

H.E. Klinefelter Award Winners

- 1959: L.S. HERRON * — Farmers Union State Exchange, Nebraska > Felco > Land O'Lakes
- 1960: BILL CHAMBLESS — Nationwide Insurance
- 1961: KENNETH HINSHAW # — Eastern States Co-op > Agway
- 1962: JERRY VOORHIS # — Co-op League of USA > NCBA
- 1963: BILL CORWIN # — Southern States
- 1964: HAROLD HAMIL # — Farmland Industries
- 1965: W. GIFF HOAG # — Farm Credit Admin. > (Hoag & Associates)
- 1966: BERYLE STANTON # — Farmers Co-op Service, USDA
- 1967: J.K. STERN # — American Institute of Cooperation
- 1968: LES NELSON — Wisconsin REC
- 1969: CARLYLE HODGKIN * — Co-op League of USA
- 1970: ERICK KENDALL # — Central Cooperative Wholesale > Midland > Land O'Lakes
- 1971: OUIDA COX — Arkansas Electric Cooperative
- 1972: VAL SHERMAN # — National Milk Producers Federation
- 1973: DAVID BRYANT — Missouri Farmers Association
- 1974: OWEN HALLBERG # — American Institute of Cooperation
- 1975: JEAN RICE — Gold Kist
- 1976: HAL MARTIN # — Landmark
- 1977: FRANK WHITSITT — Farmland Industries
- 1978: DONALD R. TINDALL — Southern States
- 1979: DON HANES — National Council of Farmer Co-ops
- 1980: GENE INGALSBIE # — USDA
- 1981: FORREST BRADLEY — Mid-America Dairyman
- 1982: ROBERT BEASLEY — Farmland Industries
- 1983: TED DAVIS # — FS Services (retired)
- 1984: JIM ERICKSON — St. Louis Bank for Cooperatives
- 1985: BEN SUNBURY # — Farm Credit Administration (retired)
- 1986: KEN TVEDTEN — Land O'Lakes (retired)
- 1987: J.C. BROWN — NRECA
- 1988: JERRY KIRK — Tennessee Farmers
- 1989: GENE CLIFFORD SR. # — NRECA (retired)
- 1990: MARSHA MARTIN # — Farm Credit Bank of Texas
- 1991: JON GREENEISEN — Consultant > Cobank
- 1992: MARY KAY BIDLACK — National Council of Farmer Cooperatives
- 1993: PATRICK DUFFEY — USDA
- 1994: SHIRLEY K. SULLIVAN # — Southern States Cooperative
- 1995: JAMES R. HASSE — CommSciences (formerly with Wisconsin Dairies)
- 1996: ROGER B. GUNDLACH — Genex Cooperative Inc.
- 1997: JIM TUCKER — Farmland Industries
- 1998: SUSIE J.R. BULLOCK — Cooperative Communicators Association
- 1999: JEAN JANTZEN — Cenex Harvest States > CHS Inc.
- 2000: JIM LEUENBERGER — Cooperative Resources International
- 2001: DOUG GRAHAM — Nationwide Insurance
- 2002: LETA MACH — National Cooperative Business Association
- 2003: DAN CAMPBELL — USDA Rural Development

2004: PATRICIA KEOUGH-WILSON — Minn-Dak Farmers Cooperative
2005: JANET SCHONIGER — CoBank
2006: LANI JORDAN — CHS Inc.
2007: DONNA ABERNATHY — DLF Communications Services
2008: PAUL WESSLUND – Kentucky Association of Electric Cooperatives
2009: MARK BAGBY – Calcot, LTD
2010: GREG BROOKS – Walton EMC
2011: CLAIRE SMITH – Sunkist Growers