

2002 Southern Region AAAE Conference Awards



Distinguished Lecture

Dr. John Hillison (left), Virginia Tech
(presented by Dr. Rick Rudd, University of Florida)



Distinguished Teaching Award

Dr. Bill Weeks (right), Oklahoma State University
(presented by Dr. David Coffey, Western Kentucky University)



Distinguished Research Award

Dr. Rick Rudd (right), University of Florida
(presented by Dr. David Coffey, Western Kentucky University)



Outstanding Agricultural Educator

Dr. Walter Taylor (right), Mississippi State
(presented by Dr. David Coffey, Western Kentucky University)

Outstanding Young Agricultural Educator

Dr. Kim Dooley, Texas A&M
(picture not available)

Research Paper Awards

Outstanding Research Paper

Characteristics of the Turfgrass Industry in 2020: a Delphi Study with Implications for Agricultural Education Programs. Eddie Seagle - Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College and Maynard Iverson - University of Georgia (picture not available)



First Runner Up

Important Issues Facing Agriculture in Oklahoma: A Qualitative Analysis of Agricultural Leaders' Perspectives. Kathleen Kelsey (left), William Weeks (right) and Robert Terry (not pictured) - Oklahoma State University. (presented by Nick Place, University of Florida)



Second Runner Up

Job Satisfaction of Agriculture Teachers in Georgia and Selected Variables Indicating Their Risk of Leaving the Teaching Profession. Peter Bennett - Effingham County High School; Maynard Iverson, Frederick Rohs, Christine Langone, and M. Craig Edwards (pictured on left) - University of Georgia. (presented by Nick Place, University of Florida)



Outstanding Graduate Student Paper (tie)

Loss, Retention and Recruitment of Junior Market Livestock Sale Buyers in the State of Colorado: Factors that Contribute to Retention and Loss. Jackie Bruce - Texas A&M University.

Outstanding Graduate Student Paper (tie)

Strategies Used by Arkansas Daily Newspaper Editors in Making Gatekeeping Decisions About Agricultural Issues. Dwayne Cartmell - Oklahoma State University and James Dyer - University of Florida. (picture not available)

Poster Session Awards



Outstanding Poster

Changing the Organization: Focusing Extension Professional Development on Clientele End Results. Dr. Nick Place (right), University of Florida. (presented by Dr. Bill Weeks, Oklahoma State University)

First Runner Up

The University of Florida's College of Agricultural and Life Sciences' Distance Education Faculty Training Program. Dr. Ricky Telg and Dr. Tracy Irani, University of Florida. (picture not available)



Second Runner Up

(presented by Dr. Bill Weeks, Oklahoma State University)