

Leadership LINK & Nebraska State Government Chapters February Luncheon Meeting



- TOPIC:** “What Does NIC Mean to You?”
- SPEAKER:** Daniel J. Duncan & Kate A. Engel, Nebraska Innovation Campus
- WHEN:** Thursday, February 26, 2015 at 11:30 AM
- WHERE:** Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department Training Center, 3140 N Street
- NOTES:** \$5 for Leadership Link and State Chapter members & \$10 for non-members (payable at the door). Menu - Assorted Sandwiches, Chips, Fruit, Dessert & Beverages
- RSVP:** By noon on Monday, February 23, 2015 to Elaine Severe at esevere@lincoln.ne.gov

Nebraska Innovation Campus (NIC) is connecting the talents of experts, companies and the university to create a unique culture of innovation. As a research campus designed to facilitate new and in-depth partnerships between the University of Nebraska and private sector businesses, NIC is located adjacent to the University of Nebraska–Lincoln (UNL) on the site of the old State Fairgrounds. At full build-out, NIC will be a 2.2-million square-foot campus with uniquely designed buildings and amenities that encourage people to create and transform ideas into global innovation. NIC aspires to be the most sustainable research and technology campus in the United States—find out what this will mean to you by attending the February luncheon meeting!



Dan Duncan is the executive director of Nebraska Innovation Campus. Dan began his tenure with the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 1987 and on October 1, 2011, he moved into his current position. Dan has a Master of Science Degree in Agricultural Economics-Agribusiness, and Bachelor of Science Degrees in Animal Science and Agronomy all from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Dan is a LEAD VII Fellow. He is also a member of the Nebraska Hall of Ag Achievement and the Agricultural Builders of Nebraska.

Kate Engel is the community engagement and operations manager for Nebraska Innovation Campus. Kate is responsible for developing and implementing programs for NIC aimed at creating a culture that encourages collaboration and partnerships between NIC, the university and the community. She is a 2006 graduate of Nebraska Wesleyan University and earned a Master of Arts in Management from Doane College in 2011. Kate is currently working on a Ph.D. in human sciences with a specialization in leadership studies at UNL.

