



## 2018 Awards Program



Anchorage, AK

June 24- June 26



## 2018 WAEA Awards Ceremony

Welcome ..... Randy Fortenbery, President

### Presentations

- Outstanding Published Research Award
- Outstanding Extension Program Award
- Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching Award
- Graduate Paper or Master's Thesis Award
- JARE Awards
- WAEA Fellow Awards

### Outstanding Published Research Award

"Dilemmas, coordination and defection: How uncertain tipping points induce common pool resource destruction." Games and Economic Behavior. July 2017, volume 104, Pages 760-774. Authors: Alexander Maas

(University of Idaho), Christopher Goemans (Colorado State University), Dale Manning (Colorado State University), Stephan Kroll (Colorado State University), and Thomas Brown (US Forest Service)

### Outstanding Extension Program Awards for Project

Cory Walters, Jessica Groskopf, Robert Tigner, and Kate Brooks.  
University of Nebraska

### Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching Award, More Than 10 Years Experience

Eric Houck, California State University - Chico

### Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching Award, Less Than 10 Years Experience

Fabio Mattos, University of Nebraska

## Past WAEA Fellows

Julian M. Alston, University of California, Davis  
DeeVon Bailey, Utah State University  
Andrew Barkley, Kansas State University  
David A. Bessler, Texas A&M University  
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Stephen Devadoss, University of Idaho  
Francis Epplin, Oklahoma State University  
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Chennat Gopalakrishnan, University of Hawaii  
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Dana Hoag, Colorado State University  
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Warren E. Johnston, University of California, Davis  
Richard Just, University of Maryland  
Ronald D. Lacewell, Texas A&M University  
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Bruce McCarl, Texas A&M University  
Dale Menkhaus, University of Wyoming  
Ron Mittelhammer, Washington State University  
GianCarlo Moschini, Iowa State University  
A. Gene Nelson, Texas A&M University  
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Ted Schroeder, Kansas State University  
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Richard Shumway, Washington State University  
Vincent H. Smith, Montana State University  
Michele M. Veeman, University of Alberta  
Cement E. Ward, Oklahoma State University  
Myles J. Watts, Montana State University  
Bruce Weber, Oregon State University  
Norman K. Whittlesey, Washington State University  
Paul Wilson, University of Arizona  
Robert A. Young, Colorado State University  
Doug Young, Washington State University  
Jason Lusk, Purdue University  
Vicki McCracken, Washington State University

## JARE Outstanding Journal Article Award

Harun Bulut (2017) "Managing Catastrophic Risk in Agriculture through Ex Ante Subsidized Insurance or Ex Post Disaster Aid" Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics 42(3): 406-426.

## JARE Outstanding Journal Reviewer Award, more than 7 Years Experience

Benaissa Chidmi, Texas Tech University

## JARE Outstanding Journal Reviewer Award, less than 7 Years Experience

Melissa McKendree, Michigan State University

## Outstanding Graduate Paper or Master's Thesis Award

Sachintha Mendis, 'Estimating Demand for Food Quantity and Quality in China.'

Advisor: Vardges Hovhannisyan. University of Wyoming

Chad Te Slaa, 'Performance of the Producer Accumulator in Corn and soy-bean Commodity Markets.'

Advisor: Lisa Elliot and Matt Elliot. South Dakota State University



# WAEA Fellow Awards



**Dawn Thilmany**  
**Colorado State University**



**Joe Outlaw**  
**Texas A&M University**



**Tom Harris**  
**University of Nevada -  
Reno**

## Special Thanks to Award Committee Chairs and Members

### Awards Committees Leadership:

Eric Blasco, Montana State University  
Gary Brester, Montana State University  
Scott Fausti, California State University  
Tom Marsh, Washington State University  
George Haynes, Montana State University  
Jeffery Peterson, University of Minnesota  
David Lambert, Kansas State University  
Hikaru Hanawa Peterson, University of Minnesota  
Tian Xia, Kansas State University  
Wade Brorsen, Oklahoma State University

### Outstanding Seniors

Molly DelCurto, Oregon State University  
Amber Roberts, Montana State University  
Riley Fite, University of Arizona  
Eliaana Bolt, Washington State University  
Austin Prewitt, University of California - Davis  
Jeffrey Hadachek, Kansas State University  
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