC Kristen Buckmier, Vice President VCSU Amber Moore, Vice President U Mary Stephanie Sandstrom, Vice President Minot State University Mike Offerdahl, and Vice President NDSU Colin Eide
2004-2005	President Mindy O'Toole, MSU Bottineau, Vice President of Communications Dustin Stredwick, NDSU, Vice President of Public Relations Beth Kuschel, Minot State University, and Secretary Jayme Herman, University of North Dakota
2005-2006	President Kerri Lee, NDSCS Wahpeton, Vice President of Communications Marty Platz, LRSC Devils Lake, Vice President of Public Relations Kelly Baker, Minot State University, and Secretary Sara Hoffner, LRSC, Devils Lake.
2006-2007	President Kelly Baker, Minot State University, Vice President of Communications Andrew Evanoff, Minot State University, Vice President of Public Relations, Luke Havig, Minot State University and Secretary Connor Coughlin, University of North Dakota
2007-2008	President Ken Story, Minot State University, Vice Presidents Reeann Magandy, Minot State University, Randi Vennes, North Dakota State University, and Andrew Evanoff, Minot State University
2008-2009	President Lauren Meiers, University of Mary, Vice Presidents Reeann Magandy, Minot State University, Aaron Peterson, North Dakota State College of Science, Aaron Tait, North Dakota State University, and Kaylyn Stroh, North Dakota State University
2009-2010	President Justin Welk, North Dakota State University, Vice President Kim Zuroff, University of Mary

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	2010-2011	President Matt Becker, University of Mary, Ryan Perrion, NDSCS, Aaron Seibel, Rasmussen College Bismarck,
		and Ashleigh Smith, North Dakota State University
	2011-2012	President Ben Berg, Minot State University, Vice President Zach Jacobson, University of North Dakota, and Vice
		President Krista Harju, University of Mary
	2012-2013	President Maria Pitner, North Dakota State University, Vice President Eric Domier, Mayville State University, Vice
		President Caroline Crary, University of Mary and Vice President Kayla Daley, University of North Dakota.
	2013-2014	President Caroline Crary, University of Mary, Vice President Wesley Breneier, Mayville State University, and
		Brittny Klein, University of Mary.
	2014-2015	President Katie Dauwen, NDSU, Vice President Amber Montag, Mayville State University, Lizz Denning, UND,
		and Madelyn Zane, Valley City State University.
	2015-2016	President Shawn Peterson, UND, Vice President Paige Cote, NDSU.
	2016-2017	President Ian Uhrich, NDSCS, Vice President Dana Anderson, NDSCS, and Maddeleyne Gallardo, Mayville
		State University.
	2017-2018	President Heather Heyerman, NDSCS, Vice President Maddeleyne Gallardo, Mayville State University, Jordan
		Johnson, Mayville State University, and Mikayla Gustafson, Valley City State University.

2018-2019	President Ally Carson, University of Mary, Vice President Heather Heyerman, NDSCS and Mikayla Gustafson, VCSU.
2019-2020	President Cole Garman, University of Mary, and Vice Presidents Jayden Miller, Mayville State University, Grant Langseth, University of North Dakota, and Alexandra Demko, Minot State University.
2020-2021	President Abigayle Kohls, Mayville State University, and vice Presidents Sarah Colwell, North Dakota State University, Gavin Mercer, Minot State University, Kordell Myers, North Dakota State University
2021-2022	President Taylor Stegman, Mayville State University; Vice Presidents: Luna Zauhar, North Dakota State University; Josilyn Welder, North Dakota State College of Science; Jamison Zaun, Mayville State University
2022-2023	President Jamison Zaun, Mayville State University and Julia Kohls, Mayville State University
2023-2024	President Mariam Carrignan, Mayville State University; Vice Presidents; Samantha Passa Mayville State University, Eden Mayer, University of Mary
2024-2025	President Eden Mayer, University of Mary; Vice Presidents; Samantah Passa, Mayville State University, and Sam Preston, Mayville State University
2025-2026	Mattyson Ertelt, LRSC, Devils Lake; Malachi Beaulieu, Mayville State University; Kadyn Helde, Mayville State University; Sarah Monilaws, Valley City State University.

#### Collegiate DECA - Delta Epsilon Chi Advisor of the Year Award

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2002	Donna Gutschmidt, LRSC, Devils Lake
2003	Greg Anderson, NDSCS, Wahpeton
2004	Greg Anderson, NDSCS, Wahpeton
2005	Donna Gutschmidt, LRSC, Devils Lake
2006	Billy Boyeff, MSU, Minot
2007	Donna Gutschmidt, LRSC, Devils Lake
2008	Karel Sovak, University of Mary
2009	Bruce Harmon, North Dakota State University
2010	Greg Anderson, NDSCS, Wahpeton
2011	Karel Sovak, University of Mary
2012	Greg Anderson, NDSCS, Wahpeton
2013	Keri Keith, Dakota College, Bottineau
2014	Robert Johnston, Mayville State University
2015	Dustin Olson, Mayville State University
2016	Greg Anderson, NDSCS, Wahpeton
2017	Cindy Brown, Lake Region State College
2018	Tawnya Bernsdorf, Minot State University
2019	Greg Anderson, NDSCS, Wahpeton
2020	Amber Aberle, Valley City State University
2021	Robert Johnston, Mayville State University
2022	Greg Anderson, NDSCS, Wahpeton
2023	Caroline Kozojed, University of Mary
2024	Dustin Olson, Mayville State University
2025	Caroline Kozojed, University of Mary