

Award Winners at the 2018 SAEA Meeting in Jacksonville, Florida

Emerging Scholars

David Ortega, Michigan State University
Naveen Adusumilli, Louisiana State University
Abigail Okrent, USDA Economic Research Service

Lifetime Achievement Awards

Kim Jensen, University of Tennessee
Wade Brorsen, Oklahoma State University
Darrell Bosch
Virginia Tech University

Academic Quiz Bowl winners

1st – Patriots – Mitchel Stringer (Mississippi State University), Carolyn Lofredo (Auburn University),
Addie Stone (Clemson University) and Erica Rogers (University of Kentucky)

2nd - Bengals – Jessica Brown (Mississippi State University), Andrew Hall (Clemson University), Amber
Beers (University of Florida) and Gage Patton (University of Georgia)

3rd – Falcons – Valerie Regan (Texas A&M University), Troy McDonald (Texas A&M Commerce), Meri
Beth Day (Auburn University) and Amanda Higgins (Oklahoma State University)

Teaching of a Course Award

Mathew Interis, Mississippi State University. AEC 4233 Environmental Economics

Extension Award

Individual: Dr. John Robinson, Texas A&M University. "Cotton Marketing Programs in Texas."

Outstanding Dissertation

Eunchun Park, Oklahoma State University. "Three Essays on Insurance and Options in Agricultural
Economics." Outstanding Thesis Kindra Williamson, Texas A&M University. "An Empirically- and
Theoretically-Based Model of the Market for Pollination Services"

Outstanding JAAE Article

Kovacs, Kent and Alvaro Durand-Morat. "The Influence of On- and Off-Farm Surface Water Investment
on Groundwater Extraction from an Agricultural Landscape." JAAE 49, 3 (August 2017): 323-46.

Poster Awards

1st - Nathan Kemper, Jennie S. Popp and Rodolfo Nayga, Jr., University of Arkansas. "A Query Theory Account of a Discrete Choice Experiment under Oath."

2nd - Timothy Woods and Mahla Zare Mehrjerdi. "Local Food Purchasing Frequency by Locavores across Market Channels – Implications for Local Food System Development."

3rd - Florence Lwiza and Sidonia McKenzie, Kansas State University. "Resource Use Changes with Biogas Technology Adoption."