

LOWELL CATLETT, PH.D.

Introduction

Lowell B. Catlett, PhD, retired as a Regent's Professor/Dean and Chief Administrative Officer at New Mexico State University's College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences in July, 2015. While at New Mexico State University he received honors as "College of Agriculture and Home Economics Advisor of the Year" and "Teacher of the Year".

An exciting futurist, his knowledge of technologies and their implications on the way we will live and work is addressed in his varied and upbeat presentations. Dr. Catlett works both nationally and internationally, presenting his "take" on trends in health care, agriculture, the environment, education, and more. Dr. Catlett has been a consultant for the U.S. Departments of Agriculture and the Interior of Defense and Labor; as well as many Fortune 500 companies.

Dr. Lowell Catlett received his doctorate in Economics from Iowa State University and in 2010 he received the Henry A. Wallace Award which was established in 1978 to honor an Iowa State University alumnus who has made an outstanding contribution to National or international agriculture in writing, teaching, research and leadership.

He has twice received the Don C. Roush Award for Excellence in Teaching, and also has received the prestigious Burlington Foundation Faculty Achievement Award for Outstanding University Teaching, as well as being one of two Western Regional recipients of the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges: "Excellence in College and University Teaching in the Food and Agricultural Sciences Award." He was awarded the "2007 Distinguished Alumni Award" from West Texas State University where he received his Bachelor's degree in Agricultural Business and Economics

Dr. Catlett received the New Mexico Distinguished Public Service Award in 2013 from the Governor of the state because of his dedication to public service and to the betterment of life in New Mexico.

He and his wife, Joni, share their home in Mesilla, New Mexico, with three dogs, a passel of cats and a barn full of bats.

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