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Norden Teaching Award 1993 Dr. Larry L. Jackson

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Dr. Larry L. Jackson was selected as the 1994 recipient of the Norden Teaching Award. Jackson, a professor in the Veterinary Clinical Sciences Department, was gratified to be recognized and remarked, “this award should keep me going for another twenty years.”

The Norden Teaching Award is presented annually to a faculty member who has proven to be remarkable in teaching ability, has good character and leadership abilities, and is dedicated to the profession of veterinary science and to teaching.

The selection is made by a committee of three prior Norden winners who consider student input when making their decision.

Jackson’s current duties include teaching anesthetic principles to sophomores and clinical applications and principles of anesthesia to juniors and seniors. He also administers and supervises the anesthetic care to local and referred patients of the ISU Veterinary Teaching Hospital as well as performing in-house consultations and telephone consultations. He provides 24 hour emergency care 16 weeks each year.

The recipient earned his B.S. and D.V.M. degrees from Michigan State University, his M.S. from Iowa State University and is a Diplomate in the American College of Veterinary Anesthesiology.

Jackson is a husband and the father of three sons who enjoys instructing canine obedience courses and being a superintendent of the Story County 4-H Dog Project. His acreage is home to five dogs, seven cats, two horses, one hinny, three sheep, and a pygmy goat.

After twenty six years in academia, Jackson still thoroughly enjoys teaching and says each day brings a new challenge and often a reward. The students keep him young and interested and it shows in his everyday attitude.

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