**ELEANOR O. KAPLAN AWARD**

Eleanor Kaplan began her career at Purdue University as the Business Administrator in the Education Department in 1979. She transferred to the School of Management in 1981, where she spent the rest of her career as a Business Administrator. Eleanor has left each of us who knew her with the legacy of her positive and cheerful attitude and the importance of customer-valued service.

Through the generosity of an anonymous donor, we are able to honor the memory of Eleanor and the legacy she has left by recognizing current Administrative and Clerical staff in the Business Manager organization who have demonstrated excellence and leadership in providing customer service. Recipients of the award will receive a $250 cash prize, have their names engraved on a plaque displayed in Freehafer Hall, and be recognized during an award ceremony. Two/Three awards are made each year, to both Administrative and Clerical staff.

**PAST RECIPIENTS**

**1996**
Nancy Allrich
Charlie Long

**1997**
Terry Knight
Elaine McMindes

**1998**
Shirley Farmer
Wanda Stevens

**1999**
Angie Delworth
Neisha Kennedy

**2000**
Ruth Burton
Ken Sandel

**2001**
Phyllis Ferguson
Margaret Patterson

**2002**
Jolene King
Jim Layman
Liz Rausch

**2003**
Deb Dimmitt
Juanita Robertson

**2004**
Carla Brady
Kim Mullen
Amber Vibbert

**2005**
Tammy Emilson
Kathy Moore

**2007**
Brenda Gunion
Theresa Baker
Cherise Hall

**2008**
Lisa Higbie
Lynn Jacobs
Christy Haddock

**2009**
Corey Back
Kim Van Meter

**2011**
Karen Barnard
Kristin Hartwick
Kathleen Poindexter

**2012**
Teresa Foley
John Globoker
Lynly Horine

**2013**
Anna Anderson
Kimberly Dixon
Janet Ogden

**2014**
Amy Storms
Jen Kaiser
Julianne Pierson

**2015**
Jessica Arnold
Karen Robinson
Mary Bell