The Lubker Award was created and is supported by the academic deans to honor Dr. Jim Lubker, Professor of Communication Sciences and Disorders (1995 - 2009), Dean of the College of Humanities and Fine Arts (1995 - 2005), and Interim Executive Vice President and Provost (2005 - 2009). This award is an annual cash prize recognizing a UNI faculty member for “excellence in research and scholarship”. Faculty are limited to receiving the award every ten years. The major selection criterion is exceptional original contributions to research and scholarship, including the creative and performing arts.

Nominees must be a tenured member of the University of Northern Iowa faculty with at least five years of full-time service at UNI at the time of nomination. One nomination from each department may be submitted by the department head to the dean by Friday, October 25, 2019. The department head will include the CV of the nominated faculty member along with the nomination. After consulting with the College Senate, the dean will forward up to two names (CHAS: four names possible; COE; CSBS and CBA) to the Graduate College on Friday, December 6, 2019 by 4:30 PM. In addition, each college dean must attest to the fact that the appropriate College Senate was directly involved in selecting the nominees. The deans’ nominees will be contacted by the Graduate College and asked to submit supporting materials, which are due on Friday, January 31, 2020 by 4:30 PM. Each dean will select a representative (CHAS: two representatives) from their college, but outside the departments of the nominees, to serve on the selection committee.

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Signature of Nominee ___________________________________________ Date _____________

Signature of Department Head _______________________________________ Date __________

Signature of College Dean __________________________________________ Date __________

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JAMES F. LUBKER FACULTY RESEARCH AWARD
2019 – 2020

Nominees will be notified to submit materials.
Materials submission deadline is Friday, January 31, 2020 by 4.30 PM.

These materials should be prepared for colleagues who may not be familiar with the literature, terminology, or details associated with the nominee’s field of research or creative activity.

One copy of each of the following must be submitted to the Graduate College by 4.30 PM on the deadline date (see above). Items 1 through 5 must be submitted electronically.

1) A signed cover sheet with original signatures.

2) A complete and current vita, limited to scholarly or creative record. Be sure to separate publications by type (e.g. books, book chapters, refereed journal articles, non-refereed publications, invited presentations/performances, contributed presentations/performances, recordings, etc.) Impact factors of journals or acceptance rates would be helpful.

3) A summary statement (not to exceed 2 typed pages, 12 inch font, Times New Roman) written by the nominee, summarizing the nominee’s exceptional original research or creative record—particularly the most significant works, highlighting their originality, importance, and impact in the nominee’s field.

4) A maximum of two letters of support, sent directly to the Graduate College. Letters should address the extensive record of contributions to the field, transformative innovations to the field; and the demonstrated reputation of the nominee.

5) Ten items in digital form: Books and/or articles or appropriate examples of scholarly and creative work must be submitted to supplement the written narrative. (one item = 1 book; or one article; or one creative work)

Contact the Associate Dean of the Graduate College @ 3-2748 or at gabriela.olivares@uni.edu, if you have any questions.