

Jack W. Lindquist, past President of Kansas Agriculture and Rural Leadership, Inc. is the **KARL Graduate Program Director**.

Jack Lindquist's professional career has been concentrated on human development and agricultural education

activities since 1980, including two years as a 4-H Youth Agent for the Dickinson County Cooperative Extension Service, eight years as a KSU Agent for Agriculture with the Douglas County Extension Service in Lawrence and from 1990 to June 2013 as President and program director for Kansas Agriculture and Rural Leadership, Inc., (the KARL Program).

Jack is a graduate of Kansas State University with a BS in Agricultural Education and minor studies in Broadcasting and Mass Communications. He is also a graduate of the Indiana University Center of Philanthropy Fund Raising School and Essentials of Management Training Program. Jack also is a graduate of the Kansas Health Foundation Master Facilitators Program and Kansas Leadership Center Leaders Edge Course.

Jack has co-sponsored a Citizenship Washington Focus delegation for the Kansas 4-H program and eleven adult leadership groups to Washington DC. He has also led international tours with groups traveling to Germany, Poland and the Czech Republic, Belgium, France, England, Hong Kong and China, Chile and Argentina, Australia and New Zealand, Mexico and Costa Rica, Brazil, Ghana - West Africa, India, Viet Nam and Peru. Graduate Program tours have been conducted in Ireland, Louisiana, Sweden and Alaska, Australia, and the Alps region of Germany, Switzerland and Austria.

Jack's volunteer service includes the Kansas 4-H program with current leadership work as chairman of the Rock Springs State 4-H Center advisory for facility development. He is also a volunteer interpreter at the Flint Hills Discovery Center. Jack is married to Lindy (Richardson) Lindquist, State Extension 4-H Specialist (ret).

