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**Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources
University of Nebraska-Lincoln**

2016-2017 24th Annual Report

August 1, 2016 - July 31, 2017

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Introduction

It is our pleasure to provide the Twenty-Fourth Annual Report for the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR). The annual report offers the opportunity to review as well archive the accomplishments for our College from August 1, 2016 to July 31, 2017 and dream about its future.

In the past, the annual report introduction has highlighted examples of the many accomplishments of our students, staff and faculty. It has always been important to take this opportunity to pause and reflect on the collective achievements of the past year. I think that we would all agree that this is a very exciting time for the College as well as the University, and many significant changes and initiatives have marked the past year. We hope that you take the time to enjoy this year's annual report and share our pride in our students, faculty and staff.

Many of the accomplishments may be familiar to each of you, but the sum of the whole is truly remarkable - as is the shared future we are charting. The *Great American Eclipse* occurs on August 21 and also marks the start of our Fall 2017 semester. A solar eclipse is not rare, but it is rare for one to touch only one country and be a total eclipse. In fact the last solar eclipse that touched only American soil was June 13, 1257 and the next will be January 25, 2316. The *Path of Totality* for this eclipse is confined to the United States and touches much of Nebraska, including East Campus. CASNR is in the *Path of Totality*, both figuratively and literally. This is truly a 'once in a lifetime' event for the planet and the College.

However, every day in CASNR is a 'once in a lifetime' event. Every student is like a star in the Universe with his or her own talents lighting the way - each unique and becoming a difference maker. Every day CASNR and its students, alumni, faculty and staff are positioned squarely in the *Path of Totality* of the planet's shared future. We are well prepared to partner with our global peers to develop the innovative solutions for our generation's greatest challenges. Our legacy and past accomplishments are our foundation. We enter the 2017 academic year with new and exciting leadership in the College and the Institute, wonderful new hires to complement and work with our talented faculty and staff, and exceptional undergraduate, graduate and professional students. We are ready to embrace the future.



Dedication

The College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources is more than a place, it is a state of mind, it is an experience supported by a remarkable community with an unwavering commitment to making a difference in our shared future, it is where all are encouraged to Think Big, Dream Big and Achieve Big.

This annual report is dedicated to those that define the CASNR community:

Our undergraduate and graduate students who chose us to help them become the difference makers that they will be;

The families who trusted our College to nurture their students in developing their future. There is no greater display of trust and altruism that a family can provide on behalf of their child's dreams and future;

Our faculty who understand the responsibility, are honored to accept it, and embrace the opportunity;

Our staff whose loyalty and passion for the College's mission are the lasting fabric of our community;

Our emeriti (faculty and staff) who have built the foundation that we stand on today;

Our donors who invest in our students' future and our College community which allows all to aspire for greatness and achieve their dreams;

Our stakeholders who validate our efforts every day by valuing our graduates and the efforts of our faculty and staff in discovery and engagement;

Our alumni who are truly our points of pride as they are optimistic and self-confident with a strong sense of their role and responsibility as global citizens. They are servant leaders with a commitment to serving their community. They are dreamers and doers and difference makers who will go on to make our world a better place for generations to come.

Our active duty military (current and future) and veterans whose sacrifices provide us the freedom to aspire for a better future for all, and

Our first responders and other public servants who are stewards of our day-to-day well-being.

The College is a very special place and it should never be taken for granted. We are the collective stewards of our CASNR community and its future. Every time you hear the Heuermann Clock Tower chime, take a moment to appreciate what we have and dedicate yourself to thanking someone from the past for their part in making and sustaining our community, now and forever.

That is who we are – an inclusive, multigenerational, global community of students, faculty, staff, emeriti, donors, stakeholders, alumni, and public servants.

Administration and Staff

College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources
August 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017

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| Steven Waller | Dean |
| John Markwell ¹ | Associate Dean, Academic Affairs |
| Erin Blankenship ¹ | Associate Dean, Student Affairs |
| Tiffany Heng-Moss | Associate Dean, Teaching and Learning |
| Julie Bray-Obermeyer | Career Development and Corporate Relations Director |
| Jill Brown | Assistant to Vice Chancellor for External Relations / Alumni Development Director |
| Dan Cotton | Liaison for CASNR Recognized Student Organizations |
| Hailey Daehnke ¹ | Recruitment Coordinator |
| Tom Field | Director of Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program |
| Karen Francis | Assistant Director, East Campus Visitor's Center |
| Taylor Hart | Recruitment Associate |
| Gary Hein | Director of the Doctor of Plant Health Program |
| Michael Adamowicz | Director of Forensic Science Program |
| Karen Jackson | Coordinator of Advising and Academic Program Enhancement |
| Jon Kerrigan ² | Global Education Coordinator |
| Deepak Keshwani | LEAD21 / Faculty Advisor for Justin Smith Morrill Scholars |
| Meg Klosterman Kester | Dean's Office Administrator / Alumni Relations Director |
| Ramona Miller | Office Associate |
| Sue Ellen Pegg | College Relations Director |
| Melissa Sailors | Data Technologist / Scholarship Coordinator |
| Blayne Sharpe ² | Coordinator of Rwanda Scholars Program |
| Nicole Smith | Student Development Coordinator |
| Diane Wasser | Online Student Services Specialist |

Academic Unit Administrators

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| Peggy Wantwadi ² | Coordinator of Rwandan Engagement |
| Carol Wusk ... | Secretary to the Dean and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs / Curriculum Committee Facilitator |

¹ Part-time Appointment ² Joint Appointment with IANR Global Engagement

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| Agricultural Economics | Larry Van Tassell |
| Agricultural Leadership, Education and Communication | Mark Balschweid |
| Agronomy and Horticulture | Roch Gaussoin |
| Animal Science | Clint Krehbiel |
| Biochemistry | Paul Black |
| Biological Systems Engineering | Mark Riley |
| Center for Grassland Studies | Steve Waller |
| Entomology | Gary Brewer |
| Food Science and Technology | Curt Weller |
| Plant Pathology | James Steadman |
| School of Natural Resources | John Carroll |
| School of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences | Clayton Kelling |
| Statistics | Bert Clarke |

CASNR Standing Committees

CASNR CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

The Curriculum Committee has the authority and the responsibility to examine, study, or request study of, and establish procedures and policies for, any matters concerned with the undergraduate and graduate curriculum of the College, subject to review by the faculty. The Curriculum Committee functions as an active “parent” unit in all matters relating to: a) courses prefixed AGRI; b) courses and curriculum for CASNR Professional Programs (e.g. Professional Program in Veterinary Medicine and Doctor of Plant Health); and c) all other courses and any CASNR curriculum without an academic unit sponsor (e.g., B.S. in Applied Science, B.S. in Environmental Studies, B.S. in Forensic Science, B.S. in Integrated Science, B.S. in PGA Golf Management, M.S. of Applied Science, minor in Energy Science, or minor in Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program).

Members of the CASNR Curriculum Committee for 2016-2017

Rick Stowell, Biological Systems Engineering, Chair

L.J. McElravy, Agricultural Leadership Education and Communication, Vice-Chair

Fabio Mattos, Agricultural Economics

David Holding, Agronomy and Horticulture

Kathleen Anderson, Animal Science

Karin van Dijk, Biochemistry

Troy Anderson, Entomology

Vicki Schlegel, Food Science and Technology¹

Yue Zhang, Food Science and Technology²

Gary Yuen, Plant Pathology

Drew Tyre, School of Natural Resources¹

David Wedin, School of Natural Resources²

Bruce Brodersen, School of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences

Tom Weissling, University Curriculum Committee Representative

John Markwell, CASNR Dean’s Office Representative

Erin Blankenship, CASNR Dean’s Office Representative

Melanie Simpson, Graduate Council Representative

Reilly Grealish, Student Representative

¹served during the fall semester

²served during the spring semester

COMMITTEE ON SCHOLARSHIP

The Committee on Scholarship is responsible for recommending criteria for graduation with distinction, high distinction or highest distinction, as well as recommending to the faculty, prior to December, May and August graduations, the senior students worthy of these distinctions. The Committee on Scholarship also advises the Dean on scholarship policies.

Members of the CASNR Scholarship and Graduation with Distinction Committee for 2016-2017

Steve Waller, Dean

Tiffany Heng-Moss, Associate Dean

John Markwell, Associate Dean, Biochemistry

Erin Blankenship, Associate Dean, Statistics

Lindsay Hastings, Agricultural Leadership, Education and Communication

CASNR Ad Hoc Committees

TEACHING/ADVISING AWARDS COMMITTEE

The Teaching/Advising Awards Committee is responsible for recommending candidates for the Distinguished Teaching Award and other teaching and advising awards in consultation with the CASNR Student Advisory Board.

FACULTY ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Faculty Advisory Council (FAC) has the authority and responsibility to provide counsel and advice on any topic that the Dean shall refer to the Council that potentially impacts the College and affairs not under the jurisdiction of other standing committees, to serve as a liaison between the College's administration and the faculty, to annual review procedures for evaluation of faculty and administrators within the College in concert with the Liaison Committee of IANR, to recommend to the Dean the establishment of ad hoc committees and to act as the College Committee on Committees, serve as a source of advice to the Dean or general matters of teaching and provide the primary review of CASNR educational assessment results.

The year began with a Planning and Transition Meeting held on August 16, 2016 to prepare for the academic year. Lindsay Hastings, Vice-Chair for 2015-2016, conducted the meeting. Lindsay Hastings will be chair for 2016-2017. Concetta DiRusso was elected as Vice-Chair. The Council met the second Wednesday of each month thereafter.

Highlights from the 2016-2017 academic year:

- Involved in the IANR Vice Chancellor Search
- Developed information for best practices for online CIEQs
- Restructured the membership of the Teaching and Learning Improvement Council and the Student Advising Improvement Committee
- Increased faculty awareness of Canvas migration from Blackboard
- Created "Best Practices for Integrating and Engaging International Students"
- Began work on a "Teaching Fellows Development Program"
- Endorsed clarification of "Student Eligibility Requirements for Participation in CASNR supported Co-Curricular and Extracurricular Activities"

Monthly meetings also included updates from the CASNR Dean's Office.

Lindsay Hastings, Chair
Carol Wusk, Secretary

Members of the Faculty Advisory Council for 2016-2017

Lindsay Hastings, Agricultural Leadership, Education and Communication, Chair

Concetta DiRusso, Biochemistry, Vice-Chair

Brad Lubben, Agricultural Economics

David Holding, Agronomy and Horticulture

Lena Luck, Animal Science

Santosh Pitla, Biological Systems Engineering

Fred Baxendale, Entomology
Andreia Bianchini Huebner, Food Science and
Technology
Richard Wilson, Plant Pathology
David Wedin, School of Natural Resources

Drew Tyre, School of Natural Resources
John Kammermann, School of Veterinary Medicine and
Biomedical Sciences
Steve Ladunga, Statistics

CASNR STUDENT ADVISING IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE

This committee was responsible for planning and promoting the annual Faculty Advising Awards Luncheon. The luncheon was held on October 13, 2016, in the Nebraska East Union. The keynote speaker was Dr. Tom Field, director of the Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program.

Dr. Michael P. Carlson, Undergraduate Program Coordinator and Chief Advisor in the School of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences, was the recipient of the 2016 Lawrence Crowe Outstanding Undergraduate Advising Award.

Members of the CASNR Student Advising Improvement Committee for 2016-2017

Bryan Reiling, Department of Animal Science (2013 Crowe Award Winner)
Rosalee Swartz, Department of Agricultural Economics (2014 Crowe Award Winner)
Sara Winn, School of Natural Resources (2015 Crowe Award Winner)

2016 Award Selection Committee

John Markwell, Associate Dean, Department of Biochemistry
Lindsay Hastings, Department of Agricultural Leadership, Education, and Communication
Sara Winn, School of Natural Resources

CASNR TEACHING AND LEARNING IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The Teaching and Learning Improvement Council (TLIC) held their Planning and Transition Meeting on August 16, 2016 and the Winter Interim Workshop Planning meeting on September 14, 2016 (attended by Jennifer Wood (chair), Jenny Keshwani, Karin van Dijk, Tom Weissling, John Markwell, and Carol Wusk (admin. asst.)).

The TLIC organized the 50th Winter Interim Workshop held on January 6, 2017. Approximately 80 persons attended "Building a Teaching Portfolio that Enhances Student Learning." The agenda included a panel on "Make the Most of Your Teaching Appointment: Intentional Instruction for Any Teaching Appointment", moderated by Tiffany Heng-Moss, panelists: Andrea Cupp, Joseph Dauer, Fabio Mattos, and Dirac Twidwell. Other speakers throughout the morning were: Lisa Karr, Deepak Keshwani, Beverly Russell and Terry Workman. Breakout sessions were also held to encourage active discussion of attendees on needed Resources for Instruction and strategies for evaluation of teaching. The workshop was well-rated (97% indicated an overall assessment of excellent or very good) and good feedback was received.

The council met on February 1, 2017 (Christopher Gustafson, Jenny Keshwani, Tom Weissling, John Markwell, and Jennifer Wood and Carol Wusk) to discuss the outcome of the Winter Interim Workshop and plan for Spring semester activities with the intent of building upon the momentum of the workshop. For the Spring 2017 semester, members decided to have Beverly Russell and Terry Workman provide Canvas demonstrations to individual units. This was communicated to units through the CASNR Faculty Advisory Council (FAC). Additional seminar topics were discussed for the Fall 2017 semester and included peer review of teaching,

additional Canvas capabilities (e.g. similar to Maple TA, Gradebook), and Box integration with Canvas. Ideas for the 2018 Winter Interim Workshop were also discussed.

The purpose, goals, and membership guidelines for TLIC were revised by the CASNR Faculty Advisory Council (FAC) in October. Jennifer Wood and Tom Weissling joined the FAC meeting in April to discuss these revisions and solicit nominations for TLIC membership. Nominations for membership from individual CASNR departments were sent to Wood by the second week of May and included Thomas Burkey (Animal Science), Brian Waters (Agronomy and Horticulture), Nathan Connor (ALEC), Eric Knoll (ALEC), Jamie Loizzo (ALEC), Gina Matkin (ALEC), and Santosh Pitla (Biological Systems Engineering). New members will be selected by the current TLIC membership and new members notified in early August 2017. The next meeting for TLIC will be scheduled in July to discuss the membership nominations and Fall 2017 seminar/workshop offerings.

Respectfully submitted,
Jennifer Wood, Chair

Members of the Teaching and Learning Improvement Council for 2016-2017

Jennifer Wood, Animal Science, Chair
Christopher Gustafson, Agricultural Economics
Karin van Dijk, Biochemistry
Jennifer Melander Keshwani, Biological Systems Engineering
Tom Weissling, Entomology
John Markwell, CASNR Dean's Office Ex-Officio

RECRUITMENT, RETENTION AND PLACEMENT (RRP) COMMITTEE

The CASNR Recruitment, Retention and Placement (RRP) Committee is comprised of faculty and staff representing each academic program in CASNR and the CASNR Dean's Office. The Committee meets monthly to develop strategies and to plan and coordinate both college-wide and academic program activities.

Members of the RRP Committee for 2016-2017

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| Jim Alfano | Taylor Hart | Sara Roberts |
| Michelle Bassford | Jenna Hefley | Erin Sayer |
| Erin Blankenship | Benjamin Heinisch | Brandi Sigmon |
| Julie Bray-Obermeyer | Dann Husmann | Lisa Silberman |
| Dennis Brink | Karen Jackson | Nicole Smith |
| Mike Carlson | Carmen Kelle | Anne Streich |
| Michael Cooley | Deepak Keshwani | Rosalee Swartz |
| Evan Curtis | Dennis McCallister | Brooke Talbot |
| Jess Fernau | Ramona Miller | Lila Tooker |
| Thomas Field | Michelle Muir-Lewis | Elyse Watson |
| Karen Francis | Pam Murray | Randy Wehling |
| David Gosselin | Sue Ellen Pegg | Sara Winn |
| Jenny Gravely | Allison Raymond | |
| Christine Haney-Douglass | Johnathan Recker | |

Academic Unit and Program News and Events

In May, each academic unit and program was mailed a questionnaire to collect information for the 2016-2017 Annual Report. The dates for reporting were August 1, 2016 to July 31, 2017.

1. List students who have been recognized by your department for outstanding achievements. (List students' names by first name, middle initial, last name). [Number of nationally-competitive awards won by undergraduate and graduate students].
2. List scholarships given by your department (not through the Dean's Office). (List students' names by first name, middle initial, last name).
3. List new teaching faculty hired by your department in the last year (August 1, 2016 to July 31, 2017). (List faculty by first name, middle initial, last name).
4. List teaching faculty who have retired in the last year (August 1, 2016 to July 31, 2017). (List faculty by first name, middle initial, last name).
5. List faculty who have added a teaching appointment in the last year (August 1, 2016 to July 31, 2017). (List faculty by first name, middle initial, last name).
6. List deceased faculty in the last year (August 1, 2016 to July 31, 2017). (List faculty by first name, middle initial, last name).
7. Other. List any additional information that has not been requested which identifies significant accomplishments in the unit's academic mission.

Agricultural Economics

Department Head
Dr. Larry Van Tassell

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Alexis Arens, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Jacob Atwood, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Tristan Brott, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Amanda Clymer, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Alyssa Converse, Department Outstanding Junior Award
Kaitlyn Cumming, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Jordan Damkroger, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Cody Drudik, Wall Street Journal Senior Award
Collin Freeman, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Regan Gilmore, Department Outstanding Senior Award
Volodymyr Guk, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Molli Hagge, Department Outstanding Junior Award
Erika Harms, Department Outstanding Junior Award
Kyle Heithoff, Department Outstanding Junior Award
Taylor Kaus, Department Outstanding Senior Award
Amanda Kowalewski, Department Outstanding Junior Award
Jace Kranau, Department Outstanding Junior Award
Cody Kuester, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Brianna Kumm, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Erica Lewis, Western Agricultural Economics Association Senior Award
Benjamin Loseke, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Travis Martin, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Joshua McDowell, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Anna Meduna, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Rhett Montgomery, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Sierra Nelson, Department Outstanding Junior Award
Brandon Nichols, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Caleb Nuehring, Department Student Leadership and Service Award, Superior Scholar Senior Award
John Radil, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Andrea Ramirez-Gurney, Department Outstanding Senior Award
Dakota Riecken, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Shelby Riggs, Department Outstanding Junior Award
Railen Ripp, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Lindsey Sabatka, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Jacy Spencer, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Grant Suddarth, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Lindsay Weber, Superior Scholar Junior Award
Thomas Waldo, Superior Scholar Senior Award
Jadine Wiese, Superior Scholar Senior Award

Scholarships Awarded

Jack Allen, Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Motivational Scholarship
Wes Anderjaska, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Jacob Atwood, Farm Credit Services of America Scholarship
Luke Audesmore, Neal and Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Department Scholarship
Andrew Bader, Nebraska Cooperative Council Scholarship
Michael Bauer, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
John Bohaty, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Michael Borgelt, L. and M. Liggett Family Scholarship
Tyler Brabec, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Allison Brockman, Neal and Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Scholarship
Tristan Brott, McKenzie and Lee Scholarship; Howard Beermann Scholarship
Kurt Burken, Hoegemeyer Family Scholarship
David Catsinas, Howard Beermann Scholarship
Nathaniel Choat, Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Superior Academic Achievement Scholarship
Amanda Clymer, A.W. and Edith H. Epp Scholarship
Kailey Conway, A.W. and Edith H. Epp Scholarship; Paul H. Hupf Scholarship
Kaitlyn Cumming, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Kevin Donoghue, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Cody Drudik, Farm Credit Services of America Scholarship
Colin Fellhoelter, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Tisha Foltz, Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Motivational Scholarship; Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Corby Forbes, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Marissa Franzluebbers, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Collin Freeman, Lawrence Joseph Schmitz Scholarship
Kodi Gehl, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Cheyenne Gerlach, Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Academic Achievement Scholarship
Samuel Gifford, L. and M. Liggett Family Scholarship
Riley Girard, A.W. and Edith H. Epp Scholarship
Molli Hagge, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Alyssa Hambleton, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Megan Hamling, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Erika Harms, Nebraska Cooperative Council Scholarship
Austin Harthoorn, Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Academic Achievement Scholarship
Kyle Heithoff, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship; Nebraska Cooperative Council Scholarship
Whitney Heuermann, Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Superior Academic Achievement Scholarship
Jonathan Horvatich, A.W. and Edith H. Epp Scholarship; Hoegemeyer Family Scholarship
Derrick Hostert, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Tyson Hostert, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Jack Huerter, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Logan Kalkowski, AGP Student Scholarship, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Jeffrey Katz, Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Motivational Scholarship; Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Eric Klitz, Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Superior Academic Achievement Scholarship; Nebraska Cooperative Council Scholarship
Jerrad Konz, L. and M. Liggett Family Scholarship
Christian Leichty, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Autumn Lemmer, Robert M. Scouler Memorial Scholarship
Kaylee Lorenz, AgProcessing, Inc. Scholarship

Chandler Maly, Dr. James Kendrick Memorial Scholarship
Tyler Marotz, Nebraska Cooperative Council Scholarship
Travis Martin, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Alex Medina, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Anna Meduna, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship; AGP Student Scholarship
Jesse McKillip, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
David Moss, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Kurt Nelson, Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Academic Achievement Scholarship
Preston Nelson, CoBank Scholarship
Sierra Nelson, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Andrew Neujahr, Farm Credit Services of America Scholarship
Brandon Nichols, Nebraska Cooperative Council Scholarship
Karly Niewohner, Neal and Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Department Scholarship; Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Mitchell Nissen, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Caleb Nuehring, Farm Credit Services of America Scholarship; Lawrence Joseph Schmitz Scholarship
Holly O'Donnell, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Brett Oltman, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Corin Pelster, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Jeremiah Perkins, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Bailee Peters, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Josh Pflasterer, Neal and Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Scholarship
Samuel Raun, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Brittany Reinsch, L. and M. Liggett Family; Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Academic Achievement Scholarship; Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Gabrielle Ribeiro, Neal and Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Department Scholarship
Blake Ristine, Nebraska Farm Managers/Rural Appraisers
Amber Ross, L. and M. Liggett Family Scholarship
Chase Samuelson, Neal and Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Department Scholarship
Mitchell Sawyers, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Alyssa Schmale, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Mariha Schweers, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Tyler Shriner, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Jared Stauffer, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Rylee Stoltz, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Brett Storer, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Clayton Suckstorf, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Grant Suddarth, Nebraska Farm Managers/Rural Appraisers Scholarship
Clayton Sukstorf, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Shelby Utech, Neal and Leone Spencer Harlan Freshman Agribusiness Scholarship
Lindsay Weber, Hoegemeyer Family Scholarship, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Emily Wells, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Eric Wemhoff, Robert M. Scouler Memorial Scholarship; CoBank Scholarship
Jake Werner, AGP Student Scholarship, Scouler Company Internship/Scholarship
Jadine Wiese, A.W. and Edith H. Epp Scholarship
Jessica Wubben, Nebraska Bankers Association Scholarship
Andrew Zessin, L. and M. Liggett Family Scholarship

Department of Agricultural Economics Student Ambassadors

Erika Harms, *Glennvil, NE*

Leslie Harrison, *Katy, TX*
Darrin Knobbe, *Imperial, NE*
Caleb Nuehring, *Plainview, NE*
Jake Werner, *Humphrey, NE*

Undergraduate UCARE Project and Presentation

Kaitlyn Cumming, *Examining the Capacity for Beef Production in the Sandhills*
Faculty Sponsor: Jay Parsons

Regan Gilmore, *Implications of an Environmental Tax on Meat Consumption for the Livestock and Grain Sectors in the United States and Nebraska*
Faculty Sponsor: Azzeddine Azzam

Brook Ronspies, *Impact of Landowner Behavior on Changes in Land Values*
Faculty Sponsor: Larkin Powell

Student Competitions

National Agri-Marketing Association (NAMA), April 25-28, 2017, Dallas, TX

- Fourth Place Outstanding Student Chapter
- Fifth place John Deere Signature Award
- Chapter Communications Award
- Top team, NAMA ABEF Scholarship fundraising

Marketing Team members were **Jack Allen, Jamie Bialas, Allison Brockman, Nathan Choat, Jordan Damkroger, Marydith Donnelly, Marissa Franzluebbers, Erika Harms, Leslie Harrison, Bryce Lammers, Jeffrey Katz, Darin Knobbe, Karly Niewohner, Caleb Nuehring, Brent Miller, Andrew Pavlik, Shelby Riggs, Justin Ropers, Eric Wemhoff, Jake Werner, and Jake Wilkins.**

Graduate Students

Graduate Student Awards

Department Awards

Jordyn Bader, Tomek Outstanding M.S. Student
Kofi Britwum, Tomek Outstanding Ph.D. Student
Felipe Silva, Tomek Outstanding Ph.D. Student
Dylan Riley, J.B. Hassler M.S. Research Citation
Mustapha Alhassan, J.B. Hassler Ph.D. Research Citation

Other Awards

Mustapha Alhassan, 2nd place Water for Food Conference poster competition
Felipe Silva, Widaman Distinguished Graduate Assistant Award

UNL Graduate Student Poster and Paper Presentations

Mustapha Alhassan, *Smallholder Irrigation Farmers' Preferences for Groundwater Protection under the Veolia Irrigation Scheme in Ghana*, Water for Food Global Conference, Lincoln, NE, April 2017

Ashlee Carlson, *Implications of Disaster Assistance on Demand for Index Insurance* (with K. Brooks and C. Walters), Western Agricultural Economic Association, Victoria, B.C., June 2016

- Kofi Britwum**, *Issue Involvement and Willingness to Pay for Food Safety Interventions* (with A. Yiannaka), Northeastern Agricultural and Resource Economics Association Annual Meeting, Bar Harbor, ME, June 2016
- Kofi Britwum**, *Consumer Willingness to Pay for Food Safety Interventions: The Role of Message Framing and Involvement* (with A. Yiannaka), Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, July 2016
- Lee Kottmeyer**, *ASEAN Agricultural Total Factor Productivity* (with L. Fulginiti). Association of Environmental and Resources Economists Summer Conference, Breckenridge, CO, June 2016
- Syed Imran Ali Meerza**, *Market and Welfare Effects of Food Fraud* (with K. Giannakas and A. Yiannaka), Midwest Economic Association, Cincinnati, OH, March 2017
- Iuliia Protopop**, *The Effect of Timing of Farm Transfer Initiation on Terminal Wealth in the Business Simulation Model* (with M. Boehlje), Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, July 2016
- Dylan Riley**, *Potential Groundwater Recharge Impacts of USDA's Conservation Reserve Program in the Republican River Basin*, Water for Food Global Conference, Lincoln, NE April 2017
- Sankalp Sharma**, *Shadow Price of Water under Varying Risk Preferences* (with A. Giri), International Water Resource Economics Conference, Washington, D.C., September 2016
- Sankalp Sharma**, *Welfare Consequences of Land Acquisition in India* (with T. Haque and A. Giri), Annual World Bank Land & Poverty Conference, Washington, D.C., September 2016
- Sankalp Sharma**, *A Comparison of Stated and Revealed Risk Preferences using Safety-First* (with K. Schoengold), Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, July 2016
- Felipe Silva**, *Tradeoffs between Amazon Forest and Agriculture in Brazil* (with R. Perrin and L. Fulginiti). Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, July 2016
- Felipe Silva**, *The Opportunity Cost of Forest Preservation in terms of Agriculture foregone in the Brazilian Amazon* (with R. Perrin and L. Fulginiti). Association of Environmental and Resources Economists Summer Conference, Breckenridge, CO, June 2016
- Felipe Silva**, *What is the Role of Technical Change in Brazilian Agriculture Production and its CO_{2e} Emission Intensity? and The Effect of Cooperative Membership on Agricultural Profit in the Brazilian South and Southeast Regions* (with M. Carvalho, C. Otavio, and M. Braga). Southern Economic Association, Washington, D.C., November 2016
- Felipe Silva**, *Irrigation Effects on the High Plains Aquifer: a County-Level Econometric Equation of Motion for Groundwater* (with L. Fulginiti, R. Perrin, and K. Schoengold). Heartland Environmental & Resource Economics Workshop, Urbana, IL, November 2016
- Felipe Silva**, *Technical Assistance Support Effect on Brazilian Agricultural Performance* (with C. Otavio, M. Carvalho, and M. Braga). Paper presented at the Brazilian Association of Graduate Programs in Economics, Niterói, Brazil, December 2016
- Nadeeka Weerasekara**, *Do Regulations on Fishery Resource Management Affect Spatial Competition Among Processors and Price?* (with S. Banerjee and Z. Mukherjee). Heartland Environmental & Resource Economics Workshop, Urbana, IL, November 2016
- Nadeeka Weerasekara**, *Economics of Fishing: An Application to Eastern India* (with W. Yinrou). Summer Research Symposium, Lincoln, NE, June 2016

Agricultural Economics Graduate Student Association Officers

Ashlee Carlson, *President*
 Stamatina Kotsakou, *Vice-President*
 Nadeeka Weerasekara, *Treasurer*

Faculty and Staff Awards

Simanti Banerjee, Chair-elect, Committee on Women in Agricultural Economics, Agriculture and Applied Economics Association

Jim Crandall, 2016 GROW Nebraska Member of the Year

Lilyan Fulginiti and **Federico Trindade**, Best Article Award in Agricultural Economics, The Journal of the International Association of Agricultural Economists

Lia Nogueira, Western Agricultural Economics Association outstanding published research reviewer award

Rosalee Swartz, Certificate of Recognition for Contribution to Students, UNL Teaching Council and UNL Parents Association

Department Awards

Jay Rempe, Outstanding Alumni Award

Clayton Yeutter, Outstanding Alumni Award

Nebraska Bankers Association, Outstanding Service Award

Agricultural Leadership, Education and Communication

Department Head
Dr. Mark Balschweid

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Elizabeth Stevenson, Mortar Board

Dylan Dam, Mortar Board

Rachel Pettid, Innocents Society

Lauren Stohlmann, Fall 2016 Franco's List awarded by Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs' Character Council,
CASNR Week Outstanding Student Organization Officer

Andrea Wach, Recognized for Student Leadership and Academic Achievement

Diana Marcum, One of ten selected to be a writer/correspondent for PlanetForward

Kate Likens, Nebraska Farm Bureau's Student of the Month (Agricultural Education)

UCARE Projects and Presentations

Catherine Jones, *A Case Study of Agricultural and Natural Resources Scientist and Staff Twitter Usage for Engaging Public Audiences*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jaime Loizzo

Abby Steffens, *A Case Study of Agricultural and Natural Resources Scientist and Staff Twitter Usage for Engaging Public Audiences*

Faculty Sponsor Dr. Jaime Loizzo

Cassandra Huck, *Student Perceptions of the Agricultural and Environmental Sciences Communication Degree Program: Improving and Advancing Undergraduate Education*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Karen Cannon

Haley Zabel, *Why in the Past 5-7 Years, have 40 Nebraska Schools added Agriculture Education to their Curriculum*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Lloyd Bell

Shawna Wheeler, *Guidance Counselors' Perceptions of Agriscience Courses*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Nathan Conner

Honor's Thesis

Elizabeth "Libby" Stevenson, *Examining the Relationship between Generativity and Motivation to Lead*

Faculty Advisor: Dr. Lindsay Hastings

Scholarships

Evey Choat, Ag Education – Teaching Scholarship

Kaitlyn Hanvey, Alfred Sick, Jr. Scholarship
Shelby Andersen, Dick and Connie Fleming Scholarship
Cadrien Livingston, Don Ringler Memorial Scholarship
Brittney Marks, Don Ringler Memorial Scholarship
Michael Ferguson, KRVN Scholarship
Alexandria Lundvall, KRVN Scholarship
Lauren Stohlmann, KRVN Scholarship
Emily Frenzen, Glenn Buck Memorial Scholarship
Abby Steffen, Holoubek Scholarship
Cassandra Huck, Holoubek Scholarship
Shelby Andersen, Holoubek Scholarship
Holly Podliska, Land O' Lakes Scholarship
Catherine Jones, Terry Meisenbach Scholarship
Jayde Olson, NE Farmer Scholarship
Shane Hoer, NE Farmer Scholarship
Kathryn Bagniewski, National Association of Farm Broadcasters Scholarship

Graduate Students

Jessica Bartek, research recognized and presented at the 2017 NACTA Conference, West Lafayette, Indiana at Purdue University. (2017) *Using Extension Educators to Facilitate Experiential Learning [Abstract]*. *NACTA Journal*, 61, Supplement 1.

Krystal Gabel, 2016 manuscript accepted: Sustainability Leaders' Psychological Capital. A Call for Research. *Sustainability: The Journal of Record*, 9 (5, 255-260)

Jason Headrick, research recognized and presented at the 2017 NACTA Conference, West Lafayette, Indiana at Purdue University. (2017) *Using Extension Educators to Facilitate Experiential Learning [Abstract]*. *NACTA Journal*, 61, Supplement 1
 Graduate Student Ambassador for UNL for the 2017-2018 academic year

Matt Kreifels, research recognized and presented at the 2017 NACTA Conference, West Lafayette, Indiana at Purdue University. (2017). *Science Literacy through Animal and Food Sciences [Abstract]*. *NACTA Journal*, 61, Supplement 1.

James Lee, Chancellor's Fellowship

Bre Lewis, research acceptance and presentation to the 2016 North Central Region Research Conference for the American Association for Agricultural Education: (2016, October). *Preservice Teachers' Perceptions of Science Integration in Secondary Agriscience*. North Central meeting of the American Association for Agricultural Education, West Lafayette, IN
 Research recognized and presented at the 2017 NACTA Conference, West Lafayette, Indiana at Purdue University, (2017). *Science in the Agriculture Classroom [Abstract]*. *NACTA Journal*, 61, Supplement 1.

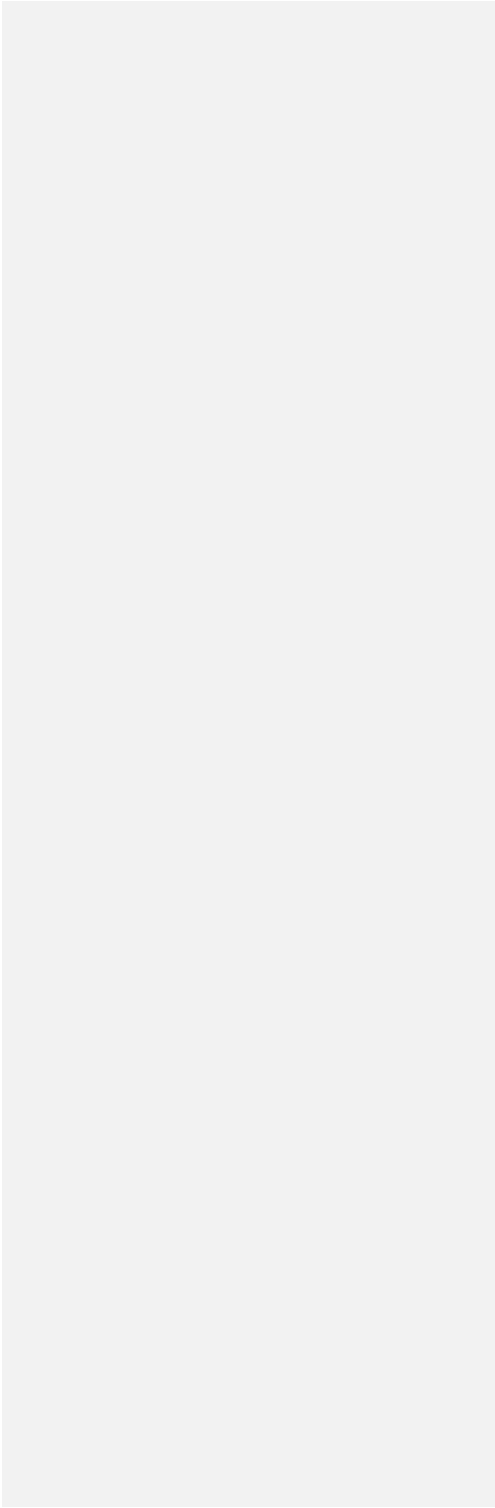
Melissa Lusk, research acceptance and presentation to the 2016 North Central Region Research Conference for the American Association for Agricultural Education: (2016, October). *Preservice Teachers' Perceptions of Science Integration in Secondary Agriscience*. North Central meeting of the American Association for Agricultural Education, West Lafayette, IN

Angie Monheim, research recognized and presented at the 2017 NACTA Conference, West Lafayette, Indiana at Purdue University. (2017) *Using Extension Educators to Facilitate Experiential Learning [Abstract]*. *NACTA Journal*, 61, Supplement 1.

Shannon Rowen, appointed by Lincoln Mayor Chris Beutler to serve on the City of Lincoln's Personnel Board

Carol Ott Schacht, research acceptance and presentation to the 2016 Mid-Western Educational Research Association's Annual Conference: (2016). *The Fastest Humans on Earth: Environmental Influences that Spark Talent Development in Olympic Speed Skaters*. Mid-Western Educational Research Association; Evanston, Illinois

Research recognized and presented at the 2017 NACTA Conference, West Lafayette, Indiana at Purdue University. (2017) *Using Extension Educators to Facilitate Experiential Learning [Abstract]*. *NACTA Journal*, 61, Supplement 1.



Department of Agronomy and Horticulture

Department Head

Dr. Roch Gaussoin
Dr. Richard Ferguson, Interim

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Kristen Albrecht, American Society of Agronomy- Crop Science Society of America – Soil Science of America’s National Student Recognition Program
Matthew Blunck, Chancellor’s Scholar
Brittney Cihal, Engler Quick Pitch with a Twist winner
Kelsey Foster, Martin Massengale Outstanding Senior Award, Engler Quick Pitch with a Twist winner
Jaclyn Nelson, Joseph Shinoda Memorial Scholarship, Jacob and Rita Van Namen Marketing Scholarship
Samantha Teten, recognized by Helena Chemical Company as the 2016 Outstanding West Central Division Intern
Ty Alexander, Ken Good Scholarship, Myron M. and Katherine Shawver Scholarship
Madelyn Bak, Henry Beachell Scholarship
Alex Bender, Ken Good Scholarship, UNL Farmers Business Network Scholarship Fund
Matthew Blunck, Dr. Franklin D. Keim Memorial Scholarship
Nathan Duffy, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Maria Basso Phillips Scholarship, Milton E. Mohr Scholarship
Miranda Earnest, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship
Spencer Endorf, Dr. Maurice L. and Katherine A. Peterson Scholarship
Rodger Farr, Agronomy and Horticulture Department Scholarship, Wylie R. Ward Agronomy Scholarship
Olivia Fiala, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Kelsey Foster, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Megan Franklin, Robinson Family Scholarship
Kenton Fritson, Henry Beachell Scholarship, Keith Weidler Memorial Scholarship
Jacob Fuehrer, Ken Good Scholarship, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Andrew Getty, Henry Beachell Scholarship, Nebraska Turfgrass Association Scholarship, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Michael Gray, C.C. Wiggins & Martha C. Wiggins Scholarship, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Roger D. Uhlinger Memorial Scholarship, Wayne C. Whitney Memorial Scholarship in Horticulture
Kolby Grint, NICCA Leonard A. Johnson Memorial Scholarship
Trevor Halstead, Dr. Maurice L. and Katherine A. Peterson Scholarship
Katie Harrell, Dr. Maurice L. and Katherine A. Peterson Scholarship
Tyler Hayes, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Ken Good Scholarship
Matthew Hellbusch, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Brandon Hessler, Professor J.C. Russel Memorial Scholarship
Benjamin Hintz, Ken Good Scholarship
Kyle Jackman, Orville A. Vogel Agronomy Fund Scholarship
Benet Kinghorn, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Elizabeth Kirby, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship
Cody Kuester, Girardin Family Student Support Scholarship
Chad Lammers, Robinson Family Scholarship
Ryan Langmeier, M. Rosalind Morris Student Support, David Larsen and Barbara Hinterlong Larsen Memorial Scholarship

Evan Laible, John Evasco and Ruth Willsie Evasco Scholarship, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Garden Club of Lincoln Scholarship
Seth Larsen, Henry Beachell Scholarship, Robinson Family Scholarship
Elizabeth Lutz, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Sarah Masek, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship
Cody McClellan, Charles and Alma Marshall Educational Leadership Endowment
Rebecca McKay, Ken Good Scholarship
Callie Meyer, Orville A. Vogel Agronomy Fund Scholarship
Caleb Milne, Henry Beachell Scholarship, Dr. Maurice L. and Katherine A. Peterson Scholarship
Andrew Musil, Nebraska Turfgrass Association Scholarship
Jennifer Myers, Robinson Family Scholarship, Milton E. Mohr Scholarship
Jaclyn Nelson, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Retail Florists Scholarship, Maria Basso Phillips Scholarship
Jacob Nikodym, Henry Beachell Scholarship, Dale and Marian Brainard Smith Scholarship
Christina Peters, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Federated Garden Clubs of Nebraska Scholarship
Cole Peters, David Larsen and Barbara Hinterlong Larsen Memorial Scholarship
Nathan Peterson, Henry J. Kroese Production Scholarship in Agronomy
Elizabeth Pierson, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship
Nicholas Preissler, Ken Good Scholarship
Hassim Raihanah, LaMoine & Margaret Brownlee Excellence Scholarship
Matthew Reiser, David Larsen and Barbara Hinterlong Larsen Memorial Scholarship
Isaac Richter, John C. Swinbank Memorial Agronomy Scholarship
Edward Ruskamp, Girardin Family Student Support Scholarship
Ben Searl, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Garden Club of Lincoln Scholarship, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Jake Sloup, Agronomy and Horticulture Department Scholarship
Opal Spidell, UNL Northern Tree Nut Research Scholarship
Gareth Stauffer, Dennis Thompson Crop Improvement Scholarship
Trey Stevens, Professor J.C. Russel Memorial Scholarship
Kaitlin Taylor, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Samantha Teten, Henry Beachell Scholarship, David Larsen and Barbara Hinterlong Scholarship
Jacob Van Boening, Keith and Alvina Strough Memorial Scholarship
Morgan VonSeggern, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship, Clara S. Tillotson Memorial Scholarship
Paige Wacker, NUtech Ventures Soybean Breeding Scholarship
Josh Wehrbein, David T. Lewis Scholarship, Dr. Robert A. Olson Memorial Scholarship, Milton E. Mohr Scholarship
Luke Welborn, Agronomy and Horticulture Department Scholarship
Amber Weyers, Blanchard Horticulture Excellence Scholarship
Samuel Zack, Dick Monson Scholarship, Ralph A. Elliott Memorial Scholarship

UCARE Projects and Presentations

Lexis Funk, *Evaluating Mechanisms of RNA Editing in Plants*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jeffrey Mower

Amy Hauver, *Reducing the Potential for Acrylamide Formation in Wheat Products*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Peter Baenzinger

Graduate Students

Graduate Student Fellowships

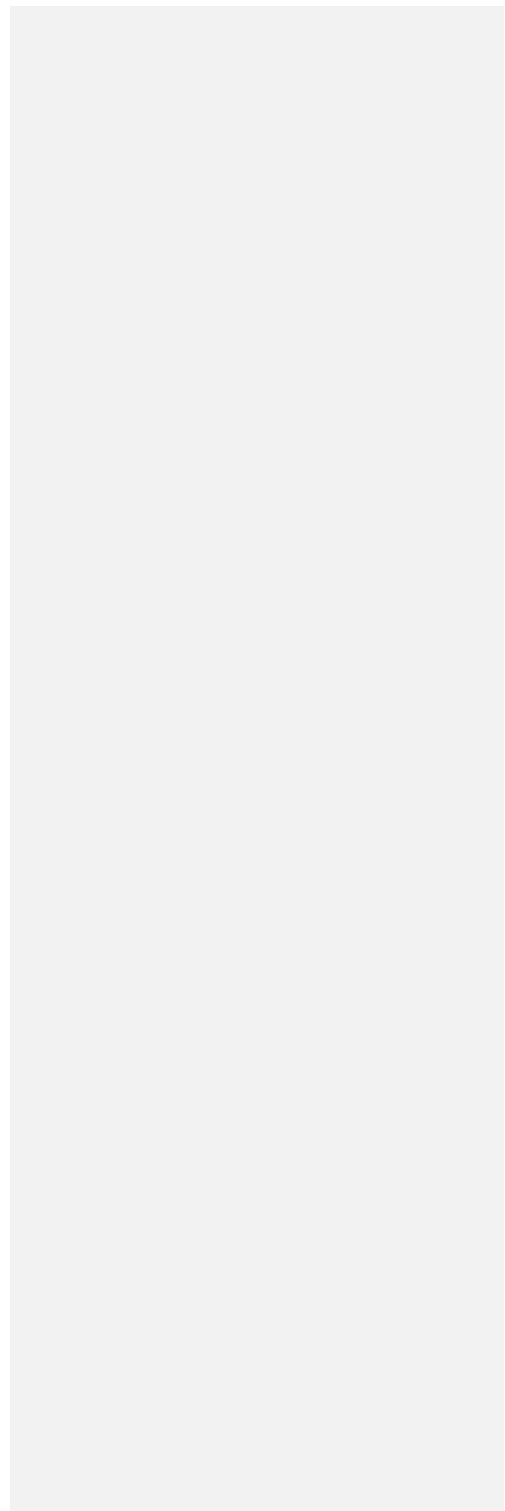
Angela Bastidas, Widaman Trust Distinguished Graduate Student Fellowship
Thomas Butts, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship- CASNR
Joel Crowther, Cooper Sharpless Fellowship
Amanda Easterly, Moseman Fellowship
Karen Ferreira da Silva, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship- CASNR
Zahoor Ganie, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship- CASNR
Mary Happ, Othmer Fellowship
Hardik S. Kundariya, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship- Center for Biotechnology
Margarita Marroquin-Guzman, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship- CASNR
Morgan McPherson, Chancellor's Doctoral Fellowship
Joshua Miller, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship- CASNR
Daniel Santana de Carvalho, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship- Center for Biotechnology
Mon-Ray Shao, Widaman Trust Distinguished Graduate Student Fellowship
Zach Stewart, Gerald O. Mott Meritorious Graduate Student Award in Crop Science
Guangchao Sun, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship- CASNR
Fatima Tenorio, Widaman Trust Distinguished Graduate Student Fellowship
Jorge Venegas, Widaman Trust Distinguished Graduate Student Fellowship, Roger Krueger Memorial Scholarship- American Seed Trade Association

Graduate Student Awards

Leonardo Bastos, First place at the 46th Annual North Central Extension Industry Soil Fertility Conference in Des Moines, Iowa
Madhav Bhatta, Leonardo Bastos, Joel Crowther, Manbir Kaur Rakkar, and Michael Sindelar, First place at the 2016 American Society of Agronomy, Crop Science Society of America, Soil Science Society of America International Annual Meeting competitions in Phoenix, AZ
Thomas Butts, Gerald O. Mott Meritorious Graduate Student Award in Crop Science
Parminder Chahal, PhD Travel Grant; First place Weed Science Society of America Outstanding PhD Student Poster; Weed Science Society Travel Grant; 2017 Outstanding Graduate Research and Creative Activities Award Honorable Mention
Zahoor Ganie, First place Weed Science Society of America Outstanding PhD Student Poster
Waseem Hussain, Samantha McConaughy, and Nonoy Badillo, awarded graduate student fellowships to attend the 5th International Conference on Quantitative Genetics at the University of Wisconsin-Madison
Waseem Hussain, invited speaker at the Kansas State Plant Breeding and Genetics 2017 Symposium and awarded Travel Grant
Maxwell Coura Oliveira, PhD Travel Grant; Global Herbicide Resistance Challenge Travel Grant
Manbir Rakkar, Daniel T. Walters Graduate Student Travel Fund
Caleb Roberts, appointed the Great Plains Graduate Fellow
Raquel Rocha, PhD Travel Grant; 29th Fungal Genetics Conference – Genetics Society of America Travel Grant
Sunil Kumar Kenchanmane Raju, Agronomy and Horticulture Graduate Student Association Outstanding Member Award
Debalin Sarangi, WSSA Outstanding Photography Award with photo titled “Risk of Gene Flow: Johnsongrass Plant in a Sorghum Field”

DECEASED FACULTY

Albert "Dale" Flowerday, former Agronomy Professor and Vice Chairman of the Agronomy Department, passed away June 10, 2017 at the age of 89.



Department of Animal Science

Department Head

Dr. Phillip Miller, Interim
Dr. Clint Krehbiel

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Tana Almand, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
McKenzie Beals, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Nebraska Cattlemen Todd Ricenbaw Memorial Scholarship, 2016 John Riley Gamma Sigma Delta Service Scholarship
Sheldon Beierman, Nebraska Cattlemen Retail Value Steer Challenge Scholarship
Joseph Bennier, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Colten Bergt, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Haley Bledsoe, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
Ashley Buescher, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Elizabeth Carreiro, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, 2017 Gamma Sigma Delta Outstanding Senior
Krista Carter, Nebraska Cattlemen Retail Value Steer Challenge Scholarship
Elizabeth Elliott, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Hannah Esch, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Nebraska Cattlemen Donovan Joachim Memorial Scholarship, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
John Essink, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Nebraska Cattlemen Beef Pit Scholarship
Nick Greene, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
Gavin Harsh, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Nebraska Cattlemen Bill Briggs Family Memorial Scholarship, Nebraska Corn Board Scholarship
Jeremy Henkel, Nebraska Cattlemen Retail Value Steer Challenge Scholarship
Nicolas Herrera, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Block and Bridle Don Geweke Livestock Judging Contest Scholarship
Justin Hodgson, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Alexa Kapla, Top Animal Science Sophomore Award, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Dawn Klabenes, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Anna Kobza, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
Devon Lockman, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Elisabeth Loseke, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Nebraska Cattlemen Beef State Scholarship, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
Alissa Martindale, I.L. Hathaway Top Animal Science Senior Award, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Milton E. Mohr Scholarship - Biotechnology
Shannon Michel, Frank E. Card Equestrian Team Award
Madeline Misfeldt, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Lexi Ostrand, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
Morgan Parris, Top undergraduate poster at the 2017 Spring Research Fair
Jesse Paxton, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Jennifer Posthuma, Eric Petersen Meats Judging Team Memorial Award
Susan Rasmussen, Block and Bridle Parr Young Outstanding Senior Merit Award
Rebecca Reicks, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Kara Riggle, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Nebraska Cattlemen Retail Value Steer Challenge Scholarship

Railen Ripp, Nebraska Cattlemen Vance Uden Memorial Scholarship
Kara Robbins, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Keeley Russman, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
Jessilyn Sayers, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Ryan Schroeder, Nebraska Cattlemen Retail Value Steer Challenge Scholarship
David Schuler, Nebraska Cattlemen Ron & Shirley Huss Scholarship
Gilbert Seck, Block and Bridle Don Geweke Livestock Judging Contest Scholarship
Hannah Settje, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Nebraska Cattlemen Retail Value Steer Challenge Scholarship, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
Ashtyn Shrewsbury, Retail Value Steer Challenge Scholarship, Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship
Renaë Sieck, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Christina Sindelar, Nebraska Cattlemen Bill Heller Memorial Scholarship
Rachel Sorensen, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award, Frank E. Card Horse Judging Team Award
Ali Stout, Nebraska Cattlemen Retail Value Steer Challenge Scholarship
Chloe Suarez, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Kara Valasek, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Eleanor Wagner, Nebraska Cattlemen Colonel Melvin Huss Memorial Scholarship
Camryn Wiens, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Emma Winters, Top Animal Science Junior Award, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
J'Nan Wittler, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Kyla Wojtalewicz, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award
Bailey Ziegler, American Society of Animal Science Academic Award

Scholarships Awarded

Tana Almand, Tim and Florence Leon Scholarship, Del Kopf Memorial Scholarship
Wesley Anderjaska, Max and Ora Mae Stark Scholarship
Alison Bartenslager, Feedlot Management Scholarship, Nebraska Cattlemen New Student Scholarship
McKenzie Beals, Great Plains Livestock Consulting Cow-Calf Scholarship
Joseph Bennier, William J. and Hazel J. Loeffel Scholarship
Haley Bledsoe, Frank and Shirley Sibert Scholarship
Ashley Buescher, Great Plains Livestock Consulting Cow-Calf Scholarship, Walter A. and Alice V. Rockwell Scholarship
Emmet Caldwell, Walter A. and Alice V. Rockwell Scholarship
Elizabeth Carreiro, William J. Goldner Scholarship
Krista Carter, Feedlot Management Scholarship, Frank and Shirley Sibert Scholarship
Liza Christensen, Animal Science Ambassador Scholarship
Emily Criser, ABS Global Scholarship
Kaitlyn Cumming, Great Plains Livestock Consulting Nutrition Scholarship
Cassidy Curtis, Nebraska Cattlemen Foundation Scholarship, Art and Ruth Raun Scholarship
Calvin DeVries, Richard and Joyce Frahm Scholarship
Trevor DeVries, Nutrition Service Associates Scholarship
Elizebeth Elliott, William J. Goldner Scholarship
Hannah Esch, Animal Science Alumni Scholarship
John Essink, William J. and Hazel J. Loeffel Scholarship
Jessica Fejfar, Art and Ruth Raun Scholarship
Alexander Frerichs, Feedlot Management Scholarship
Kayla Gadeken, Joe Hudson Scholarship

Gavin Harsh, Maurice E. Boeckenhauer Scholarship, Great Plains Livestock Consulting Nutrition Scholarship,
 R.B. and Doris Warren Scholarship, Winkler Memorial Livestock Judging Scholarship
Cassandra Heier, Tim and Florence Leon Scholarship
Jeremy Henkel, Nebraska Cattlemen Foundation Scholarship
Nicolas Herrera, William J. and Hazel J. Loeffel Scholarship
Brooke Hoyt, Baltzell Scholarship
Kimberly Johnson, Feedlot Management Scholarship
Rachel Johnson, T.J. Peters Judging Scholarship
Ambrosia Keefe, Joe Hudson Scholarship
Marissa Kegley, William J. Goldner Scholarship
Jefferson Keller, William W. Derrick Family Scholarship
Lisa Keys, Walter A. and Alice V. Rockwell Scholarship
Dawn Klabenes, Charles and Beryle Adams Scholarship
Nicholas Klein, Nebraska Cattlemen New Student Scholarship
Anna Kobza, Frank and Mary Bruning Scholarship
Ronald Kramer, Feedlot Management Scholarship
Amanda Lambrecht, Animal Science Ambassador Scholarship
Elisabeth Loseke, Animal Science Alumni Scholarship
Alissa Martindale, William J. Goldner Scholarship
Shannon Mueller, Art and Ruth Raun Scholarship
Zackary Nelson, Walter A. and Alice V. Rockwell Scholarship
Spencer Noble, Lincoln Coca-Cola Bottling Company
Cooper O'Connor, Feedlot Management Scholarship
Lexi Ostrand, Doane Scholarship
Brooke Paczosa, Walter A. and Alice V. Rockwell Scholarship
Felicia Pandorf, Art and Ruth Raun Scholarship
Jesse Paxton, Dwight F. and Minnie L. Stephens Scholarship
Tyler Pickenpaugh, Robert H. Hatch Scholarship
Rudy Pooch, Philip Starck Scholarship
Charmayne Popp, Philip Starck Scholarship
Nolan Poss, Feedlot Management Scholarship
Teara Ramer, Oxbow Animal Health Companion Animal Scholarship
Brigitte Rathey, Nebraska Cattlemen Beef Industry Scholars Progressive Scholarship
Greg Rechberger, Elton and Carrie Aberle Scholarship
Megan Reuter, Richard C. and LaRayne Wahlstrom Scholarship
Alexander Rickett, Feedlot Management Scholarship, Richard and Joyce Frahm Scholarship, Chris and Sarah
 Raun Memorial Scholarship
Kara Riggle, Arthur W. and Viola Thompson Scholarship
Railen Ripp, Nebraska Cattlemen Beef Industry Scholars Progressive Scholarship, William W. Derrick Family
 Scholarship, Animal Science Ambassador Scholarship
Kara Robbins, Don and Ray Gard Scholarship
Clayton Roland, R.B. and Doris Warren Scholarship
Brianna Sander, Frank and Shirley Sibert Scholarship
Jessilyn Sayers, Frank and Shirley Sibert Scholarship
Savannah Schafer, Block and Bridle Club Scholarship
Ryan Schroeder, Maurice E. Boeckenhauer Scholarship, Nebraska Cattlemen Foundation Scholarship
David Schuler, Art and Ruth Raun Scholarship, Animal Science Ambassador Scholarship
Hannah Settje, Art and Ruth Raun Scholarship
Ashtyn Shrewsbury, William and Barbara Rishel Block and Bridle Honoree Scholarship
Christina Sindelar, Frank and Shirley Sibert Scholarship
Joseph Sonderman, Nebraska Beef Industry Bruntz Scholar Progressive Scholarship
Rachel Sorensen, Chris and Sarah Raun Memorial Scholarship

Ali Stout, Richard C. and LaRayne Wahlstrom Scholarship
Lauren Teets, Lincoln Coca-Cola Bottling Company Scholarship, Arthur W. and Viola Thompson Scholarship
Brent Tenopir, Feedlot Management Scholarship
Reese Tuckwiller, R.B. and Doris Warren Scholarship
Austin Underwood, William J. Goldner Scholarship, Harry J. LaToush Scholarship
Brenda Venteicher, Frank and Shirley Sibert Scholarship
Eleanor Wagner, Nebraska Cattlemen Beef Industry Scholars Progressive Scholarship
Emma Winters, Oxbow Animal Health Companion Animal Scholarship
J'Nan Wittler, William J. Goldner Scholarship
Miranda Wordekemper, Walter A. and Alice V. Rockwell Scholarship
Bailey Ziegler, Thomas H. Wake, III Scholarship

UCARE Projects and Presentations

Gavin Harsh, *Cows with Irregular Estrous Cycles and Anovulation may be determined by Altered Hormonal Profiles at Puberty Onset*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Andrea Cupp

Alexa Johnson, *Planting Dates of Summer Annuals and Spring Annuals; Difference in Production Between Dates*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Mary Drewnoski

Katy Kirschner, *The Effect of VEGFA in Granulosa Cells on Fertility*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Andrea Cupp

Amanda Lambrecht, *Effect of Reduced Endogenous GnRH-II Receptors on Porcine Sperm Function*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Brett White

Alissa Martindale, *Developing a Disease Challenge Model by Investigating the Relationships Associated with Nutrient and Energy Utilization in Diseased Pigs*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Thomas Burkey

Kyle Regan, *Origin of Gonadotropin-releasing Hormone II in Porcine Seminal Plasma*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Brett White

Anna Rodriguez, *Effects of an Open Colony Housing System on Skeletal Bone Health & Welfare in Laying Hens*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Sheila Purdum

Kylee Sutton, *Detection of SLA II Variants Associated with Disease Susceptibility in Swine*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Daniel Ciobanu

Undergraduate Student Teams

UNL Academic Quadrathlon Teams:

The 2017 UNL Animal Science Academic Quadrathlon competition was conducted on Sunday, February 26. Three teams of four students competed in events including a lab practicum, written exam, and a quiz bowl.

The team of **Kyle Regan**, **Amanda Lambrecht**, and **David Schuler** were declared overall champions for the 2017 UNL Animal Science Academic Quadrathlon competition.

The champion team represented the University of Nebraska-Lincoln at the Midwest Regional Academic Quadrathlon competition that was conducted on March 12 and 13, 2017 in conjunction with the American Society of Animal Science Midwest Sectional meetings in Omaha, NE. For the Midwest regional competition, **Kyle Regan** and **Amanda Lambrecht**, were joined by **Austin Starr** and **Spencer French** to complete the team. At the regional competition, the UNL team competed against 12 other institutions in events including a lab practicum, oral presentation, written exam, and quiz bowl.

2017 Beef Merchandising Class:

The UNL Bull Sale, held the second Saturday in April, merchandises approximately 45 bulls to commercial producers. In addition to these 45, more bulls are sold to other UNL herds. This event, made possible by the teaching herd resources at ENREC, supplies reliable genetic resources to commercial producers in Nebraska and surrounding states, provides a unique educational experience for students, and is an opportunity to educate producers about breeding practices and tools for genetic improvement. The Beef Cattle Merchandising class is responsible for all facets of the sale including advertising, preparation of the bulls, putting together the sale catalog and conducting the sale. The class also benefits from multiple invited speakers during the semester representing seed stock producers and allied industry representatives who share their knowledge and experiences with the students.

Nebraska Beef Industry Scholars:

The Nebraska Beef Industry Scholars (NBIS) Program is a unique minor available to UNL students. This program is part of a greater effort to improve beef education and research in the state of Nebraska, The Beef State. The NBIS program allows undergraduate students in any major at UNL the opportunity to network with beef industry leaders, attend key industry meetings, and tour cutting edge enterprises. As importantly, NBIS focuses on developing communication and critical thinking skills through a specialized suite of courses centered on industry issues and beef centric policy that enhance the fundamental beef and economics courses required to educate the future leaders of the beef industry.

2016-17 Equestrian Team:

The UNL Equestrian Team, comprised of both a Western Team and Hunt Seat Team, competes in Zone 8, Region 5 through the Intercollegiate Horse Show Association. IHSA, the Intercollegiate Horse Show Association, was founded on the principle that any college student should be able to participate in horse shows, regardless of their financial status or riding level. It attempts to eliminate the expenses of students owning horses and allows more students to compete. Students ride horses that are furnished by the host college and are chosen by random drawing at the beginning of the show. The theory behind this structure is to equalize variables of the competition and test the horsemanship skills of contestants. Classes range from walk/trot for students with minimal riding experience to the open division for the more experienced riders. IHSA is an organization that encompasses 37 Regions with almost 400 member colleges – representing more than 9000 riders. This year marks the 50th year since the founding of IHSA.

This year, the Huskers continued to carry on their legacy of success. The Western Team added another Regional Championship to the books, for the thirteenth consecutive year. With their Regional Championship, the Western Team will compete at Semi-Finals for a chance to continue on to Nationals for the eighth consecutive year. Junior **Selena Finn** was the Regional Western High Point Rider. In total, ten western riders and four hunt seat riders qualified for regionals individually. Western Regionals was hosted by Colby Community College where seven of our riders placed in the top two of their class. This moves them on to compete at Semi-Finals hosted by St. Andrews University for a chance to compete at Nationals. Hunt Seat Regionals was hosted by Colorado College

where two of our riders placed in the top two of their classes, qualifying them to compete at Zones held at Stanford University for a chance to ride at Nationals.

The Husker Equestrian Team could not have this success without community support and fundraising. The team's philanthropy, Boo at the U, was successful and fun for everyone as the team dressed up horses, dawned creative costumes, decorated the barn, and welcomed the community to share a common love for horses. The team also sold cookie dough and advertisements for its show programs, volunteered at Kimmel Orchard, and assisted the Nebraska Quarter Horse Association in running AQHA shows. Wish the Huskers luck as they ride for the University of Nebraska-Lincoln through post-season competition!

2016-17 Horse Judging Team:

The 2016 UNL Horse Judging Team had competed in three competitions the fall of 2016. The team consists of **Rachel Sorensen**, a senior from Plainview Nebraska, **Elli Dearmont**, a senior from Hickman, NE, **Kate Rawlinson**, a senior from Lincoln, NE, and **Caitlin Davis**, a junior from Waverly. The team practices over three days a week, and some weekends. The competitions entail, judging 12 classes, 8 performance, and 4 halter classes. The first contest was in Tulsa, Oklahoma, for the Tulsa State fair. This is a warm up contest for the team. **Rachel Sorensen** placed 6th in performance and they were 5th overall as a team. The second contest was a first for the judging team, Arabian Nationals held in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Here **Rachel Sorensen** was 9th in performance, **Elli Dearmont** was 5th in halter, and 5th in reasons, **Kate Rawlinson** was 8th in halter, and **Caitlin Davis** was 7th in reasons. The team was 2nd in reasons, 3rd in halter, performance, and 3rd place overall team. The last contest was the AQHA World Championships. In the Limited division, for halter **Caitlin Davis** was 7th, and **Elli Dearmont** 4th, for performance, **Caitlin Davis** 10th, **Kate Rawlinson** 7th, and **Elli Dearmont** 1st, for reasons **Caitlin Davis** was 7th, and **Elli Dearmont** 5th. Overall **Caitlin Davis** was 6th and **Elli Dearmont** was high individual. In the Senior College **Rachel Sorensen** placed 5th in reasons. The team was coached by Dr. Kathy Anderson and Rebecca Gunderson, UNL graduate student.

2016-17 Meats Judging Team:

The 2016 Senior Meat Judging Team consisted of **Cheyann Lovett**, **Jennifer Posthuma**, and **Nicolas Herrera** and coached by Sara Sieren and Jessica Lancaster. The team competed at the Hormel Barrow Show Meats Contest in Austin, MN, the Eastern in Wylausing, PA, American Royal Meat Judging Contest in Omaha, NE, High Plains Meat Judging Contest in Friona, TX and the International Meat Judging Contest in Dakota City, NE. **Cheyann Lovett's** fall accomplishments were 3rd in Lamb Judging (Eastern), 7th in Fresh Meats (Barrow Show), 8th in Placings (High Plains), 8th in Placings (Barrow Show), 9th High Individual (Barrow Show), 10th in Questions (Barrow Show). **Jennifer Posthuma** was 1st in Processed Meats (Barrow Show), 4th Placings (Barrow Show), 9th in Pork Judging (Royal), 10th in Beef Grading (Royal), and wrote the high set of beef carcass reasons at the International with a 48. **Nicolas Herrera** was 4th in Lamb Judging (High Plains), 6th in Placings (Royal).

The 2017 Junior Meat Judging Team consists of **Renae Sieck**, **Sophia Lentfer**, **Ryan Schroeder**, **Hunter Schroeder**, **Brent Tenopir**, and **Keaton Lusche** and was coached by Jessica Lancaster. This spring we traveled to the National Western Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest in Greeley, Colorado, the Iowa State University Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest in Ames, Iowa, and the Missouri Processed Meats Contest in Columbia, Missouri. At the National Western individual **Renae Sieck** received 3rd in Lamb Judging. At Iowa State, the team came away 7th overall, 5th in Pork Judging, 3rd in Total Placings, 5th in both Beef and Lamb Judging. Individual **Brent Tenopir** placed 7th in Beef Judging. **Hunter Schroeder** was 5th in total placings. At the Missouri Processed Meats Contest the team was tied for 3rd in the team activity and 5th overall. Individual **Renae Sieck** was 2nd in specifications. **Keaton Lusche** was 3rd in specifications. This spring the team will also travel to the South Eastern in Columbus, OH and Lexington, KY. The 2017 team will continue to travel to contests this fall.

Meat Animal Evaluation Team:

The National Meat Animal Evaluation Contest is a three-day competition that combines the principles of meats and livestock judging with real-world valuation of market animals, along with a basic understanding of current issues among the meat and livestock industries. The 2017 contest was held at Kansas State University April 2-4.

It is truly a capstone event that is as practical and industry-relevant as any competition UNL is a part of. This year's national competition included 13 teams and 131 individuals. In a competitive contest, UNL brought home a 5th place finish overall. This was highlighted by a 4th place finish beef evaluation and 4th in the breeding animal division. UNL also finished in the top 7 in the following categories: Market Animal Evaluation, Meats Evaluation, Sheep Evaluation, and Swine Evaluation. **Tyler Pickinpaugh** was 5th in the Breeding Division, **Nicolas Herrera** was 10th in Meats Evaluation, and **Jesse Paxton** was 12th Overall. More important than the rankings, participation on this team provides an opportunity for students interested in livestock production to better understand all aspects of the industry; from selection of breeding stock, to feeder calf grading, fat cattle, and carcass pricing. These experiences will hopefully provide a catalyst for their future career success in the livestock and meats industries. The team was coached by Brad Bennett, Jessica Lancaster, and Jefferson Keller.

Graduate Students

Mohamed Ayoub Abedalmajed, Svajgr Family Award
Felipe Azevedo Ribeiro, David H. and Annie E. Larrick Student Travel Grant
Taylor Barnes, William G. Whitmore Memorial Travel Grant
Shana Barnett, Svajgr Family Award
Ashley Bigge, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship
Robert Bondurant, Jr., Svajgr Family Award
Bradley Boyd, Svajgr Family Award
Jordan Burhoop, Svajgr Family Award
Caitlin Cadaret, Svajgr Family Award, Graduate College Student Travel Grant
Zachary Carlson, Svajgr Family Award
Ashley Conway, Svajgr Family Award, American Society of Animal Science Midwest Section Graduate Director
Jordan Cox, Svajgr Family Award
Amy Desaulniers, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship, Svajgr Family Award, 2017 Gamma Sigma Delta Outstanding Graduate Student
Ellan Dufour, Svajgr Family Award
Josephine Foley, William G. Whitmore Memorial Travel Grant, Svajgr Family Award
Shelby Gardine, Svajgr Family Award
Shelby Garland, Svajgr Family Award
Jana Gramkow, Svajgr Family Award
Benjamin Hansen, Svajgr Family Award
Mariah Hart, Svajgr Family Award, William G. Whitmore Memorial Travel Grant
Fred Henry Hilscher, Jr., Svajgr Family Award
Robert Jones, Svajgr Family Award
Tasha King, Svajgr Family Award
Alicia Lansford, Svajgr Family Award, David H. and Annie E. Larrick Student Travel Grant
Mary Lenz, Svajgr Family Award
Andrea McCain, Svajgr Family Award, David H. and Annie E. Larrick Student Travel Grant
Elena Merrick, Winner in the Graduate Student and Postdoc Poster Session at the 2017 NPOD Symposium, William G. Whitmore Memorial Travel Grant
Sarah Nafziger, Svajgr Family Award, William G. Whitmore Memorial Travel Grant
Kathleen Ochsner, Svajgr Family Award
Caitlin Ohnoutka, Svajgr Family Award
Colton Oney, Svajgr Family Award
Lauren Ovinge, Svajgr Family Award, Othmer Fellowship

Jamie Parham, Svajgr Family Award
Hannah Riley, Svajgr Family Award
Kevin Sargent, 2016 Gamma Sigma Delta International Foundation Graduate Scholarship
Kashly Schweer, Graduate College Student Travel Grant
Samantha Sechler, Svajgr Family Award
Shelby Springman, Svajgr Family Award
Erin Stevens, First place in the graduate student poster competition at the Livestock and Poultry Environmental Learning Center Waste-to-Worth National Conference
Carol Thompson, Svajgr Family Award
Kelsey Timme, M.J. Cooksley Memorial Travel Award
Braden Troyer, Svajgr Family Award
Kristen Ulmer, Svajgr Family Award
Dana Van Sambeek, Svajgr Family Award
Lianna Walker, Svajgr Family Award
Cody Welchons, Svajgr Family Award
Hiruni Wijesena, Svajgr Family Award
Thomas Winders, Svajgr Family Award
Haipeng Yu, Svajgr Family Award
Madeline Zimmermann, Svajgr Family Award

Deceased Faculty

Franklin Eldridge

Earl Ellington

Glen Froning

Department of Biochemistry

Department Chair

Dr. Paul Black

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Claire Adams, Honors Program; Parent's Association Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students
Henry Anderson, G and M Plucknett Scholarship
Rebecca Anderson, Honor's Program; David Distinguished Scholar; A&S Scholarship; Regents Scholar
Jayden Barth, Regents Scholar
Daisy Guiza Beltran, McNair Scholar under the advisement of Dr. Nicole Buan
Erin Bertone, Honor's Program
Madison Bierman, Honor's Program
Shannyn Bird, Roscoe C. Abbott Scholarship; Chancellor's Scholarship
Shelby Bloomer, Highest Distinction; Chancellor's Scholarship; Alpha Zeta Agricultural Honorary Society
Ashley Bogus, Honor's Program
Josh Brisco, Regents Scholar
Rebecca Brooks, Regents Scholar; Mary & Kevin Case Scholarship
Nina Bui, Honor's Program
Bryce Byman, Honor's Program
Lindsey Cavlovic, David Distinguished Scholar
Dang Dang, Honor's Program; Regents Scholar
Jocelyn Daubendiek, Honor's Program; Regents Scholar; Luther Drake Scholarship
Megan Dinges, College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources Scholarship
Taylor Ditoro, Fleming Schofield Scholarship
Andrew Egger, Milton E. Mohr Scholarship; ASBMB Honor Society Inductee; ASBMB Student Chapter Travel Grant Awardee; Grace & Mable Souther Scholarship
Evan Eilers, Honor's Program; Regents Scholarship; Director's Club Fund Scholarship
Madeline Eischen, Honor's Program; George Beadle Scholarship
Andrew Eski, George Beadle Scholarship
Leah Engquist, Honor's Program
Qian Yee Fam, Global Laureate Scholarship
Farid Farkouh, High Distinction; Herbert Thomas & Lilah David Folsom Memorial Endowment Award
Jonathan Forbes, Ruth Leverton Scholarship; Scarlet Scholarship
Aubrey Ford, Honor's Program
Sierra Hansen, Max John & Pauline H. Stuermer Scholarship Fund; Beckman Scholar; ASBMB Honor Society Member
Trang Hoang, Nebraska Achievement Scholar; Holling Memorial Scholarship; Alvin J. Gard Scholarship; SSS Grant Awardee
Sarah Howat, Holling Memorial Scholarship
Aaron Jensen, Director's Club Fund Scholarship; Raymond & Annette Kubie Scholarship
Samuel Jensen, Franco's List
Spencer Jones, Honor's Program
Tyler Kallman, High Distinction; Samuel H. Perry, MD & Patricia B. Perry, PhD, Scholarship
Thomas Kaspar, George Beadle Scholarship
Brianna Kellar, ASBMB Honor Society Inductee; Regents Scholar; Honor's Program; Holling Memorial Scholarship

Amir Khorsandi, EducationQuest Scholarship
Naomi Kirkvold, Regents Scholar; Honors Program; Glen & Ester Foner Scholarship
Sophia Kisling, Donald P. Weeks Scholarship; Regents Scholar
Nicholas Kite, David Distinguished Scholar
Madeline Koenig, David Distinguished Scholar; A&K Wehr Memorial Student Support Award
Ian Lagerstrom, Regents Scholar; Honor's Program; Roscoe C. Abbott Scholarship; R. Valdez Delta Upsilon Award; Castner Family Delta Upsilon Scholarship; Gamma Sigma Delta Honor Society Inductee; Alpha Zeta Agricultural Honorary Society
Tony Le, Honor's Program
Chunjiang Li, Global Delegate Scholarship
Wenkuan Li, Global Delegate Scholarship
Joanne Lin, High Distinction
Benjamin Lundberg, Nebraska Achievement Scholar; Fleming Schofield Scholarship
Kalika Mahato, Honor's Program
Sonoor Majid, McNair Scholar under the advisement of Dr. Concetta DiRusso
Gina Mai, Sue Wilson Scholarship
Grace Merritt, Holling Memorial Scholarship
Robert Mills, David Distinguished Scholar; Honor's Program
Jenna Mohrmann, James Canfield Scholarship; Honor's Program; Holling Memorial Scholarship; Glen & Esther Foner Scholarship
Shannon Moore, Honor's Program
Sean Murphy, George Beadle Scholarship
Ann Ngo, Honor's Program; Nebraska Traditions Scholarship; Portia A. Goke Scholarship
Nghi Nguyen, Global Laureate Scholarship
Matthew O'Dell, High Distinction; Honor's Program
Hannah O'Neill, Honor's Program; Regents Scholar; ASC Dean's Scholar Award
Erin Oeltjen, Milton E. Mohr Scholarship
Ella Oney, David Distinguished Scholar; Honor's Program
Frank Owusu-Ansah, Nebraska Achievement Scholar
Amaryssa Parker, Wilson Fund for Humanities in Medicine
Abi Paudel, Honor's Program; Franco's List
Jeremy Payne, Innocents Society
Connor Pedersen, Ruth Leverton Scholarship
Emily Petersen, Honor's Program; George Beadle Scholarship; George C. McGinnis Scholarship
Bailey Peterson, Regents Scholar
Ryan Prazynski, Chancellor's Scholarship
Maggie Rempe, Honor's Program
Colton Roessner, Benjamin M. Sahagian Scholarship; High Distinction; Honor's Program; Chancellor's Scholar (Perfect 4.0); ASBMB Honor Society Inductee
Brandi Russell, Zeta Chapter – Delta Zeta Scholarship; Honor's Program; Ivan & Darlene Auer Scholarship
Ashlyn Salts, Ruth Leverton Scholarship
Robin Sarik, Regents Scholar; Honor's Program; Holling Memorial Scholarship
Andrew Schacht, ASBMB Honor Society Inductee
Brenna Schulte, David Distinguished Scholar; Honor's Program; Pepsi Scholar's
Landri Silvester, George Beadle Scholarship
Chandler Smith, Johnny Carson Scholarship
Luke Smith, High Distinction
Megan Smith, Chancellor's Scholarship; Honor's Program
Kadie Sobota, Regents Scholar; Honor's Program; Ida Wilkens Berger Scholarship; Director's Club Fund Scholarship
Caroline Spethman, Honor's Program
Rachel Steffen, Nebraska Legacy Program

Lauren Strigel, George Beadle Scholarship
Samantha Surber, James Canfield Scholarship; Honor's Program; George C. McGinnis Scholarship
Samuel Taylor, Highest Distinction; Honor's Program; Chancellor's Scholar (Perfect 4.0); Beckman Scholar; Chancellor's Math & Science Award; ASBMB Honor Society Member; Mortar Board
Chin Kiong Tee, Global Ambassador Scholarship
Danielle Thiessen, E. Dorcas Nelsen Fund Scholarship; Holling Memorial Scholarship
Jon Thompson, Regents Scholar
Sarah Tjards, Honor's Program
Sydney Townsend, Honor's Program
Tiffany Truong, ASBMB Honor Society Inductee
Dyllan Usher, Regents Scholar
Allison Vlach, Benjamin M. Sahagian Scholarship; High Distinction; Beckman Scholar; ASBMB Honor Society Inductee; George Beadle Scholarship; Innocents Society
Erich Vogel, Milton E. Mohr Scholarship; Honor's Program; High Distinction; Regents Scholar; Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneur Scholarship
Jeffrey Wallman, High Distinction; Honor's Program; Regents Scholar; Director's Club Fund Scholarship; Alpha Zeta Agricultural Honorary Society; Mortar Board
Madelaine Weissend, Honor's Program; George Beadle Scholarship
Shaylee Wilcox, Ruth Leverton Scholarship
Jennifer Wies, Honor's Program
Colin Wooldrik, Regents Scholar; Honor's Program; Holling Memorial Scholarship; Allegra Wilkens Scholarship
Wen Xiao, Global Delegate Scholarship

UCARE Projects and Presentations

Shannyn Bird, *Cell Collective: Cultivating a Community Resource for Biochemical Computational Models*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Tomas Helikar

Andrew Egger, *To Determine the Heparin Binding Domain in Stabilin-2*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Edward Harris

Sierra Hansen, *Identifying DJ-1 Interactors Using Engineered Non-Dissociable DJ-1*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Mark Wilson

David Hartline, *Principles of Carbon Catabolite Repression in the Rice Blast Fungus: Tps1, Nmr1-3, and a MATE-Family Pump Regulate Glucose Metabolism during Infection*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Richard Wilson

Brianna Kellar, *To Determine the Heparin Binding Domain in Stabilin-2*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Edward Harris

Kalika Mahato, *Effects of Sestrin 2 Expression on Adipocyte Differentiation*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Seung Hyun Ro

Matthew O'Dell, *Determination of the Roles for Copper in Cell Signaling Involved in Growth, Cancer, and Nutrition Metabolism*, under the advisement of Dr. Jaekwon Lee -- *Mechanistic Insights into Copper Mediated Phosphorylation of MET*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jaekwon Lee

Erin Oeltjen, *Purification, Characterization, Crystallization of Cren8 Protein*
 Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Paul Blum

- Abi Paudel**, *The Use of X-ray Crystallography to Determine how Computationally Designed Inhibitors of HIV Viral Fusion Bind to the Viral Protein gp41*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Mark Wilson
- David Pratt**, *Computational Modeling Intervention: Using Dynamical Models and Simulations to Teach Immunological Processes*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Tomas Helikar
- Colton Roessner**, *Engineering a Human Neuronal cell line Depleted of Mitochondrial Metalloprotease Oma1*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Oleh Khalimonchuk
- Brandi Russell**, *Coenzyme M is an Archaeal Antioxidant*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Nicole Buan
- Andrew Schacht**, *Structure-Function Relationship of the WhiB-like Proteins in Mycobacterial Pathogens*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Limei Zhang
- Megan Smith**, McNair Scholar *Purpose of Proposed Chondroitin Binding Proteins in Methanobrevibacter smithii*;
ASM Fellowship Project: *Physiological Purpose of Chondroitin Adhesion Proteins in the Human archaeon, Methanobrevibacter smithii*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Nicole Buan
- Samuel Taylor**, *Evaluation of the Fatty Acid Transport Protein FATP2 Inhibitor Lipofermata in Mice*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Concetta DiRusso
- Danielle Thiessen**, *Reliability and Validity of Lower Limb Function Questionnaire, Karen Rispin of LeTourneau University*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Rebecca Lai
- Erich Vogel**, *Investigation of Pseudomonas Syringae Effectors' Mechanism to Deacetylation of H3K9 in Arabidopsis, Tetraselmis, Taurine, and Aquaculture Industry*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Karin van Dijk
- Jeffrey Wallman**, *Assessing N-Nitrosoatrazine Toxicity in the Chicken Embryo*
Faculty Sponsors: Dr. Patrick Shea and Dr. Martha Rhoades (Kiesselbach Crops Research Labs and School of Natural Resources)
- Jennifer Wies**, *Analysis of Histone Deacetylase Involvement in Pseudomonas syringae Triggered Chromatin Changes*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Karin van Dijk

2016-2017 Group Recognition

Biochemistry Club, selected by ASBMB Outstanding Student Chapter, 2017

Graduate Students

Allison Barnes, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Rebecca Roston, Hardin Distinguished Graduate Fellowship, chaired a session on temperature stress in plants; gave a talk, and presented a poster at the

American Society for Plant Biology meeting; presented a poster and was discussion leader for the Plant Lipids Gordon Research Symposia

Joseph Brake, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Jaekwon Lee, 1st year Othmer Fellowship

Joshua Floth, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Mark Wilson, 1st year Chancellor's Fellowship

Edward Germany, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Oleh Khalimonchuk, Molecular Mechanisms of Disease Trainee

George Grady, under the advisement of Dr. Melanie Simpson, travel award for the International Society for Hyaluronan Sciences (ISHAS) conference

Colton Miller, under the advisement of Dr. Edward Harris, travel grant from the 2016 OTS (Oligonucleotide Therapeutics Society) Annual Meeting; travel grant from Molecular Mechanisms of Disease Symposium

Matt Moran, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Xinghui Sun, 1st year Chancellor's Fellowship

Timothy Nicodemus, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Paul Black, 1st year Chancellor's Fellowship

Sagar Patel, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Don Becker, Certificate of Achievement for serving as a mentor for the Nebraska Redox Biology Center Research Experience for Undergraduates; David H. and Anne E. Larrick Memorial Student Travel Fund Award; Certificate of Appreciation for outstanding research oral presentation at the Nebraska Redox Biology Center Spring Retreat; Scientific demonstration table volunteer at American Chemical Society Nebraska Local Section's SciPop Interactive event at the Strategic Command & Aerospace Museum, Ashland, NE

Vincent Perez, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Paul Black and Dr. Tomas Helikar, poster at the Experimental Biology 2017 Conference-*Computational Modeling of Human Fatty Acid Transport Protein 2 (FATP2)*

Jordan Rose, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Rodrigo Franco Cruz, Molecular Mechanisms of Disease Trainee

Brenna Zimmer, under the graduate advisement of Dr. Melanie Simpson, MMod Travel Award at the annual MMod symposium for poster *Manipulating UDP-glucose Dehydrogenase (UGDH) to Alter Androgen Response in Prostate Cancer Therapeutic Resistance*

Biological Systems Engineering

Department Head

Dr. Mark Riley
Dr. David Jones, Interim

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Benjamin Barelman, Edgar Rogers Memorial Scholarship
Daniel Behrens, John Sulek Memorial Scholarship
Emily Bender, AGP Biological Systems Engineering Student Scholarship
Keith Bendix, Wayne E. and Virginia R. Thurman Scholarship
Clayton Blagburn, Fred R. Nohavec Scholarship
Micah Bohlin, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship
Kelsey Bohling, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship
Jonah Bolin, John Deere Scholarship
Noah Bolin, Case New Holland Scholarship
Jacob Brettman, Jack Schinstock Scholarship
Olivia Bures, Lloyd W. And Margaret V. Hurlbut Memorial Scholarship
Jordan Busboom, Case New Holland Scholarship
Jared Donoghue, John Deere Scholarship
Rylan Dvorak, Case New Holland Scholarship
Isaac Frerichs, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship
Alec Fuelberth, Warren P. Person Memorial Scholarship
Paulina Guzek, Glen D. Chambers Scholarship
Turner Hagen, AGP Biological Systems Engineering Student Scholarship
Austin Helmink, Elenore Gakemeier Swarts Distinguished Scholarship
Mitch Herbig, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship
Junior Hilker, Wayne E. and Virginia R. Thurman Scholarship
Max Hjermstad, Lloyd W. And Margaret V. Hurlbut Memorial Scholarship
Michaela Horn, Edgar Rogers Memorial Scholarship
Craig Hruska, Ken Von Bargaen Student Support Scholarship
Jonathon Jahnke, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship, Outstanding graduating senior in MSYM, 1st Individual Overall in Math Exam at NACTA
Nicholas Jarecki, Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Hoppe, Sr. Memorial Scholarship
Josiah Johnson, Paul E. and Mary Beth Fischbach and Family Scholarship
Noah Johnson, Ivan D. Wood Memorial Scholarship
Joshua King, John Deere Scholarship
Michael Kirstein, Warren P. Person Memorial Scholarship
Cody Kneifl, Ken Von Bargaen Student Support Scholarship
Zak Kurkowski, Dirk and Janice Petersen Scholarship
Caleb Lindhorst, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship
Kyle Lindhorst, John Deere Scholarship
Troy McDonald, Ivan D. Wood Memorial Scholarship
Zoie McFarland, John Deere Scholarship
Anthony Meusch, Paul E. and Mary Beth Fischbach and Family Scholarship
Brendan Meyer, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship
Hunter Miller, Tom Thompson Memorial Scholarship

Joshua Murman, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship
Samantha Nelson, Glenn J. and Maria L. Hoffman Scholarship
Ravi Raghani, Dr. and Mrs. William E. Splinter Scholarship
Kevin Real, Chancellor's Scholar
Catherine Rock, Leonard G. Schoenleber Scholarship
Deidre Sandall, Elenore Gakemeier Swarts Distinguished Scholarship, Outstanding graduating senior in BSEN
Jacob Schlick, Case New Holland Scholarship
Aaron Steckly, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship, Outstanding graduating senior in AGEN
Dylan TePoel, Ivan D. Wood Memorial Scholarship
Emily Thrailkill, Elenore Gakemeier Swarts Distinguished Scholarship
Evan Updike, Darrell J. Nelson Summer Undergraduate Internship in Energy Sciences Research
Amanda Van Sant, Orve and Scott Hedden Memorial Scholarship
Parker Wallin, George Milo Peterson Scholarship
Seth Wetovick, Leroy W. and Jeane E. Thom Scholarship
Dillon Wordekemper, Wayne E. and Virginia R. Thurman Scholarship

UCARE Projects

Janelle Adams, *Hydrogel Platform for Single Walled Carbon Nanotube Sensors for In Vitro and In Vivo Nitric Oxide Detection*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Nicole Iverson

Ellie Ahlquist, *Creating a Cardiopulmonary Bypass Machine Pump Model to Simulate Blood Flow During Cardiac Surgery for the Quantification and Measurement of Emboli*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Gregory Bashford

Victoria Bart, *Single Wall Carbon Nanotube Fluorescence Detection to Quantify Nitric Oxide Concentrations in Cell Culture Conditions*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Nicole Iverson

Conner Beyersdorf, *Engineering a Model of the Circle of Willis*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Gregory Bashford

Jeremy Blackford, *Agricultural Field Robotics for Plant Data Acquisition*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Santosh Pitla

Madison Burger, *Measuring Ocular Blood Flow to Monitor Changes in Intracranial Pressure*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Gregory Bashford

Christopher Davidson, *Zein Film Coatings on Glass and Gold for Substrate Mediated Gene Delivery*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Angela Pannier

Shadid Fernanda De la Rosa, *Effect of Fenton and photo-Fenton Pretreatments on Solubilization of Lignocellulosic Biomass*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Sibel Irmak

Collin Erickson, *Quantifying String Players' Breathing Through Biosignal Analysis*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Gregory Bashford

Lindsey Hollmann, *Engineering Water Availability and Quality Integration based on Sensitivity of Nitrogen levels to Fluctuating Hydroclimatological events in the Platte River Basin*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Francisco Muñoz-Arriola

Josiah Johnson, *Apparent Gaining and Losing Streams in Nebraska*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Troy Gilmore

Doussou Shannan Karibuhoye Said, *Safe and eco-friendly Approach for Chemical Hair Straightening*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Yiqi Yang

Mitchell Maguire, *Large-scale Irrigation*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Francisco Muñoz-Arriola

Katie Meiergerd, *K-12 Engineering Outreach Activity Development*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jennifer Keshwani

Marissa Nitz, *Stability of Transcranial Doppler Headsets During Movement*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Gregory Bashford

Allison Porter, *Integrated Transcranial Doppler/Vestibular Monitor for Sideline Concussion Assessment*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Gregory Bashford

Ling Qiu, *Data Mining and Climate Analytics*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Francisco Muñoz-Arriola

Carissa Raymond, *Impact and Analysis of Streambank Stabilization Practices on Cedar River, Nebraska*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Aaron Mittlestet

Daniel Rico, *Streamflow Sensitivity to Changes in Temperature on the Platte River Basin*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Francisco Muñoz-Arriola

Joseph Stapleton, *Hydrogel Platform for Single Walled Carbon Nanotube Sensors for In Vitro and In Vivo Nitric Oxide Detection*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Nicole Iverson

Erin Stevens, *Dynamic Leaf Temperature Analysis of Basil (Ocimum) Greenhouse Plants for Moisture Stress*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. George Meyer

Jordan Verplank, *Biological Systems Engineering / Major: Biological Systems Engineering*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Angela Pannier

Conner Vokoun, *Value-added Products Development from Lignocellulosic Biomass*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Sibel Irmak

Megan White, *Ultrasound Elastography for Musculoskeletal Structure Assessment*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Gregory Bashford

Undergraduate Student Teams

The UNL Quarter Scale Tractor Club competed at the International ¼ Scale Tractor Competition in 2017 in Peoria, IL. X-Team won the competition as well as 1st place overall in written report and oral presentation among 8 teams. UNL's A-Team received 3rd place in a very tight competition.

Graduate Student Awards

Ryan Anderson, 2017 Gakemeir Swarts Travel Award
Emily Bender, 2017 National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP) Fellowship
Naisargi Nitinkumar Dave, 1st place in the 2017 Water for Food Conference Graduate Student Online Poster Competition
Ellen Emanuel, 2016-2017 Milton E. Mohr Fellowship
John T. Evans, IV, Elenore Gakemeir Swarts Outstanding Doctoral Graduate Student
Benjamin David Hage, 2017 Gakemeir Swarts Travel Award
Meetpal Kukal, Bill and Rita Stout Award to Outstanding International Graduate student in the BSE Department
Tsz Him Lo, 2016-2017 Cooper Sharpless Fellowship
Mitchell Maguire, 2016-2017 Cooper Sharpless Fellowship
Nathan Rice, 2017 National Engineering Recruitment Fellowship
Linda Schott, 3rd place in the graduate student poster competition at the Livestock and Poultry Environmental Learning Center Waste-to-Worth National Conference, Preparing Future Faculty Program
Vasudha Sharma, 2016-2017 Milton E. Mohr Fellowship
Rachel Stevens, National Corn Growers Association Scholarship
Gabriell Stoll, 2017 National Engineering Recruitment Fellowship
Tyler Troyer, Elenore Gakemeir Swarts Outstanding Master's Graduate Student
Sophia Walsh, 2017 Nebraska Engineering Recruitment Fellowship
Lauren Wondra, 2017 CoE Travel Grant

FACULTY RECOGNITION

Gregory Bashford, Honorary Membership to UNL Innocents Society; Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students, UNL Parents Association and UNL Teaching Council
Troy Gilmore, Holling Family Distinguished Teaching/Advising/Mentoring Award, College of Engineering; Faculty Fellow, Daugherty Water for Food Global Institute
Roger Hoy, Holling Family Senior Faculty Teaching Excellent Award, College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources; Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students, UNL Parents Association and UNL Teaching Council
Suat Irmak, Best Paper Award for two technical papers, Environmental & Water Resources Institute; Most Viewed Refereed Journal Article, American Society of Civil Engineers
Nicole Iverson, Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students, UNL Parents Association and UNL Teaching Council
Deepak Keshwani, Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students, UNL Parents Association and UNL Teaching Council
Joe Luck, College of Engineering Faculty Service Award; Advanced Engineering Technology Conference 2017 MVP Award; Regional Award for Bound Book Communication Piece, National Association of County Agricultural Agents; Regional Award for Extension Video, National Association of County Agricultural Agents
Angela Pannier, Tau Beta Pi Distinguished Teaching Award; Outstanding Undergraduate Research Mentor Award; Darrell W. Nelson Excellence in Graduate Student Advising Award, UNL College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources; CASNR Fellow, UNL College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources
Mark Riley, AIMBE (American Institute of Medical and Biological Engineers), inducted as Fellow
Daran Rudnick, Faculty Fellow, Robert B. Daugherty Water for Food Global Institute
Amy Schmidt, Engineer of the Year, Nebraska Section of the American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers

Dennis D. Schulte (Ermeritus), Holling Family Distinguished Teaching/Advising/Mentoring Award, College of Engineering

Jeyamkondan Subbiah, Nebraska Chapter of Gamma Sigma Delta Excellence in Research Award; Nebraska Business Development Center's Innovation Business of the Year

Staff

Bonita Delhay, College of Engineering Exemplary Service and Support Award

Paul Jasa, Named a No-Till Legend at the 25th Annual National No-Tillage Conference

Diane Young, eSAB Student Chapter Staff of the Year Award

ASABE Educational Aids Blue Ribbon Awards for Publications (print or electronic)

S. Irmak, V. Sharma, *Spatial and Temporal Variation of Corn Evapotranspiration across Nebraska*. University of Nebraska Extension. 2016

S. Irmak, K. Djaman, *Basic Soil and Water Resources and Irrigation Engineering/Agricultural Water Management and Related Terminology*. University of Nebraska Extension, Africa Rice Center. 2016

Deceased Faculty

Darrell Watts, January 2017

Center for Grassland Studies

Director

Dr. Martin Massengale
Dr. Steve Waller, Interim

The Center for Grassland Studies was formed within the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 1994. Dr. Martin Massengale, President Emeritus of the University of Nebraska System and a Foundation Professor in the Department of Agronomy and Horticulture, was appointed as Founding Director for the Center. The Center's mission is the implementation of focused, interdisciplinary research, education, and service programs and activities that emphasize the role of grasslands as a natural resource and enhance the efficiency, profitability, and sustainability of grasslands and turfs.

Center Faculty and Staff Updates

Martin Massengale, Director, retires January 31, 2017 after serving as the inaugural Director for 23 years.
Pam Murray, Coordinator, retires January 31, 2017 after serving as the Administrative Coordinator for 23 years.
Steven S. Waller, appointed Interim Director, July 1, 2017.

Faculty and Staff Recognition

Martin Massengale, 2016 Nebraskan of the Year by Lincoln Rotary Club #14, October 18, 2016
Massengale Residential Center named after Dr. Martin Massengale, president and chancellor emeritus, and founding director of the Center for Grassland Studies, June 1, 2017

Center Program Highlights

Nebraska Grazing Conference, August 9 – 10, 2016
Fall Seminar, August 22 – December 5, 2016.
Leu Lecture: Paul Genho, an agricultural systems expert, shared his insights into the beef and agricultural industries from his 50 years of experience in acquiring and managing agricultural properties worldwide (October 31, 2016).

Beef Systems Initiative

Mary Drewnoski and Walt Schacht, Co-Leaders

The Beef Systems Initiative was approved in 2017 and developed for long-term collaboration across disciplines related to improving perennial grassland harvest efficiency and long-term productivity, and developing integrated crop-cattle systems that secure livestock feed availability and crop productivity. Funding was provided by the Agricultural Research Division and Nebraska Extension and the Center for Grassland Studies provides administrative support.

Program Highlights

The Beef Systems Faculty Committee was created on November 10, 2016 and the commitment of \$1.5 million over 5 years to support the initiative. IANR administration committed to exploring a definition and role for The

Center for Grassland Studies to more clearly encompass livestock production (beef) systems. As this process is completed, the Center can immediately provide a platform (e.g. space, identity) from which the Beef Systems Initiative and Team can begin to operate. Accordingly, The Center for Grassland Studies will begin to provide logistical support for the NE Beef Systems Initiative, and the Director of the Center will contribute Administrative oversight, working closely with the Administrative Technical Advisor, the Dean of the Agricultural Research Division and the Dean of Nebraska Extension.

The 2017 Beef Systems Workshop was held on Thursday, January 5. The focus of the workshop was framework development of the 5-year plan for the Beef Systems Initiative. The Integrated Beef Systems Faculty Committee prepared an executive summary of the concept papers to be submitted to IANR Administration and a preliminary draft of the framework of the 5-year plan for discussion at the workshop.

Grazing Livestock Systems

John Guretzky, Coordinator

The Bachelor of Science degree in Grazing Livestock Systems is an interdisciplinary program jointly supported by the departments of Animal Science, Agricultural Economics and Agronomy and Horticulture. The program was first offered in 1999. The administrative home for the program is the Center for Grassland Studies. Faculty in the program are also responsible for awarding the Arthur W. Sampson Fellowship to a graduate student.

Undergraduate Students

Scholarships Awarded

Alexa Johnson, Frank and Margaret Leu Scholarship
Chelsea Nollette, Center for Grassland Studies-Sandhills Task Force Scholarship
Colten Bergt, Joseph O. Young Scholarship
Autumn Dunn, Joseph O. Young Scholarship
Ethan Freese, Joseph O. Young Scholarship
Matthew Grimes, Joseph O. Young Scholarship
Devin Heusinkvelt, Joseph O. Young Scholarship
Austin Holliday, Joseph O. Young Scholarship
Alexa Johnson, Joseph O. Young Scholarship
Jacob Klingelhofer, Joseph O. Young Scholarship
Blaine Petersen, Joseph O. Young Scholarship

The Lawrence Newell scholarship was not awarded in 2016-2017

Graduate Students

Lucia Corral Hurtado, Arthur William Sampson Fellowship

Program Highlights

Katie Cumming, a recent graduate with a Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness and Animal Science, is working on a masters degree in Agricultural Economics. She serves as the Grazing Livestock Systems graduate assistant of recruitment for the 2017-2018 academic year. Her position is jointly funded by the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources and the Center for Grassland Studies. Bre Lewis was the first graduate assistant

-serving a partial academic year.

The number of graduates of the program to date is 67 students.

PGA Golf Management

Dr. Dann Husmann, Director

The PGA Golf Management Program is one of 19 PGA accredited programs in the United States. Our program, which began in 2004, offers a Bachelor of Science degree in PGA Golf Management.

Scholarships Awarded

Harrison Agena, Nebraska Golf Foundation Scholarship
Joseph Furasek, Nebraska Golf Foundation Scholarship
Ryan Clark, Nebraska Golf Foundation Scholarship
Baily Hort, Nebraska Golf Foundation Scholarship
Alexander Sheehy, Terrance and Judy Riordan Scholarship
Michael Haas, Terrance and Judy Riordan Scholarship
Zach Davis, Terrance and Judy Riordan Scholarship
Adam Speck, Terrance and Judy Riordan Scholarship
Austin Miller, Henry and Nadine Bals Scholarship
Connor Flynn, Martin and Ruth Massengale PGM Scholarship
Caleb Bukacek, Martin and Ruth Massengale PGM Scholarship
Yujie Gao, Golf Course Builders Association of America Scholarship
Vincent Bachteler, Golf Course Builders Association of America Scholarship

Student Recognitions

Cordell Weber, 2016-2017 PGA Golf Management Student Club Stroke Play Champion
Cordell Weber, 2016-2017 PGA Golf Management Student Club Match Play Champion
Kramer Samuelson, 2016-17 PGA Golf Management Student Club Player of the Year

Faculty and Staff Recognition

Dann Husmann, CASNR Week Outstanding Academic Advising Award for 2017, April 9, 2017
Brad Goetsch, Master of Science in Leadership Education, May 5, 2017

Program Highlights

PXIII Certification Being Added to the Curriculum

PGAM 401 piloted a program that has tremendous potential to enhance the experience and employability of each and every student that moves through our program. In conjunction with Jim White, MPGA, and Greg Johannesen, PGA, of Firethorn Golf Club and inventors of the PXIII fitting system, we began the process of developing a certification program to educate students and professionals in modern golf club fitting.

Over Spring Break, five students volunteered their time to complete a one-day course on the subject. **Briana Werner, Vincent Bachteler, Owen Schuette, Zach Davis and Michael Wachter** all successfully completed the inaugural program, which included history on the system, background on the science behind the system (club

performance and balance), an introduction to the system interface, and live club-fittings (each student had an opportunity to fit another and be fit by another). These students were asked to provide feedback on the program, and using this feedback the program will be refined and pushed forward.

Starting in fall 2016, the program will become a part of PGAM 401, and all students who move through the curriculum will leave this course as PXIII Certified Club-Fitting Professionals! Long-term plans also include offering the certification program to PGA Professionals.

Information on the PXIII fitting system can be found at: <http://pxthree.com/>.

UNL PGA Golf Management Goes Abroad for the first time!

August 2, 2016 marked the beginning of a ten-day trip 11 students to Scotland, UK the first education abroad experience offered by the PGA Golf Management Program. We officially started the trip in Chicago in the international terminal of the O'Hare airport preparing for an overnight flight to Dublin, Ireland and then after what turned out to be a very quick layover in Dublin, we moved on to Edinburg. We got our luggage stored in an available room at our Edinburg accommodation and decided that the best way to cope with the exhaustion was to grab some breakfast and walk around the city. Students were introduced to downtown Edinburg and most were able to get some sense of how to navigate the city.

The following day included touring the Edinburg Castle and grounds and the Royal Mile where countless street performers and shows could be taken in as part of the Fringe Festival kicking off at that time. The annual Fringe Festival in Edinburg is the world's largest arts festival, spanning the majority of the month of August and featuring thousands of shows!

On the 5th of August in the morning we packed our bags back up and hopped on a luxury motor coach destined for St. Andrews. Upon arrival in St. Andrews we once again walked the relatively small town, grabbed some food (not haggis) and started making our way back to the St. Andrews practice facility for a tour. On the way, students were led, unknowingly, to the 18th green at the Old Course. For any first-time visitor to the Old Course, this has to be a highlight of the trip. The first time you just stand there, looking down the 18th and 1st fairways and soaking up the history, and it's hard to believe that you're really there. After a few minutes and tons of photos, we moved on toward the practice facility where we were greeted by Director of Instruction, Steve North, who talked about the facility in terms of past, present and future. Steve played a vital role in developing the St. Andrews Links Golf Academy into what it is today. Complete with indoor and outdoor facilities and extremely sophisticated technology, the facility and staff are among the best in the world. At the end of the tour, Steve entertained us in a wonderful Q&A session that the students really enjoyed. The day wrapped up with our introduction to Scottish Links golf on the Balgove course at St. Andrews, a short 9-hole course that proved to be fun and challenging.

The next day was our first free day where all students were placed on the Old Course Ballot but were not successful. Two students elected to rise early and attempt to walk on the Old Course as single players-both were successful. Most of the remainder of the group played either the Jubilee Course or the New Course.

The morning of the 7th was reserved for our group photo on the Swilcan Bridge and a walking tour of the town including the Castle Ruins and the Cathedral Ruins. Students were allowed to enter and explore the original campus of St. Andrews University, which is still in operation more than 600 years after its founding in 1413! The tours wrapped up with a visit to the British Golf Museum near the first tee of the Old Course, and then a tour and round of golf on the Jubilee Course in 40+ MPH wind. Students also toured and played: The Duke's Course (an Old Course Hotel property), The Balcomie Links (Part of the Crail Golfing Society, the 7th oldest such society in the world), Lundin Golf Club (a great layout on the Firth of Fourth) and, of course, the Old Course. With a complete lack of success on the Old Course Ballot, all 12 of us got the opportunity to experience the drama of rising very early to get in line as singles (the first of us was there around 1:00 am on Tuesday the 9th, and the last wandered up around 4:30 am). All 10 of us who elected not to get up early on Saturday were able to get on as singles on Tuesday!

On days and at times not consumed by exploring the golf industry from the prospective of a player, a lot of time (and in some cases, money) was spent exploring the merchandising side of the Scottish Golf Industry. There are countless shops, some of which are associated with the Links Trust and others are not. Golf merchandising is a huge part of the economy in the town of St. Andrews, so much so that the shops are allowed to come up with and sell their own St. Andrews (including the Old Course) Logos. The Links Trust (through the Golf Academy) also refrains from selling equipment, as the practice would likely suffocate several of the equipment shops in the town (they are the places to go for a fitting, though).

On the morning of the 12th, very early, we boarded a bus destined for the Edinburg Airport set to fly back through Dublin and then on to Chicago. We all made it back that day (along with roughly half our luggage) ready to be home and rest up.

We're looking forward to the next trip set to take place in the summer of 2018!

CONE Cup Comes Home!

The 9th annual CONE Cup (Central Oklahoma – Nebraska) was hosted by the University of Central Oklahoma's PGA Golf Management Program in Edmond, Oklahoma on October 8-9, 2016. University of Central Oklahoma (UCO) and University of Nebraska-Lincoln (UNL) each had 14 students compete in the Ryder Cup style event. Day one consisted of four-ball matches at Belmar Golf Club in Norman and day two were the single matches at Kickingbird Golf Club in Edmond.

Friday evening we all met at Hideway Pizza (the best pizza in Oklahoma) for dinner and a pairings party. After the four-ball matches on Saturday, we were up 4 to 3 to UCO. Although we had a 1-point lead going into the second day, we were playing the single matches on UCO's home course. Fortunately, we were able win the single matches (7.5 to 6.5) on Sunday and won back the Cup 11.5 to 9.5. As a note, each person on the team earned at least a half point or more for the team. The record for the CONE Cup now stands as CO-5 and NE-4.

Members of Team Nebraska included **Jake Frodyma, Cordell Weber, Aaron Hart, Trenton Peterson, Blake Schroeder, Zach Davis, Brandon LeBental, Kramer Samuelson, Zach Gleysteen (captain), Hunter Quinn, Nate Vaughn, Zach Sachen, Brad Bailey, Al Peterson III, and Brenden Miller** (coach).

Next fall, UCO we will be traveling north to play us in Lincoln for the 10th annual CONE Cup. We would more than welcome any spectators who want to travel on their own to Lincoln and support Team Nebraska. The preliminary dates are October 21-22, 2017.

PGA Golf Management Facilities Receives a Face-Lift

The PGA Golf Management program facilities saw a major face-lift over the past few months! All technology associated with the facility upgrade has been received and installed. We are now busy working out the bugs that come with such an overhaul.

In the Teaching Lab two launch monitors have been added: TrackMan 4 and the ForeSight GCQuad will give students an incredible amount of detail on ball flight (TrackMan's strong point) and club delivery data (from the GCQuad). Very few labs in the world offer both products side by side to giving students in the UNL program the opportunity to investigate the golf swing in truly unique ways! With the addition of the GCQuad in the Lab came the integration of the FX Simulation software meaning that students can finally play on simulated holes in the teaching lab!

In the Simulation Labs, both Full Swing simulators have been upgraded with new hardware and software bringing them up to current standards with the E6 Platform (by TruGolf) and Ion camera tracking systems to make the simulators far more accurate than they once were. Students now have access to more realistic playing conditions

and more relevant/accurate data relating to the swing, impact and ball flight.

One other piece of technology that has been introduced and has even already found its way into some PGAM classrooms is the MySwing Professional 3D system. This system goes beyond what our K-Vest will do and bumps the sensor count from three to 17. These added sensors provide a wealth of additional data and through advanced calculation, show a realistic and very accurate 3D model of the golf swing. This is a leading edge technology that will soon replace traditional video in teaching the game.

Should you desire to come by our offices and see the new technology, contact Brad Goetsch (bgoetsch2@unl.edu) to schedule a time for a tour.

UNL PGA Golf Management Program Hosts Annual Spring Conference for the First Time

The very end of May and the first couple of days of June saw a gathering of titans right here on the grounds of the PGA Golf Management Program at UNL! UNL played host to the annual Spring Meeting of all PGA Golf Management Universities along with the education staff from the PGA of America.

The meetings kicked off (pun intended) with a great tour of Memorial Stadium (complete with time on the field) and continued with the gathering of the Education Association.

Day one wrapped up with a great dinner at Wilderness Ridge. Day two featured meetings with representatives from all 18 PGAM Universities along with PGA Representatives: Cheri Tschetschot, PGA, Billy Ditchey, PGA, Dawes Marlatt, PGA, Cory Fletcher, PGA, John Easterbrook Jr., PGA (New Chief Membership Officer) and Paul Levy, PGA (Current President of the PGA of America).

Next up was a tour of the facilities at Wilderness Ridge under the direction of Chris Thomson (PGA) and a round of golf with perfect weather. Dinner on day two was held at Blue Blood's Brewery and featured tours of Robber's Cave.

The third day of the conference was held at Arbor Links in Nebraska City. Jeff Porter (PGA) and Gil Russell (PGA) allowed our group to hold its morning meetings in their facilities and in the afternoon we again experienced wonderful weather and great fellowship on an amazing golf course.

Special thanks to Chris at Wilderness Ridge and Jeff and Gil at Arbor Links for truly making a great experience for this year's conference.

2017 Nike Golf Camp

The 2017 Nike Golf Camp was held from Monday, June 12 through Friday, June 16 of 2017. Sixteen junior golfers took part in the annual camp where they received instruction on full swing, short game and information on golf industry career opportunities offered through the PGA Golf Management Program at UNL.

TA information

Two Teaching Assistants are set to join the team with the PGA Golf Management program in Fall of 2017.

Nick St. Onge started the program in the Fall Semester of 2014 and is currently working on an internship at Whistling Straits Golf Club in Kohler, Wisconsin. Nick is also the PGA Golf Management Student Club President and has already infused a tremendous amount of energy and enthusiasm into the program. Nick is originally from Sheboygan Falls, WI.

Cordell Webber of Welcome, Minnesota started the program in the Fall Semester of 2016 and is currently working on an internship with the Nebraska Section of the PGA here in Lincoln. Cordell serves as the Vice

President of the PGA Golf Management Student Club and has also energized the program substantially in his short time here.

There is no doubt that both of these young men will be a very positive addition to the team with the PGA Golf Management Program.

Program Graduates

There are 10 students slated for August graduation from the PGA Golf Management Program, which will push the number of total graduates from the program past the 200 mark. There are currently 198 alumni of the program, the majority of which are working within the industry. The addition of 10 will bring the alumni total to 208. We congratulate all of these fine women and men on their academic and professional achievements.

Doctor of Plant Health Program

Program Director
Dr. Gary Hein

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Graduate Students

Sarah Blecha, Earle S. Raun Doctor of Plant Health Fellowship, William J. Curtis Fellowship
Anthony Justin McMechan, North Central Branch John Henry Comstock Graduate Student Award (ESA)
Joshua Miller, Future Leaders in Science Award-ASA, CSSA, SSSA
Salvador Ramirez, J. Artie and Arra Browning Plant Medicine and Health Travel Award (APS)
Adam Striegel, William J Curtis Fellowship
Christopher Wynn, Earle S. Raun Doctor of Plant Health Fellowship

Department of Entomology

Department Head
Dr. Gary Brewer

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Ellis Johnson, One of top four undergraduate posters from CASNR, 2017 Spring Research Fair
Laura Gatch, Insect Science Club President
Makenzie Diehl, Insect Science Club Secretary-Treasurer

Scholarships Awarded in Insect Science

Laura Gatch, Insect Science Scholarship Fund Award
Ellis Johnson, Earl & Bertha Ramsey Memorial Fund Award, Ephriam and Veallon Hixson Memorial Scholarship Fund Award
Alex Lehmann, Earl & Bertha Ramsey Memorial Fund Award

UCARE Projects

Ellis Johnson, *Importance of Arabidopsis thaliana myzus persicae-induced lipase1 Gene in Defense Against Cabbage Aphids (Hemiptera)*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Joe Louis

Alex Lehmann, *The community of Carrion Beetles in Conventional and no-till Agroecosystems of Western Nebraska*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Julie Peterson

Agricultural Research Division Student Research Project

Alex Lehmann, *The Role of Carrion Beetles in Agroecosystems of Western Nebraska*

Graduate Students

Western Archibald, Travel Scholarship from the International Organization for Biological Control, Bruner Club Secretary
Sanjay Basnet, Entomological Society of America Travel Scholarship, Bruner Club Graduate Student Association Representative
Kaitlin Chapman, Hardin Distinguished Graduate Fellowship Award; 1st Place, Graduate Student Oral Competition, Kansas Entomological Society Annual Meeting; Bruner Club Vice-President
Samantha Daniel, 3rd Place, Graduate Student Poster Competition, Kansas Entomological Society Annual Meeting

Debora Goulart Montezano, David H. & Anne E. Larrick Memorial Student Travel Award, Travel Scholarship from the International Organization for Biological Control, Entomological Society of America Travel Scholarship

Elliot Knoell, 1st Place, Graduate Student Poster Competition, Kansas Entomological Society Annual Meeting; 2nd Place M.S. Oral Presentation, Entomological Society of America - North Central Branch Meeting

Kyle Koch, North American Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture Graduate Student Teaching Award of Merit Certificate

Louise Lynch, Great Plains Graduate Fellow

Camila Oliveira Hofman, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship- Biotechnology

Lindsay Overmyer, 3rd Place M.S. Paper Presentation, Entomological Society of America – North Central Branch Meeting

Jordan Reinders, 2nd Place Graduate Student Paper Presentation, National Entomology Society of America Meeting; 1st Place for M.S. Oral Presentation, Entomological Society of America - North Central Branch Meeting; Entomological Society of America Travel Scholarship; Bruner Club President

Matheus Ribeiro, 3rd Place for Ph.D. Poster Presentation, Entomological Society of America - North Central Branch Meeting; 2nd Place Graduate Student Poster Competition, Kansas Entomological Society Annual Meeting

Dariane Souza, 3rd Place Ph.D. Student Poster, Entomological Society of America North Central Branch Meeting; Entomological Society of America Travel Scholarship

Suresh Varsani, Skala Distinguished Graduate Fellowship Award; Entomological Society of America Travel Scholarship; Bruner Club Treasurer

Matthew Weller, Chancellor's Fellowship

Graduate Student Scholarships

Westen Archibald, Myron H. Swenk Memorial Travel Fund Award

Sanjay Basnet, Myron H. Swenk Memorial Travel Fund Award

Debora Goulart Montezano, Myron H. Swenk Memorial Travel Fund Award (2)

Camila Oliveira Hofman, Myron H. Swenk Memorial Travel Fund Award

Lindsay Overmyer, Myron H. Swenk Memorial Travel Fund Award

Jordan Reinders, Myron H. Swenk Memorial Travel Fund Award (2)

Dariane Souza, Myron H. Swenk Memorial Travel Fund Award

Suresh Varsani, Myron H. Swenk Memorial Travel Fund Award (2)

Deceased Faculty

Dr. Kenneth P. Pruess

DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

The Department of Entomology's open house, BUGFEST, was held on September 11, 2016, with over 400 people (a new record) attending the event. In addition to the perennial favorites of the Insect Zoo and Insects of Nebraska, Bronco Bugs (getting your picture taken and imposed on the back of a giant bug) was back for a second year. New activities this year included: Inside the Hive, where you could see different castes of bees at work inside a hive with glass sides; What's for Lunch?, which demonstrated how different insects eat; These are a Few of My Favorite Things, which showed how ants prefer some foods to others; Emerald Ash Borer Information; and Insect Rubbings and Tattoos. In addition, back by popular demand were: Mites Be Cool; Dr. Bug; Compost Critters; Draw Your Favorite Bug; Lincoln Scientific Illustrators; Henry Doorly Zoo Salt Creek Tiger Beetle Rearing

Program; Insect Origami; A Fly Went By...; Toxicology Lab Tour; Citizen Science; Bedbug Show and Tell; Insect Plinko; and the Pollinator Garden Tour.

The Entomology Department collaborated with the Nebraska Beekeepers Association to organize the 2017 BEE FUN DAY. Over 120 people attended this fun and informative event all about pollinators, pollination, and beekeeping to celebrate National Pollinator Week. Expert speakers presented information about honey bees, the health benefits of honey, and how to improve landscapes for pollinators. Nebraska extension educators and specialists were also there to share their knowledge about Monarchs and other wild bees. Highlights included the crowning of the Nebraska Honey Queen by the Nebraska Beekeepers Association and the live bee swarm demonstration on Herbie Husker.

Members of the Entomology Department's Science Literacy Committee including faculty, staff and students coordinated a number of outreach and science literacy events. The Science Literacy Committee provides leadership and coordination for in-person events reaching over 10,000 participants during the 2016-2017 academic year. One of the Entomology Department's newer initiatives is Bug Masters. Bug Masters provides training and development for adult volunteers covering topics on using insects outreach, education projects, and community projects. Led by Erin Bauer (UNL Entomology), Jonathan Larson (Nebraska Extension) and Jody Green (Nebraska Extension) over 58 people (about 35 completed training in 2017) have gone through this program with over 40 hours volunteered in 10 Nebraska communities by participants. Additionally, students have led and participated in many science literacy events including leading 3 public education booth sessions at the Haymarket Farmers' Market. These booth events have engaged approximately 500 persons in hands-on activities and conversations concerning home-landscape insect topics.

Environmental Studies Program

Director
Dr. Dave Gosselin

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Allison Creeger 3rd place team finish at Regional Soil Judging competition; 2017 USA college curling team runner up; Ovation award through Arts and Sciences for exemplary student worker.

Danielle Jones, 3rd place team finish and 8th place individual finish at Regional Soil Judging competition.

Nikki Musgrave, 3rd place team finish at Regional Soil Judging competition.

Scholarships

Allison Creeger, Herman and Alice Kohrs Scholarship

Ellen Dolph, Izaak Walton League Nebraska Division IWLA Endowment Fund Scholarship.

Avery Dresser, William McGeachin Scholarship.

Ethan Frazier, Doris E. and Doris L. Taylor Scholarship.

Jasmine Mausbach, Herman and Alice Kohrs Scholarship.

Erika Roan, Ted Regier Scholarship.

Madeleine Schwinghammer, Ted Regier Scholarship.

UCARE Projects

Reece Allen, *The Relationship Between Toxins in the Soil and the Decline of the Western Tiger Salamander in Nebraskajohn*

Faculty Sponsor: Dennis Ferraro

Tucker Bonow, *Can a Biogas Production Company Feasibly Exist in Lincoln Nebraska?*

Faculty Sponsor: John Hay

Anthony Brunetti, *Commonalities in Species Distribution, an Advanced Search for the Elusive Arizona Elegans*

Faculty Sponsor: Dennis Ferraro

Aaron Devine, *Effect of Soil pH on the Integument of Western Tiger Salamanders*

Faculty Sponsor: Dennis Ferraro

Ellen Dolph, *How Nebraska's Eastern Saline Wetland Native Plant Species Grow in Response to Restoration*

Methods: Application of Different Salinity Level Groundwater

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Keunyea Song

Avery Dresser, *Developing and Analyzing the Success of a Campaign to Increase Food Waste Composting at UNL and the City of Lincoln, Including Investigating and Addressing the Barriers to Change*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Lisa Pennisi

Heaven Hulshizer, *The Measure of Nematode Diversity in Response to Varying Management Practices and Features in Restored and Remnant Prairie Ecosystems*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Thomas Powers

Katherine Lagerstrom, *Poly-effector Mutants Project*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. James Alfano

Emily Reif, *Developing and Analyzing the Success of a Campaign to Increase Food Waste Composting at UNL and the City of Lincoln, Including Investigating and Addressing the Barriers to Change*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Lisa Pennisi

Lexus Wellman, *USDA-UNL Artifacts Roadshows: The Development of a 2D Archive of Great Plains Projectile Points*

Faculty Sponsors: Dr. LuAnn Wandsnider and Dr. Matt Douglass

Undergraduate Thesis

Allison Creeger, *Public Perception of Leadership in the Municipal Solid Waste Sector*

Faculty Sponsors: Dr. L.J. McElravy and Dr. Nancy Myers

Ellen Dolph, *Assessment of Painted Turtle Size and Age from Long-term Pond Study*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Larkin Powell

Christopher Elofson, *Sediment Associated Arsenic in Stream and Aquifer Sediments*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Karrie Weber

Adam Fenton, *Developmental Factors Leading to pro-environmental Attitudes*

Faculty Sponsors: Dr. Christina Falci and Megan Theesen

Amanda Gangwish, *Oceanic top-down Trophic Cascades and the Link to Anthropogenic Effects.*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Sabrina Russo

Emily Hauck, *The Effects of Music and Media on Littering Behaviors*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. William McMullen

Matt Jensby, *A Climate Change Risk Assessment of Norther Great Plains Reservations*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Martha Shulski

Danielle Jones, *Soil Compaction: Social Trail on Hardin Hall Green Space*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. David Gosselin

Benet Kinghorn, *Varying Perspectives on Landscape Diversity*

Faculty Sponsor: Kim Todd

Holly Konold, *Sympathy for the Devil: Conserving Tasmanian Devils in the Face of a Devastating Disease*

Faculty Sponsors: Dr. Elizabeth VanWormer and Dennis Ferraro

Katherine Lagerstrom, *The Involvement of Arabidopsis calmodulin in Plant Immunity against Pseudomonas syringae*

Faculty Sponsors: Dr. Wayne Riekhof and Dr. Jim Alfano

Sydney Lawton, *Linking the New Ecological Paradigm Scale to how Pro-environmental Behavior is Developed*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. David Gosselin

Evan Malloy, *Urban Heat Island of Lincoln, Nebraska*
Faculty Sponsor: Kim Todd

Nicholas Nardone, *The Environmental Impacts of Fracking*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Carroll Nardone

Kendra Nelson, *The Effects of Plant Diversity on Pollinator Abundance*
Faculty Sponsors: Dr. Doug Golick and Dr. Leon Higley

Nathan Reece, *Water Quality on Reservations in Nebraska*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Christine Haney Douglass

Erika Roan, *A Case Study of Motivating Factors Related to Recycling in the Workplace*
Faculty Sponsors: Dr. Prabhakar Shrestha and Julie Diegel

Englebert Quechenberger, *The Main Cause of Coral Reef Depletion*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Mark Burbach

Carson Schwalbach, *How Renewable Energy Benefits Businesses and the Environment*
Faculty Sponsor: John Hay and Dr. Lisa Pennisi

Madeleine Schwinghammer, *The Relationship Between Change in Stress Level due to Nature Exposure and an Individual's Nature Appreciation*
Faculty Sponsors: Dr. Chris Chizinski and Dr. Mark Burbach

Lexus Wellman, *Land Use as an Indicator of Stream Habitat Quality in Salt Creek*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Steven Thomas

Jill Wieneke, *Saving Money while Participating in Urban Agriculture*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Tala Awada

Xiaoyu Yiin, *The Relationship between Urbanization and Eutrophication in Lake Dianchi Watershed in Kunming, China*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Daniel Snow

Charrissa Zuerlein, *Population Structure Analysis of Western Painted Turtles*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Larkin Powell

Forensic Science Program

Director

Michael Adomowicz

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Harvey Liu, December 2016 CASNR Spirit Award

Kaitlyn Rosploch, CASNR Week Outstanding Club Member

Kylee Sutton, CASNR Week Outstanding Teaching Assistant award

UCARE Projects and Presentations

Jacklyn Humrich, *Hair Analysis in Motor Vehicles*

Faculty Sponsor: Larry Barksdale

FACULTY

Dr. Michael Adomowicz joined the faculty as the new Director of the Forensic Science Program

Department of Food Science and Technology

Department Head
Dr. Curt Weller

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Scholarships Awarded

Alec Alvarez, Nestle Purina Petcare Scholarship
Kiera Balentine, Oak B. Smith Scholarship, IFT Feeding Tomorrow Freshman Scholarship
Rebecca Conn, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Elizabeth Drey, Maxcy Food Science & Technology Scholarship
Casey Engelbart, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Elliott Fullner, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Sarah Herzinger, Nestle Purina Petcare Scholarship
Yichuan Hu, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Katherine Johnson, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Nathaniel Korth, Lowenstein Scholarship, Milton E. Mohr Research Scholarship
Madeline Kramp, Boettcher Scholarship
Thanh Le, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Erica Lewis, Susan Hefle Scholarship, L.K. Crowe Kiwanis Award, Oak B. Smith Scholarship, Aksarben IFT Scholarship
Kyra Mathis, Nestle Purina Petcare Scholarship
Shane Nguyen, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Ava Petersen, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Erica Pribil, Cornish Scholarship, Aksarben IFT Scholarship
Shannon Rezac, FST Faculty Scholarship, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Emily Selling, Nestle Purina Petcare Scholarship
Katie Sisel, Food Science and Technology Scholarship
Cade Svoboda, Oak B. Smith Scholarship
Cole Svoboda, Spader Food Science & Technology Scholarship
Alexandra Tobin, Cornish Scholarship, Food Science Club Scholarship, Milton E. Mohr Research Scholarship, IFT Feeding Tomorrow Undergraduate Scholarship, Aksarben IFT Scholarship
Kaylee Weakly, Boettcher Scholarship
Minon Wilkinson, Oak B. Smith Scholarship, Food Science Club Scholarship

Undergraduate Research Projects

Nicole Carver, *Quality Assurance in a Food Microbiology Testing Lab: Verification of Temperature Monitoring Devices and Incubators in Support of ISO Standards*
Faculty Sponsors: Dr. Jayne Stratton, Dr. Andrea Bianchini

UCARE Projects and Presentations

Kelsey Bignell, *Determination of the Ability of Phenolic Rich Small Red Beans to Inhibit Alpha-amylase and Alpha glucosidase*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Vicki Schlegel

Cody Brown, *Genetic Modification of the Killer Yeast *Debaryomyces hansenii**

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Heather Hallen Adams

Yichuan Hu, *Effect of the Particle Size of Flours on the Gut Microbial Fermentation Properties*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Devin Rose

Zixiang Liu, *Effect of Layers on Temperature-Dependent Thermal and Dielectric Properties of Dates*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jeyam Subbiah

Zhongzhou Shi, *Relationship between Lipase Activity and Shelf-life of Whole Wheat Flour*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Devin Rose

Student Ambassadors

Shannon Rezac

Erica Lewis

Student Competitions

Institute of Food Technologists – Student Association (IFTSA) Regional Meeting was held in Minneapolis, MN, April 7-9. Students who participated on the Food Science Quiz Bowl team included **Trace Chrisman, Rebecca Conn, Leo Ernst, Madison Kalb, Erica Pribil, Kaylee Weakly, Brandon Nguyen and Shannon Rezac.**

Graduate Student Awards

Nabaraj Banjara, Larrick/Whitmore Travel Grant, presented poster at Fungal Genetics Conference in Pacific Grove, CA

Henok Belayneh, 2017 Processing Division Student Award from the American Oil Chemists' Society

Sandrayee Brahma, AACC International Carbohydrate Division/Megazyme Award

Carlos Gomes Neto, received a travel award to give an oral presentation at the American Society for

Microbiology's Beneficial Microbes meeting in Seattle, WA

Raminder Kaur, 3rd place in the Fruits and Vegetable Poster Division at the 2017 IFT Annual Meeting

Hatem Kittana, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship

Julianne Kopf, Aksarben IFT Scholarship, Peter Kiewit Student Entrepreneurial Award, 1st place in the Nutrition

Poster Division at the 2017 IFT Annual Meeting

Rodrigo Mendoza, National Corn Growers Association William C. Berg Academic Excellence in Agriculture

Scholarship

Rachana Poudel, American Association of Cereal Chemists International Student Research Leadership Award

Sarah Rooks, Othmer Fellowship

Rafael Segura Munoz, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship, received award for poster presentation titled "Individual and

combined administration of galactooligosaccharide and *Bifidobacteria adolescentis* IVS-1 during high-fat

feeding" UNL's Molecular Mechanisms of Disease Symposium

Lisbeth Vallecilla Yopez, High Plains OCIA of Nebraska Scholarship

Esteban Valverde-Bogantes, Larrick/Whitmore Travel Grant, presented poster at Fungal Genetics Conference in Pacific Grove, CA

Lei Wang, 2nd place in the Product Development Poster Division at the 2017 IFT Annual Meeting

FACULTY RECOGNITION

Andrew Benson, Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students, UNL Parents Association and UNL Teaching Council

Abby Geis, received award for poster presentation titled “Adaptive immunity regulates long-term metabolic changes induced by antibiotic-altered microbiota” at UNL’s Molecular Mechanisms of Disease Symposium

Jeyam Subbiah, Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students, UNL Parents Association and UNL Teaching Council; Gamma Sigma Delta’s Excellence in Research Award

Randy Wehling, Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students, UNL Parents Association and UNL Teaching Council

DECEASED FACULTY

Glenn Froning, Professor Emeritus, passed away January 29, 2017 at the age of 86.

Department of Plant Pathology

Department Head
Dr. James Steadman

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

UCARE Projects

Harriet Appeah, *Methods of Studying the Pathogenicity of Magnaporthe oryzae*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Richard Wilson

Katherine Downey, *Methods of Studying the Pathogenicity of Magnaporthe oryzae*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Richard Wilson

Shelby Holaday, *Analysis of Morphology and Secretion Mutants in Aspergillus nidulans*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Steve Harris

Aaron Knapp, *Identification of Silencing Suppressor Proteins in Sugarcane Mosaic Virus*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Hernan Garcia Ruiz

Katherine Lagerstrom, *The Involvement of Arabidopsis Calmodulin in Plant Immunity against Pseudomonas syringae*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jim Alfano

Anthony Pannullo, *Population Structure of Sclerotinia sclerotiorum Isolates from Argentina, Brazil and the USA*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Sydney Everhart

Stella Uiterwaal, *Identification of Silencing Suppressor Proteins in Sugarcane Mosaic Virus*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Hernan Garcia Ruiz

Elena Wickstrom, *Methods of Studying the Pathogenicity of Magnaporthe oryzae*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Richard Wilson

Graduate Students

Karen Ferreira da Silva, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship – CASNR

Nikita Gambhir, 2017 UNL Spring Research Fair graduate poster award; Donald E. Munnecke Student Travel
Award from the American Phytopathological Society

Jyothi Kumar, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship – Biotechnology

Margarita Marroquin-Guzman, R. W. Goss Memorial Scholarship; Milton E. Mohr Fellowship – CASNR

Joshua Miller, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship – CASNR

Lauren Segal, 2017 UNL Spring Research Fair graduate poster award

Guangchao Sun, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship - CASNR

Fan Yang, R. W. Goss Memorial Scholarship

School of Natural Resources

Director

Dr. John P. Carroll

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

UCARE Projects and Presentations

Dakota Altman, *Investigating Methods to Determine Habitat Occupancy by Secretive Species of Native Snakes in need of Conservation in Nebraska*
Faculty Sponsor: Dennis Ferraro

Bridget Bickner, *Exploring the Effect of Octopamine on Male and Female Mating Behaviors in the Nursery Web Spider, Pisaurina mira*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Eileen Hebets

Grace Bullington, *Determining Population Occupancy of the Western barred tiger Salamander in Southeastern Nebraska Habitats*
Faculty Sponsor: Dennis Ferraro

Jazmin Castillo, *Estimation of the Distribution and Abundance of the Spotted Hyena in the Northern Tuli Game Reserve, Botswana*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. John Carroll

Lupe Chairez, *Influencing Behavior Change: Uncovering Barriers to Recycling and Composting on Campus*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Lisa Pennisi

Alison Creeger, *Public Perception of Leadership in the Municipal Solid Waste Sector*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. L.J. McElravy

Avery Dresser, *Developing and Analyzing the Success of a Campaign to Increase Food Waste Composting at UNL and the city of Lincoln, Including Investigating and Addressing the Barriers to Change*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Lisa Pennisi

Ellen Dolph, *Assessment of Painted Turtle Age and Size from long-term Pond Study*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Larkin Powell

Autumn Dunn, *Using Macro and Micro Invertebrates to Understand the Impacts on Root Growth*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Trenton Franz

Alexandra Hruby, *Testing the Use of Electromagnetic Induction to Predict Hydraulic Conductivity in Streambed Sediments*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jesse Korus

Josiah Johnson, *Mapping Groundwater and Surface Water Interaction in Western Nebraska*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Troy Gilmore

Emilee Lachenmeier, *Spring Flooding in the Upper Midwest and Northern Plains*

Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Clint Rowe

Emily Paltz, *Impact of Past Experiences with Tornadoes on Future Decisions in Nebraska*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Michael Hayes

Brooks Ronspies, *Impact of Landowner Behavior on Changes in Land Values*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Larkin Powell

Emily Reif, *Developing and Using a Pollinator Attitude Scale to Measure the Success of Pollinator Education*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Lisa Pennisi

Emily Reif, *Influencing Behavior Change: Uncovering Barriers to Recycling and Composting on Campus*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Lisa Pennisi

Matthew Russell, *Validation of the Cosmic-ray Neutron Method for Estimating Soil Moisture*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Trenton Franz

Lauren Southard, *Micro Beads as an Aquatic Environment Hazard*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Mark Pegg

Curt Vanderberg, *Analyzing Dietary Selection by Blanding's turtle from Nebraska Sand Hills Habitats*
Faculty Sponsor: Dennis Ferraro

Curt Vandenberg, *Analyzing Growth rate of juvenile Ornate Box Turtles from Nebraska Sand Hills Habitats*
Faculty Sponsor: Dennis Ferraro

Jeffrey Wallman, *Nitrate and Nitrosatable Compounds: is the Mixture Related to Adverse Health Outcomes?*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Pat Shea

Madelaine Weissend, *Influencing Behavior Change: Uncovering Barriers to Recycling and Composting on Campus*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Lisa Pennisi

Jena Wilson, *Civic Engagement in Socioscientific Issues*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jenny Dauer

Ann Wilton, *Using New Unmanned Aerial Vehicle Technology to enhance Conservation Biology Research*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. John Carroll

Research Projects

Allison Carothers, *Weight Variations in Snakes during a Captive Brumation Period*
Faculty Sponsor: Dennis Ferraro

Apprenticeships

Jessica Hall, *Cabela's Apprenticeship - Effects of Competition with Flathead Catfish (*Pylodictis olivaris*) on Juvenile Channel Catfish (*Ictalurus punctatus*) Behavior, Growth and Mortality Rates*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jamilynn Poletto

Annie Madsen, 2017 Cabela's Apprenticeship Award – *Evaluation of how Weather Alters the Efficacy of Camera-traps for Surveying Wildlife*

Grants Received

Mason Johnson, MS student under direction of Troy Gilmore, received a grant for: *Using Fiber Optic Distributed Temperature Sensing and Point-scale Measurements to Quantify Groundwater-surface Water Flux*, Center for Transformative Environmental Monitoring Programs (CTEMPS Equipment and Training Award), \$4,200, January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2017.

Undergraduate Thesis

Charrissa Zuerlein, *Population Structure Analysis of Western Painted Turtles*
Faculty Sponsors: Dr. Larkin Powell and Dr. Jamilynn Poletto

Scholarships Awarded

Dakota Altman, Ronald M. Case Scholarship
Amelia Baker, Wildwood Scholarship
Grace Bullington, Darron John Tilman Memorial Scholarship
David Burbach, Cabela's Apprenticeship
Jazmin Castillo, Cabela's Apprenticeship
Lucia Corral, 2016 University of Nebraska, Center for Grassland Studies, Arthur William Sampson Fellowship;
2016 Prairie Biotic Research Grant
Alison Creeger, Herman and Alice Kohrs Scholarship
Avery Dresser, William McGeachin Scholarship
Allison Dickey, Lincoln Chapter Izaak Walton League Scholarship
Ellen Dolph, Nebraska Izaak Walton Endowment Scholarship
Ethan Frazier, Doris E. and Doris L. Taylor Scholarship
Ethan Freese, Brian M. Smith Memorial Scholarship
McKenzie Hauger, Cabela's Apprenticeship
Seth Hawkins, William L. Baxter Scholarship
Bethany Hollman, William McGeachin Scholarship
Derek Kane, Randall Schilling Scholarship
Addison Krebs, Wildwood Scholarship
Paige Krupa, Wildwood Scholarship
Tim Lambert, Herman and Alice Kohrs Scholarship, Cabela's Apprenticeship
Jasmine Mausbach, Herman and Alice Kohrs Scholarship
Terran Merriman-Honerkamp, Ted Regier Scholarship
Nadejda Mirochnitchenko, 2016 University of Nebraska Chancellor's Fellowship
Brooke Mott, William McGeachin Scholarship
Rachel Neisius, Robert E. Thomas Memorial Fisheries Scholarship
Lindsay Ohlman, William McGeachin Scholarship
Christina Peters, Cabela's Apprenticeship
Bryan Petersen, Campbell Scientific Scholarship
Colton Reeder, Warren "Bud" Viessman Jr. Scholarship
Jennifer Reyes, Fremont Chapter Izaak Walton League Scholarship
Erica Roan, Ted Regier Scholarship
James Rutledge, William McGeachin Scholarship

Madeleine Schwinghammer, Ted Regier Scholarship
Victoria Simonsen, 2016 Wildlife Society, Rusch Memorial Game Bird Research Scholarship; 2016 Pheasants Forever, Wildlife Scholarship
Lauren Uhlig, Wildwood Scholarship
Curt Vanderberg, Nebraska Chapter Izaak Walton League Scholarship
Chance VorderStrasse, Herman and Alice Kohrs Scholarship, Cabela's Apprenticeship
Jacob Wagner, Cabela's Apprenticeship
Ann Wilton, Wieggers-Maunder Scholarship, Cabela's Apprenticeship
Tanner Zlab, Roy and Sue Carlstrom Scholarship
Charissa Zuerlein, Jessie Benton Scholarship, Cabela's Apprenticeship
Mackenzie Zweiner, Nebraska Chapter Izaak Walton League Scholarship

Graduate Students

Hannah Birge, Ph.D. – SNR Meritorius Graduate Student Award
Alexis Fedele, 2016 Best Student Poster, Joint Annual Meeting of the Kansas and Nebraska Chapters of the American Fisheries Society, Manhattan, Kansas
Justin Gibson, Daugherty Water for Food PhD student Fellowship (3 years)
Diane Lally, (2nd-year Ph.D. student), 2017 Larrick/Whitmore Graduate Student Travel Grant
Ashley McKinzie Peterson, (2nd-year M.S. student), 2017 School of Natural Resources Graduate Student Travel Grant and 2017 Larrick/Whitmore Graduate Student Travel Grant
Jonathan Spurgeon, 2016 Outstanding Graduate Student Award, Nebraska Chapter of the American Fisheries Society
Lyndsie Wzola, 2017 School of Natural Resources Meritorius Graduate Student Award

Scholarships Awarded

Hannah Birge, Wildwood Graduate Travel Grant
Sara Gaughan, Ph.D., Othmer Fellowship
Alisha Grams, Pheasants Forever - 2017 Wildlife Graduate Scholarship
Nadejda Mirochnitchenko, M.S., Chancellor's Fellowship
Shana Sundstrom, Maude Hammond Fling Fellowship, Wildwood Graduate Travel Grant

School of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences

Director

Dr. Clayton Kelling, Interim

STUDENT RECOGNITIONS

Undergraduate Students

Ashley Dill, Dr. Maria L. Bade Scholarship
Emet Fanning, Dr. Maria L. Bade Scholarship, Guy N. Baker Scholarship
Reilly L. Grealish, Milton E. Mohr
Levi Folk, Guy N. Baker Scholarship, Norman R. Schneider DVM Memorial Scholarship
Jasmine Hanson, Guy N. Baker Scholarship
Katherine Howser, Dr. Maria L. Bade Scholarship
Shannon Miller, Guy N. Baker Scholarship
Jessica Schmidt, Guy N. Baker Scholarship
Nicole Tank, Guy N. Baker Scholarship, Milton E. Mohr
Sierra Wagner, Guy N. Baker Scholarship

UCARE Projects and Presentations

Angela Mercurio, *The Role of BAF in Antiviral Response to Poxviruses*
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Matthew Wiebe

Graduate Students

Rakesh Basavalingappa, Shear-Miles Fellowship, William G. Whitmore Memorial Student Travel Award, Spring
Graduate Research Fair Best Poster, Milton Mohr Fellowship
Ignacio Correas, David A. Benfield/Zoetis Student Travel Fellowship Award for the North American PRRS
Symposium, Graduate Student Assembly President
Insun Kook, Susan Ann Smith Mills Award
Govardhan Rathnaiah, Milton E. Mohr Fellowship (CASNR), Milton E. Mohr Fellowship (Center for
Biotechnology), American Society for Microbiology Student and Postdoctoral Travel Award, UNL
Graduate Student Conference Travel Award
Sarah Vitosh, Othmer Fellowship
Bharathi Krishnan Yalaka, Widaman Distinguished Graduate Assistant Award, 2016 Best Seminar Award
Insun Kook, PhD Dissertation Defense: *Regulation of Alpha-Herpesvirus Reactivation from Latency by Stress*

Professional Program in Veterinary Medicine

Heidi Black, Ogle Fellowship
Chelsea Burr, Coal Memorial Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Lucas Champoux, Janet Beachler Scholarship (Class of 2020 Academic Excellence), Ogle Fellowship
Joseph Christen, Kurt and Sarah Gauger Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Aaron Colwell, Kurt and Sarah Gauger Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Shelby Conklin, Ogle Fellowship

Kevin Curran, Janet Beachler Scholarship (Class of 2020 Academic Excellence), Ogle Fellowship
Alan R. Doster, DVM Veterinary Pathology Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Bernard Eilerts, Ogle Fellowship
Caleb Engel, Ogle Fellowship
Lucia Finocchiaro, Ogle Fellowship
Dominic Gentile, Anatomy Award; Chad M. Johannes, DVM Scholarship, Janet Beachler Scholarship (Class of 2020 Academic Excellence), Ogle Fellowship
Ryan Grafel, DVM Veterinary Pathology Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Rachael Granville, Earl O. Dickinson Veterinary Student Award of Merit, Ogle Fellowship
Tiffany Haney, Ogle Fellowship
Leah Keralis, Ogle Fellowship
Jordan Kershner, Ogle Fellowship
Tanner Kremke, Ogle Fellowship
Anna Kuhl, Janet Beachler Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Elizabeth Kurth, Ogle Fellowship
McKenzie Leu, Ogle Fellowship
Brittney Lewis, Ogle Fellowship
LaNae Maxson, Ogle Fellowship
Jessica McManigal, Ogle Fellowship
Molly McWilliams, Ogle Fellowship
Cameron Menard, Janet Beachler Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Haden Mikesell, Ogle Fellowship
Elizabeth Milan, Alan R. Doster, DVM Veterinary Pathology Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Adelynn Mueller, Ogle Fellowship
Makala Muller, Ogle Fellowship
Katelin Nelson, Ogle Fellowship
Christina Novak, Ogle Fellowship
Meghan O'Callaghan, Ogle Fellowship
Joshua Payne, Ogle Fellowship
Zong Peng, Janet Beachler Scholarship (Class of 2020 Academic Excellence), Ogle Fellowship
Emily Plock, Topaz Memorial Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Kocy Pritschau, Ogle Fellowship
Ashley Quinn, Ogle Fellowship
Jenna Rifer, Onyx Memorial Scholarship
Samual Rogge, Janet Beachler Scholarship (Class of 2020 Academic Excellence), Ogle Fellowship
Alexandra Rommelfanger, Ogle Fellowship
Nadine Rowen, Ogle Fellowship
Nicholas Schmit, Ogle Fellowship
Mackenzie Schneekloth, Ogle Fellowship
Norman R. Schneider, DVM Memorial Scholarship, Ogle Fellowship
Kellie Sholes, Ogle Fellowship
Ericka Spangler, Ogle Fellowship
Kara Sutphen, Ogle Fellowship
Lyndee Talbitzer, Ogle Fellowship
Brianna Teel, Ogle Fellowship
Amanda Thaler, Ogle Fellowship
Christine Thibodeau, Ogle Fellowship
Glen Thomas, Ogle Fellowship

Student Leadership

CASNR STUDENT ADVISORY BOARD

Purpose: To offer commendations, responsible concerns and recommendations regarding courses, programs and curricula within the various academic units of the College by: A. Representing and voicing student input on relevant academic issues in those academic units. B. Ensuring and encouraging student input to assess quality and effectiveness of any courses, programs, and curricula. C. Collaborate with Faculty, staff and college administrators in addressing A. and B. D. Utilizing student input to formulate Board recommendations that are transmitted to the Dean. E. Selecting students (Board membership not required) for committee positions requested by the Dean's Office. F. Selecting two Board members representing different Divisions to serve on the CASNR Curriculum Committee. G. Selecting two Board members representing two Divisions (not including those represented on the CASNR Curriculum Committee) to serve on the CASNR Alumni Board. H. Selecting one Board member for the CASNR Scholarship Committee from the remaining unrepresented Division in committee assignments. I. Providing student input on the utilization of student technology fees in the College. J. Providing student input to the Teaching/Advising Awards Committee selection process. K. Conduct an annual student survey of all CASNR students to assess student perception of the 'state of the College'. The survey will be supported by the CASNR Dean's Office. L. Approving proposed changes to the degree program groupings (Divisions) used for selection of the Student Advisory Board that are recommended by the Dean. (4/2017)

2016-2017 Advisory Board Members

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| Jordan Busboom | Reilly Grealish | Jenna Schweiss |
| Emmet Caldwell | Johnna Guernsey | Jacy Spencer |
| Mitchell Fagan | Cody Kuester | Evan Wiese |
| Colton Flower | Emily Long | Morgan Zumpfe |
| | Cody McClellan | |

The CASNR Advisory Board hosted three events during the 2016-2017 year. **Prairie Stomp** featuring D.J. Bridwell was held in the parking lot north of the Nebraska East Union on September 9, 2016. An estimated 100 students attend the event. The second event was **Snow Stomp**, held February 3, 2017 in the Nebraska East Union Great Plains Room. The dance was well attended with an estimate of 100 students. The third event was **Doughnuts with Dean** held on April 27, 2017 in the Nebraska East Union. All students were invited to take a break from studying, grab a doughnut, and chat with the Dean. To commemorate Dean Waller's final year as Dean, the student advisory board created and sold t-shirts. The board raise \$315 from t-shirt sales and donated that money to the Waller Family Student Excellence Fund at the NU Foundation. Advisors for the board are Meg Kester and Fabio Mattos.

ASSOCIATION OF STUDENTS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA (ASUN)

Student Body President

Spencer Hartman

Senators

Ian Langestrom

Ashtyn Shrewsbury

Grant Uehling

2016-2017 CASNR STUDENT AMBASSADORS

Catherine Berrick
Autumn Dunn
Catherine Jones
Juliana Krotz

Autumn Lemmer
Maggie Louthan
Grant Uehling
Sarah Wollenburg

CASNR WEEK

Truly about tradition, recognition and fun, CASNR Week for 2017 was held April 8-15, 2017. The event is hosted by the CASNR Week Program Council, a student organization dedicated to hosting and planning events to showcase and celebrate the College.

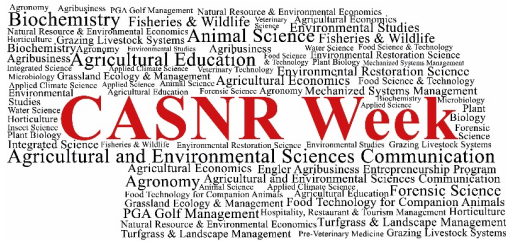
CASNR Week Program Council Officers
Co-Chairs: Taylor Cooper and Erica Lewis
Treasurer: Mirissa Scholting
Advisors: Karen Jackson and Diane Wasser

Close to **500** students, family members, administrators, faculty and staff attended the CASNR Week Banquet on April 9 to recognize academic excellence and the successes of our students, faculty and staff.

CASNR Week Award recipients:

Outstanding Student Organization: University of Nebraska Rodeo Association
Outstanding Student Organization Officer: Lauren Stohlmann
Outstanding Student Organization Member: Kaitlyn Rosploch
Student Leadership: Samantha Teten
Philanthropy/Service for Organization: Biomedical Engineering Society
Outstanding Teaching: Jamie Loizzo
Superior Academic Advisor: Dann Husmann
Outstanding Staff Member: Nicole Smith
Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching Assistant: Kylee Sutton

Other highlights: Approximately 70 runners participated in the CASNR 5K Fun Run, 30 faculty and staff attended the Education Abroad Leaders Luncheon, 87 attended the Club Advisor Luncheon, more than 600 came to Lunch on the Lawn, over 65 children and their families attended Community Night, 64 people attended the Ron and Marilyn Hanson Teaching Assistant Luncheon, 42 donors donated 34 units at the Blood Drive, and the Alpha Gamma Rho and Sigma Alpha barbecue was held on Thursday, April 13.



LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

Leadership Council is composed of the presidents, treasurers and advisors of each CASNR Club, representatives from fraternities, sororities and residence halls, the CASNR Advisory Board members and ASUN Senators. The Leadership Council plays a crucial role in coordinating student organization activities on campus; they serve as the liaison to the IANR Vice Chancellor and support CASNR recruitment.

GAMMA SIGMA DELTA

Gamma Sigma Delta, an agricultural honor society, recognizes academic achievements and/or accomplishments of students, faculty members, alumni, or industry and university supporters in the areas of agriculture and related sciences in the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, the College of Education and Human Sciences, Agricultural Engineering and Biological Systems Engineering.

Award Recipients

Jacob Givens, *Outstanding Undergraduate Student*
Amy Desaulniers, *Outstanding Graduate Student*
Chance Vorderstrasse, *Arthur von Bergen Memorial Award*
Ronald Yoder, *Award of Merit for Outstanding Achievement*
Jeyam Subbiah, Department of Animal Science, *Excellence in Research*
Thomas Burkey, Department of Animal Science, *Excellence in Teaching*
Robert Wright, *Excellence in Extension*

Undergraduate Student Members

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| Stacy R. Breesawitz | Catherine Jones | Kara D. Riggle |
| Ashely Buescher | Erica J. Lewis | Kara J. Robbins |
| Alex A. Cumming | Ian T. Lagerstrom | Stephanie M. Russell |
| Autumn Dunn | Alissa L. Martindale | Robert J. Schroeder |
| Monica M. Gotschall | Molly L. McNally | Joshua S. Wehrbein |
| Andrea M. Gurney | Stephanie Nielsen | Bailey R. Ziegler |
| Melanie L. Heerman | Christopher C. Reagan | |

Graduate Student Members

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| Mohamed Abedal-Majed | Mariah L. Hart | Jordan D. Reinders |
| Gabriel M. Connealy | Emily J. Hilburger | Sara M. Romereim |
| Amy T. Desaulniers | Kyle Koch | Ahmend Sallam |
| Sylvia J. Harrison | Amira Mourad | Shelby Springman |

Faculty Members

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| Amitkumar Jhala | Lena M. Luck | Thomas J. Weissling |
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Nebraska Chapter Officers

Dana W. R. Boden, *President*
Dann Husmann, *President-elect*
Tamra Jackson-Ziems, *Past President*
Dennis Brink, *Secretary/Treasurer*
Robert Wright, *Membership Coordinator*

Student Organizations

In May, all CASNR registered student organizations were asked to report their 2016-2017 leaders and activities.

AGRICULTURAL COMMUNICATORS OF TOMORROW

Officers:

- President: Catherine Jones
- Vice President (Primary Programmer): Katherine Mundorf
- Secretary: Emily Critser
- Treasurer: Cadrien Livingston
- Engagement: Abby Steffen
- Advisors: Jaime Loizzo and Roger Terry

Members: 20

Purpose: To build relationships among agricultural communication professionals and college students and faculty. To provide professional and academic development for members and to promote agriculture through communications efforts.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: ACT Professional Development Conference at Texas A&M

Fundraising Activities: Sold tickets for the Lincoln Stars Game and sold cookies and pumpkins to raise money for Breast Cancer research.

AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION

Officers:

- President: Ashlee Carlson
- Primary Programmer: Tina Kotsakou
- Treasurer: Nadeeka Weesakara
- Advisor: Wes Peterson

Members: 29

Purpose: To create a collaborative environment for all agricultural economic graduate students.

Organization Awards: Faculty Award- Simanti Banerjee, Staff Award- Kara Heideman, Spirit of Collaboration Award-Felipe Silva, Support to Graduate Students-Tina Kotsakou

Other Activities: Club BBQ in the fall and meet/greet with all club members and faculty.

AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS/AGRIBUSINESS CLUB

Officers:

- President: Logan Evans
- Vice President: Caleb Neuhring
- Secretary: Seth Gohl
- Treasurer: Eric Klitz
- Primary Programmer: Caleb Neuhring/Corby Forbes
- Public Relations: Corby Forbes
- Social Chair: Michael Bauer
- At Large Officer: Emmett Caldwell
- Advisors: Brad Lubben and Tim Meyer

Members: 50

Purpose: To stimulate interest among University of Nebraska-Lincoln students in agricultural economics and related fields; develop a spirit of cooperation and mutual helpfulness among students and faculty; provide leadership opportunities and training; provide an opportunity for wider acquaintance with agricultural economic workes and their activities; be of service to the University, the Agricultural Economics Department and students.

Fundraising Activities: Concession stands and Raising Canes Fundraiser

AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION CLUB/ALPHA TAU ALPHA-BETA CHAPTER

Officers:

- President: Trevor Spath
- Secretary: Katie Nolles
- Treasurer: KateLynn Ness
- Primary Programmer: Taylor Cooper
- Advisors: Lloyd Bell and Nathan Conner

Members: 25

Purpose: The purpose of this organization is to promote the high ideals and standards as set up by the national body; to cooperate in promoting the interests thereof; to support the Constitution and By- Laws of the national organization; and to abide by the rules and regulations governing the same. The UNL Agricultural Education Club/Alpha Tau Alpha-Beta Chapter will promote greater knowledge of the agricultural industry and support education in agriculture; develop a true professional spirit in the teaching of agriculture, agribusiness, and cooperative extension; aid in the training of teachers of agriculture, for leadership responsibilities in urban and rural communities; foster a united spirit among students in teacher training for Agricultural Education; and stimulate interest in teaching careers among promising students.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Nebraska Career Education Conference; Alpha Tau Alpha Conclave

Fundraising Activities: State FFA Convention event videos

Other Activities: Sponsored the Holling Awards for Excellence in Teaching, Hosted National ATA Conclave

AGRONOMY CLUB

Officers:

- President: Samantha Teten

- Vice-President: Shawn McDonald
- Secretary: Kolby Grint
- Treasurer: Katie Harrell
- Assistant Treasurer: Rodger Farr
- Historian: Moriah Heerten
- Advisor: Meghan Sindelar and Chris Proctor

Members: 30

Purpose: The purposes of the Agronomy Club are to provide educational and leadership opportunities and training outside of the conventional university classroom; to stimulate interest in agronomic work among university of students; to foster a spirit of cooperation and mutual helpfulness among agronomy students and faculty; to provide an opportunity for wider acquaintances with agronomic workers and activities of other divisions of the American Society of Agronomy; and to be of service to the university, the department, and other students.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: SASES Regional Conference in Brookings, SD. Tours to the Monsanto Production Plant in Waco, NE. Crops Judging Competitions in Curtis, NE, Ames, IA, and Manhattan, KS.

Fundraising Activities: Agronomy Attire Sales

Member Awards: Outstanding Underclassman: Kolby Grint, American Society of Agronomy National Student Recognition: Kristen Albrecht

Other Activities: Annual Emeriti Banquet, Bowling Night, Welcome Back Grill-Out, East Campus Welcome Back Club Fair, Christmas Party, Louisiana Agronomy Club Supper, Agronomy and Horticulture Banquet, CASNR Week Banquet

AGRONOMY AND HORTICULTURE GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION

Officers:

- President: Leonardo Bastos
- Vice President: Jaspinder Singh
- Secretary: Morgan McPherson
- Treasurer: Mary Happ
- Advisors: Paud Read and Brian Waters

Members: 35

Purpose: To serve the graduate students of the Agronomy and Horticulture department by facilitating opportunities for career development and promoting interactions between graduate students and faculty and staff.

Conferences, Tours, and Trips: Monsanto Water Learning Center in Gothenburg NE, Dow Agrosiences in York NE, LI-COR in Lincoln NE

Fundraising Activities: Fall BBQ, sweet corn sales, apparel sales

Member Awards: Outstanding Member: Sunil Kumar

Other Activities: R Club, Faculty and Staff Appreciation Coffee, Christmas Party, Spring Banquet

ALPHA ZETA

Officers:

- President: Elizabeth Carreiro
- Vice President: Kimberly Gollhofer
- Secretary: Jeffery Wallman
- Treasurer: Ashley Buescher
- Advisors: Kate Brooks, Jennifer Keshwani and Jill Brown

Members: 45

Purpose: Alpha Zeta is the Agricultural Honor Society that strives for high academic performance, service to the community and the agricultural field, and fellowship among members.

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF AGRICULTURAL AND BIOLOGICAL ENGINEERS

Officers:

- President: Anna Siebe
- Vice President: Josh Murman
- Secretary: Rebekah DeFusco
- Treasurer: Johan Bolin
- eSAB Representative: Noah Bolin
- Social Chair: Colton Rathman
- Advisors: Tiffany Messer and Yufeng Ge

Members: 30

Purpose: To promote the interest of the students in agricultural and biological systems engineering, particularly as these interests relate to their professional advancement and to the parent society, the American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE).

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Nebraska ASABE Section Meeting hosted by CLAAS of America in Omaha, Nebraska, Speedway Motors Museum tour in Lincoln, Nebraska, Agricultural Equipment Technology Conference in Louisville, Kentucky, and Midwest Regional Rally this March in Ames, Iowa.

Fundraising Activities: Lawn Mower Clinic; T-shirt Sales; Power Drive Concession Stands

Organization Awards: ASABE Fountain Wars – 1st Place

Other Activities: Big Red Welcome, Welcome Back BBQ, East Campus Welcome

ARCHERY CLUB

Officers:

- President: Robert Shindell
- Vice President: Kelsey Sorensen
- Advisor: Martin Hamel

Members: 38

Purpose: To provide an opportunity for UNL students to come together as a group to learn and practice archery while helping to promote archery to the community

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Annual archery club trip to North Platte, Nebraska

Fundraising Activities: Spring and fall community archery competitions held at the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission's Outdoor Education Center

BIG RED PHEASANTS FOREVER

Officers:

- President: Jordyn Koenig
- Treasurer: Max McCoy
- Secretary: Benjamin Miles
- Primary Programmer: Jon Green
- Advisor: Robert Zink

Members: 12

Purpose: To increase the importance of wildlife conservation and encourage youth involvement in habitat and the outdoors.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: National Pheasant Fest and Quail Classic in Des Moines, Iowa and State Habitat.

Fundraising Activities: Clays for Conservation Trap Shoot in September.

Other Activities: Come Play the PF Way in April.

BIOCHEMISTRY CLUB

Officers:

- President: Andrew Egger
- Vice President: Bryce Byman
- Treasurer: Taylor O'Brien
- Communications: Erin Bertone
- First Year Representatives: Fall - Tanmayee Chengalasetty , Spring - Nathan Jatczak
- Advisor: Erin Sayer

Members: 68

Purpose: To provide service and learning opportunities to biochemistry students and to provide a diverse network of opportunities and contacts to help students find their passion in an unbiased and organic way.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Tours of Li-Cor and Beadle Center Lab, ASBMB annual meeting in Chicago, Illinois.

Fundraising Activities: T-Shirt sales

Organization Awards: ASBMB Outstanding Student Chapter, 2017

Member Awards: Andrew Egger - nominated for CASNR Week Outstanding Officer; selected for ASBMB Honor Society 2017

Other Activities: Big Red Welcome; Pizza Celebration for ASBMB Outstanding Student Chapter award; Math Day table; Major's Fair (for undecided students); Science outreach at four different preschool, daycare, or kindergarten classrooms; UCARE workshop; Senior Send Off; Social club events (movies, Ultimate Frisbee, and cookie decorating); Undergraduate Mentoring Program with BCGSA; research presentations to BIOC 101 course (fall and spring).

BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING SOCIETY

Officers:

- President: Phu Nguyen
- Vice President: Brett Whorley
- Secretary: Leon Hemstreet
- Treasurer: Janelle Adams
- eSAB representative: Alex Hruby
- Advisors: Jennifer Keshwani and Nicole Iverson

Members: 50

Purpose: To be a social and technical society that promotes the field of biomedical engineering by creating a network between members and discussing advancements in technology.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: BMES 2017 in Minneapolis; toured Madonna Rehab Hospital, Nebraska Heart Hospital; Center for Brain, Biology & Behavior/Nebraska Athletic Performance Laboratory; LI-COR

Fundraising Activities: Selling Valentino's pizza in Chase Hall; selling club t-shirts

Organization Awards: CASNR Week 2017 Philanthropy Service Award

Other Activities: Go Baby Go! outreach with UNMC

BLOCK AND BRIDLE

Officers:

- President: Jennifer Posthuma
- Vice President: Kara Riggle
- Secretary: Miranda Wordekemper
- Treasurer: Alex Medina
- Historian: Gilbert Seck
- Marshall: Savannah Schafer

- Ambassador: Lexi Ostrand
- Advisors: Brad Bennett, Benny Mote, Tom Burkey, and Ty Schmidt

Members: 75

Purpose: To develop leadership and establish connections among peers and professionals within the livestock and meat industries

Conferences, Tours and Trips: National Block and Bridle Convention, Jones State Bank, Nebraska Cattlemen Convention

Fundraising Activities: SteakFry, Porkfest, Big Red Beef Show

Organization Awards: Block and Bridle Honoree: Mr. Doug Brand

Member Awards: Outstanding Initiate, Outstanding Sophomore Activities, Outstanding Junior Activities, Outstanding Junior Scholarship, Outstanding Senior Activities, Parr Young Senior Merit, Mike Cull Scholarship, Don Geweke Memorial Scholarship

Other Activities: Big Red Welcome, CASNR Club Fair, Little AKSARBEN, Livestock & Meats Judging Contest, Faculty/Staff Appreciation Breakfast, Big Red Beef show, LPS Science Fair, Block and Bridle Honoree Banquet

BURR FEDDE SENATE

Officers:

- President: Taylor Cooper
- Vice President/Primary Programmer: Sam Wilton
- Treasurer Brianna Stafford
- RHA Senator: Chelsea Sidel
- Advisor: Steven Jara

Members: 25

Purpose: (1) provide a governing body to the residents of Burr-Fedde Hall and Love Memorial Hall, (2) be a voice for students that want to see change in the residence halls, and (3) develop committees to plan and implement socials, residence hall improvement and dining services improvements.

Fundraising Activities: 21st Annual Bull Fry

Other Activities: Monthly socials

CAMP KESEM

Officers:

- Co-Directors: Brooke Sattler and Shannen Pickering
- Treasurer: Jacob Berg
- Outreach: Andrea Tesarek and Kelsey Young
- Operations: Ingrid Olson and Jamie Johnson
- Volunteers: Bri Schluckebier and Eric Barton
- Development: Kenzie Klein and Carissa Carlin
- Make the Magic: McKenzie Ronce and Tim Paschal

- CIT: Matt Weidner and Shannon Koenig
- Alumni, Marketing, and PR: Paige Larson and Hannah DePriest
- Advisor: Nicole Smith

Members: 75

Purpose: To ensure that every child affected by a parent’s cancer is never alone by offering innovative, fun-filled programs to foster a lasting community.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Camp Kesem National Leadership Summit

Fundraising Activities: Individual and organization efforts totaling over \$108,000 throughout the year.

CASNR COFFEE CLUB

Officers:

- President: Shelby Cammack
- Vice President/Primary Programmer: Samantha Teten
- Treasurer: John Radil
- Advisor: Julie Obermeyer

Members: 80

Purpose: The CASNR Coffee Club provides students in the College of Agricultural Sciences & Natural Resources an opportunity to network with other students, faculty members, and industry representatives.

Other Activities: OpeN Shelf Food Drive

CASNR STUDENT ADVISORY BOARD

Officers:

- President: Cody Kuester
- Vice President & Primary Programmer: Morgan Zumpfe
- Treasurer: Emily Long
- Secretary: Jordan Busboom
- Advisors: Meg Kester and Fabbio Mattos

Members: 20

Purpose: The Board will be the official Association of Students of the University of Nebraska (ASUN) approved liaison among the students of the College, the Dean and the Faculty.

Other Activities: Donuts with the Dean, Praire Stomp, Snow Stomp

CASNR WEEK PROGRAM COUNCIL

Officers:

- Co-President: Taylor Cooper

- Co-President and Primary Programmer: Erica Lewis
- Secretary: Mirissa Scholting
- Advisors: Karen Jackson and Diane Wasser

Members: 25

Purpose: CASNR Week Program Council shall provide a framework for the academic, professional and social development of students and faculty of the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources.

Activities: Organized and coordinated events during CASNR Week 2017 which included the CASNR Week Fun Run, CASNR Week Awards Banquet, Education Abroad Leaders Luncheon, CASNR Week Blood Drive, Lunch on the Lawn, Community Night, Club Advisor Luncheon and Ron and Marilyn Hanson TA Luncheon.

CHRISTIAN VETERINARY FELLOWSHIP

Officers:

- President: Tina Novak
- Treasurer: Sam Rogge
- Missions Chair: Chelsea Burr
- Advisor: John Kammerman

Members: 35

Purpose: To draw closer to God and our classmates through bible studies and activities pertaining to veterinary medicine.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Real Life Real Impact

COLLEGIATE FARM BUREAU

Officers:

- President: Autumn Lemmer
- VP of Policy Development: David Shuler
- VP of Finance/Fundraising: Caylee Lorenz
- VP of Program Coordination: Emily Puls
- VP of Communications and Public Relations: Emily Long
- VP of Membership and Outreach: Amanda Kowalewski
- Secretary/Treasurer: Hannah Borg
- Advisor: Brad Lubben

Members: 150

Purpose: The voice of agriculture on campus.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Young Farmers and Ranchers, Annual Meeting (Nebraska Farm Bureau)

CORNHUSKER STUDENT SUBUNIT OF THE AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY

Officers:

- President: Lindsay Ohlman
- Vice President: Jehnsen Lebsock
- Secretary: Emily Forzono
- Treasurer: Henry Hansen
- Advisors: Mark Pegg and Jamilyn Poletto

Members: 20

Purpose: Professional development for fisheries professionals.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Midwest Fish and Wildlife Conference, Lincoln, Nebraska

Other Activities: Private pond management workshop

ENGLER AGRIBUSINESS ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Executive Team:

- Joe Brugger
- Matt Brugger
- Kate Likens
- Emily Long
- Brandon Nichols
- Zach Settje
- Jacy Spencer
- Chief Experience Coach: Michelle Bassford
- Entrepreneurial Coach: Dave Lambe
- Advisor: Tom Field

Members: 110

Purpose: To empower enterprise builders.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Silicon Valley Enterprise Discovery Tour, Farmers Business Network, Paul Genho Leadership Workshop, The Women Entrepreneurs Conference, Entrepreneurship Best Practices Summit

Other Activities: Various lectures, Business Roundtable events, Business Plan competition, Idea Storm, Intersect at Fuse, Quick Pitch competition, State FFA Leadership Academy workshop.

EQUESTRIAN TEAM

Officers:

- President: Rachel Sorensen
- Vice President: Shannon Michel
- Hunt Captain: Lauren Teets
- Western Captain: Bailey Peterson
- Secretary: Shaylee Traux
- Treasurer: Megan Gray
- Fundraising: Jessica Schmidt
- Public Relations: Anna Olson
- Advisor: Lena Luck and Lori Jaixen

Members: 46

Purpose: The Husker Equestrian Club is a group of undergraduate equine enthusiasts. That consists of riders of all skill levels to compete around the nation as part of the Intercollegiate Horse Show Association.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Oct. 1st & 2nd – Colby Community College – Western (2 shows), Nov. 19th & 20th – Laramie County Community College– Western (2 shows), Feb. 18th & 19th – UNL – Western (3 shows, 2 Saturday & 1 Sunday), March 4th – Colby Community College – Western (1 show), March 5th – Colby Community College – Western Regionals, March 25th & 26th – Western Semi-Finals – Laurenberg, NC, Oct. 15th & 16th – UNL – Hunt Seat (2 shows), Oct. 22nd & 23rd – Colorado School of Mines – Hunt Seat (2 shows), Nov. 5th & 6th – University of Colorado-Boulder – Hunt Seat (2 shows), Feb. 11th & 12th – Colorado College – Hunt Seat (2 show), , March 11th - Colorado College – Hunt Regionals, April 8th – Zones at Stanford University, California

Fundraising Activities: Helped at Kimmel Orchard Apple Jacks Festival, sold Eileen’s Cookie Dough; sold advertisement for show programs; assisted with the Silver Classic Quarter Horse show, Nebraska State 4-H show and the UNL Equestrian Team Quarter Horse show, and Yogurtini.

Organization Awards: 4th at IHSA National Western High Point Team, Reserve Champion IHSA Semi-Finals Western High Point Team, Champion IHSA Zone 8 Region 5 Western Team and 3rd Place IHSA Zone 8 Region 5 Hunt Seat Team.

Member Awards: Hunt Seat Team Rookie Award; Western Team Rookie Award; Hunt Seat Team MVP; Western Team MVP; Barn Chores Award; Fundraising Award; 4.0 GPA Awards; Post Season Rider Awards; Officer Awards.

Other Activities: Boo at the U

FFA ALUMNI

Officers:

- President: Faith Rickertsen
- Vice President: Bryan Peterson
- Secretary: Samantha Surber
- Treasurer: Blaire Gibbens
- Primary Programmer: Morgan Cuttlers
- Staff Member: Ronald Kramer
- Advisors: Meg Kester and Matt Kreifels

Members: 42

Purpose: To support and promote agricultural education, the FFA organization, and the FFA activities on local, state and national levels. To provide a tie to agricultural personnel and the FFA, and to assist the FFA in involving members and others interested in worthy activities. To foster and promote greater knowledge of the agricultural industry and support education agriculture. To cooperate with the Nebraska FFA Association, local FFA Alumni Affiliates, the State FFA Alumni Association and the National FFA Alumni Association. To promote and maintain an appreciation of the American Free Enterprise system. To promote and enhance the leadership, career, and personal development of individuals and other organizations.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: State FFA Convention and District Competitions across the state.

Fundraising Activities: Career Fair Expo at the Nebraska State FFA Convention

Other Activities: Blue Jackets Bright Futures judges.

FOOD SCIENCE CLUB

Officers:

- President: Ava Petersen
- V.P./Primary Programmer: Katie Sisel
- Secretary: Erica Pribil
- Treasurer: Melanie Heermann
- Advisors: Melanie Downs and Yue Zhang

Members: 45

Purpose: To foster a close relationship among the Food Science students, staff and faculty at the University of Nebraska. To encourage leadership. To acquaint students with areas of activity in Food Science and Technology. To promote greater interest in the profession through education and attendance at professional meetings.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: IFT Chicago--July 2016; Denver Fall Break Trip--October 2016; IFTSA Minnesota--April 2017

Fundraising Activities: AppleJack Festival, Selling Ice Cream, Cookies for Sorghum Board

Organization Awards: Silver Participation Recognition for IFTSA Chapter of the Year Competition

Other Activities: Booth at Party at the Union and East Campus Club Fair--August 2017; Socials (x5); LPS Science Fair--March 2017; Investigate! at Natural History Museum--January 2017

FORENSIC SCIENCE CLUB

Officers:

- President: Jenna Kacheroski
- Vice President: Jamie Roth
- Secretary: Madi Schwenke
- Treasurer: Kait Otterson
- Program Coordinator: Kylee Sutton
- Public Relations: Mallory Einfalt
- Alumnae Liaison: MJ Schuester
- Merchandising: Kyle Winchell
- Advisor: Larry Barksdale

Members: 30

Purpose: To promote awareness of forensic science.

Fundraising Activities: Spatterganza, Bake Sale, Solicitation of Donations.

Organization Awards: Nominated for best student organization.

Member Awards: Outstanding member

Other Activities: Adopted Cedars Home for Children as charitable activity. Raised and donated money.

HORTICULTURE CLUB

Officers:

- President: Megan Franklin
- Vice President/Primary Programmer: Morgan Von Seggern
- Secretary/Treasurer: Kaitlin Taylor
- Advisors: Stacy Adams, Dave Lambe

Members: 50

Purpose: To promote interest and to further education in horticulture, and to provide means by which students and faculty may meet and work together.

Conferences, Tours, and Trips Attended: **Tours:** Urban Trail Gardens Greenhouse Trips: Spring Break trip to Colorado (Denver Botanical Gardens, Grow Haas, Zipline Tour, Denver Wholesale Florist and Greenhouse Supply, Tagawa Garden Center and Nursery)

Fundraising Activities: Spring Sale, Poinsettia Sale, Fall Sale

Other Activities: Guest Speakers, Greenhouse planting

HUSKER BASS ANGLERS

Officers:

- President: Derek Kane
- Treasurer: Grant Reiner
- Primary Programmer: Jacob Sloup
- Advisor: Eric Einspahr

Members: 16

Purpose: The purpose of this organization is to unite men and women through the common bond of fishing, to educate anglers and develop angling skills, to strengthen student camaraderie/institutional esprit-de-corps, promote sportsmanship through athletic competition and fellowship, encourage good stewardship of our natural resources, and to develop and train student athletes for participation in tournament angling.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: BASS Midwest Regional, Lake of the Ozarks. Andrew Claymon Memorial Tournament, Merritt Nebraska.

INSECT SCIENCE CLUB

Officers:

- President: Laura Gatch
- Vice President: Lisa Keys

- Secretary: Makenzie Diehl
- Treasurer: Phillion L Hoff
- Advisor: Thomas Weissling

Members: 12

Purpose: Provide an organization for all students interested in entomology.

Fundraising Activities: Honey and wax product sale

Other Activities: Vala's pumpkin patch trip, monthly meetings

JUSTIN SMITH MORRILL SCHOLARS

Officers:

- Advisors: Deepak Keshwani and Sue Ellen Pegg

Members: 54

Purpose: The Justin Smith Morrill Scholars Program is a student organization and development program at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln that draws upon the life experiences and accomplishments of Justin Smith Morrill, author of the Land-Grant College Acts. To honor his vision and his legacy, CASNR has developed a four year program for undergraduate students who are interested in advancing the public good through social and civic responsibility while exploring ideas and solutions to solve critical issues related to food, fuel, water, landscapes and people.

Conferences, Tours, and Trips: Freshman seminar class traveled to the Nebraska City area to explore businesses, orchards and the area's history as it relates to the state of Nebraska.

LARGE ANIMAL VETERINARY MEDICAL CLUB

Officers:

- President: Kara Sutphen
- Vice President: Kellie Sholes
- Secretary: Rachael Granville
- Treasurer: McKenzie Leu
- Advisor: Bruce Brodersen

Members: 44

Purpose: To enhance the educational opportunities of the veterinary students in the Professional Program of Veterinary Medicine at the University of Nebraska - Lincoln.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Necropsy wet lab, equine dental wet lab, NVMA Panel, equine lameness wet lab.

Fundraising Activities: Apparel Sales and Wildfire Relief Fundraiser hat sales

Member Awards: Scholarship recipients: Joseph Christen, Kellie Sholes, and Rachael Granville

Other Activities: Hosted multiple speakers including large animal veterinarians and a speaker on equine gastric health.

LOVE MEMORIAL COOPERATIVE

Officers:

- President: Elise Raymond
- Vice President of Duties: Helen Martinez
- Vice President of Supplies: Veronica Bair
- Secretary: Carissa Raymond
- Treasurer: Kylee Sutton
- RHA Senator: Aurora Alvarez
- Advisor: Steven Jara

Members: 24

Purpose: To provide college women with an educational and social living environment through cooperative self-maintenance.

Fundraising Activities: Chili Feed and Bull Fry

MECHANIZED SYSTEMS MANAGEMENT CLUB

Officers:

- President: Michael Richardson
- Vice President: Wyatt Kastl
- Secretary: Jordan Bothern
- Treasurer: Dylan TePoel
- Primary Programmer: Michaela Horn
- Advisor: Santosh Pitla

Members: 32

Purpose: To (1) acquaint present and potential members with opportunities in mechanized systems management and agricultural/biological engineering related fields. (2) Acquaint industry and the general public with systems management related to agriculture, and (3) develop potential leadership and create a spirit of fellowship among members.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Burlington Northern Diesel Shop and Lindsay Manufacturing

Fundraising Activities: Lawn Mower Clinic

NATURAL RESOURCES DIVERSITY INITIATIVE

Officers:

- President: Jessica Burnett
- Vice President: Hannah Birge
- Secretary: Maggi Sliwinski

- Advisors: Jenny Dauer and Mary Bomberger Brown

Members: 13

Purpose: Promote the recruitment, retention, and awareness of underrepresented groups in STEM fields.

Other Activities: Members worked with Dr. Steve Goddard, Interim Vice Chancellor for Research & Economic Development, and his team to achieve UNL's institutional membership with the Association for Women in Science.

NEBRASKA NATIONAL AGRI-MARKETING ASSOCIATION

Officers:

- President: Jake Werner
- Vice President of Marketing: Caleb Nuehring
- Vice President of Membership: Leslie Harrison
- Secretary:- Erika Harms
- Treasure: Eric Wemhoff
- Primary Programmer: Darin Knobbe
- Promotions/Publicity Chair: Jordan Damkroger
- Social/Community Service: Brent Miller
- Trip Chair: Allison Brockman
- Advisors: Rosalee Swartz and Kara Heideman

Members: 75

Purpose: The National Agri-Marketing Association (NAMA) focuses on professional development, networking skills, and career preparation of its members. NAMA meetings and events feature professionals who share insight to the importance of innovation and marketing skills in the agribusiness industry. Members have an opportunity to participate in development of a marketing plan for a new or re-positioned product which is presented at national competition in the spring semester. This activity provides vital experience in team-based problem-solving and strategic marketing.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: NAMA National Convention

Fundraising Activities: ABEF (NAMA national conference raffle ticket sales which go toward NAMA student scholarships) Lyft, Schwann's, Raising Canes

Organization Awards: Chapter Communications Award, Fourth Place Outstanding Student Chapter, Fifth Place John Deere Signature Award, Top ABEF Raffle Ticket Selling Team

Member Awards: Allison Brockman – Agribusiness Educational Foundation Scholarship

Other Activities: Social activities – Bowling night, SkyZone, Monthly Meetings – Allo, Vivayic, Cabela's, Career Fair Prep Night- Hosted multiple companies and allowed students to network with professionals in small groups to prepare for the Career Fair, Community service – NAMA volunteers helped run Hartley Bike Rodeo, Campus Wide Food Drive, Community Night

PGA GOLF MANAGEMENT STUDENT CLUB

Officers:

- President: Nickolaus St. Onge

- Vice President: Cordell Weber
- Secretary: Gretchen Keller
- Advisors: Scott Holly and Dann Husmann

Members: 105

Purpose: To provide students in the PGA Golf Management program with resources to augment instruction and development including specialized guest speakers, expert PGA professionals and mentors, and PGM professional development activities in order to ensure members' transitions to successful golf professionals upon graduation

Conferences, Tours and Trips: PGA Merchandise show in Orlando, FL. PGA Jones Cup in Pt St Lucie, FL. CONE Cup in Oklahoma City, OK. Kelbel Cup in Las Vegas, NV. PGA Annual meeting in New York, NY. Study Abroad trip to Scotland

Fundraising Activities: PGA Golf Management Spring Scramble, Folds of Honor, The club awarded six (6) \$500 scholarships to Gretchen Keller, Cordell Weber, Andrew Van Ert, Tyler Lawson, Nick St. Onge, and Brett Finke

Member Awards: 2016-17 Player of the Year Award – Kramer Samuelson, 2016-17 Stroke Play Champion – Cordell Weber, and 2016-17 Match Play Champion – Cordell Weber

Other Awards: The Big Event, Stars Hockey Night, Intramural broomball and basketball, Divot, Special Olympics, Nebraska Section of the PGA fall and spring meetings, YMCA PGA Sports Academy, CASNR Week Community Night, and PGAM Spring Fun League designed to encourage more interaction between older students and newer students in the club in the spring semester

PI ALPHA XI (Horticulture Honor Society)

Officers:

- President: Patrick Murphy
- Vice President: Liz Lutz
- Secretary-Treasurer: Lugi Li
- Advisors: Ellen Paparozzi and Dave Lambe

Members: 12

Purpose: To promote fellowship among students, educators and professional horticulturists, high scholarship, professional leadership and the enrichment of human life through plants.

Fundraising Activities: Wreath-making workshop

Organization Awards: Presidents' Citation and Pi Alpha Xi Scholarship

Member Awards: Numerous horticulture scholarships - local and national as well as paid internships are received by our students.

PLANT PATHOLOGY GRADUATE STUDENT CLUB

Officers:

- President: Nicholas Arneson

- Vice President/Primary Programmer: Jessica Soroksky
- Secretary: Edgar Nieto
- Treasurer: Nikita Gambhir
- Advisor: Sydney Everhart

Members: 12

Purpose: To serve as the representative body for graduate students in the Department of Plant Pathology at UNL. To promote interaction and a closer relationship among graduate students. To serve as a channel of communication between graduate students and faculty and staff. To investigate problems and issues unique to graduate students and propose solutions to them as well as provide an outlet for implementing these solutions when possible.

Fundraising Activities: Club T-Shirt Sales

Member Awards: Special Contributions Award – Suzana Fernandes

Other Activities: Tours of the different labs of the members of the Department was arranged in the Fall of 2016.

PRE-VETERINARY CLUB

Officers:

- President: Reilly Grealish
- Vice President: Brook Paczosa
- Secretary: Jasmine Hanson
- Treasurer: Kara Valasek
- Primary Programmer: Danielle Muller
- Advisors: Seth Harris and Roberto Cortinas

Members: 60

Purpose: To facilitate opportunities to explore the veterinary profession.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: NVMA Conference, AVMA Conference, vet clinics, Henry Doorly Zoo, Iowa State University.

Fundraising Activities: Dog wash

Member Awards: 100-Point Club for event attendance, Member of the Year

PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM IN VETERINARY MEDICINE CLASS OF 2020

Officers:

- President: Dominic Gentile
- Vice President: Aaron Colwell
- Treasurer: Josh Payne
- Secretary/Primary Programmer: Heidi Black
- Advisor: Renee McFee and John Kammerman

Members: 25

Purpose: The objective of the UNL Professional Program in Veterinary Medicine Student Organization will be to provide an organized means of promoting educational and recreation activities for students in the Professional Program in Veterinary Medicine at UNL.

Other Activities: SAVMA Symposium

RODEO ASSOCIATION

Officers:

- President: Kara Robbins
- Vice President: Jennifer Smith
- Secretary: Jill Oatman
- Treasurer: Alexa Johnson
- Education: Shelby Riggs
- Hospitality: Shalyn Miller
- Production: Logan Dibbern
- Promotions: Brenda Venteicher
- Sponsorships: Mariah Woodward
- Advisors: Jamie Bauman and Hailey Daehnke
- Team Head Coach: Bump Kraeger

Club Members: 45

Team Members: 15

Purpose: The mission of the UNL Rodeo Association is to confidently promote the sport of rodeo within, as well as beyond, the area, encourage a higher level of scholastic achievement, preserve our western heritage and maintain the highest regard for livestock.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: 10 College Rodeos – University of Wisconsin River Falls, Mid-Plains Community College, Iowa State University, Iowa Central Community College, North Dakota State University, South Dakota State University, University of Nebraska – Lincoln, Blackhills State University, Hastings College, Dickinson State University; College National Finals Rodeo - attended by Reed Kraeger and Logan Dibbern; Nebraska State Fair Champions Challenge where college rodeo athletes competed against HS rodeo athletes; Nebraska State Fair Beef Pit – 15 members volunteered to help serve several hundred fair goers.

Fundraising Activities: 59th Annual UNL Rodeo; Extreme Bull Riding Challenge (Mossbrucker Rodeo); Sidney Iowa High School Rodeo; Clay Real Timed Event Challenge and Alumni challenge; UNRA Awards/Alumni Banquet; Barrel Racing Jackpots; Fanatics Booth

Organization Awards: Hailey Daehnke - Outstanding New Advisor Student Impact Award 2016-2017; Organization - Outstanding Student Organization Award Student Impact Award 2016-2017; Men's Competitive Team - Third in the Region, Iowa State Rodeo Champion

Member Awards: Reed Kraeger - Regional Steer Wrestling Champion, Regional All-Around Champion, Dickinson Rodeo Steer Wrestling Champion, Dickinson All-Around Champion, Black Hills State Yellow Jacket Stampede Steer Wrestling Champion, Triton Stampede Steer Wrestling Champion, University of Wisconsin-River

Falls Steer Wrestling Champion; Travis Kester - Hastings Steer Wrestling Champion, Iowa State Steer Wrestling Champion; Lindsay Adamson - Triton Stampede Breakaway Champion

Other Activities: PS/Zoetis/Novartis Science Fair, Big Red Welcome, Welcome Back Club Fair; Governor Pete Ricketts declared it Rodeo Week in the State of Nebraska for a third straight year and participated in the Governor's Ride around the Mansion; Elected Jill Oatman as 2016-2017 Miss UNL Rodeo; Campbell Elementary School Visit; Kid's Day; Ag in the Classroom

SCHOOL OF NATURAL RESOURCES GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION

Officers:

- Chair: Elliot Wickham
- Co-Chair: Maggi Sliwinski
- Secretary: Diane Lally
- Treasurer: Mason Johnson
- Fundraising Chair: Kelly Willemssens
- Social Chair: Maranda Miller
- UNL GSA Representative: Zac Warren
- Advisors: Jenny Dauer and Joe Dauer

Members: 140

Purpose: To (1) serve as a representative body for the graduate students in the School of Natural Resources and promote a closer relationship within the graduate student community, (2) serve as a channel of communication between graduate students, faculty, and staff, and (3) to foster professional development.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Trip to see Sandhill Cranes in Kearney, Nebraska

Fundraising Activities: Valentine's Day Silent Auction

Organization Awards: Four Annual SNR GSA Travel Grants – 1 Master's and 1 PhD student recipients per semester.

Other Activities: SNR Graduate Student Fall Orientation, SNR Custodial Appreciation Breakfast, various social events.

SIGMA ALPHA AGRICULTURAL SORORITY

Officers:

- President: Erica Brandow
- Vice President: Katie Nolles
- Vice President/Primary Programmer: Renae Sieck
- Treasurer: Haley Zabel
- Advisors: Donna Woudenberg, Erin Blankenship and Deb Hamernik

Members: 49

Purpose: To promote its members in all facets of agriculture and to strengthen the bonds of friendship among them. It is the purpose of the members to strive for achievement in scholarship, leadership, and service, and to further the development of excellence in women pursuing careers in agriculture.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Leadership Conference in Columbus, Ohio, Women in Agriculture Conference in Kearney, Nebraska.

Fundraising Activities: Lincoln STARS Hockey, Kimmel Orchard

Organization Awards: Outstanding Sponsor- Dean Waller, Outstanding Organization Sponsor-Kimmel Orchard

Member Awards: Outstanding 2016 Executive Team Member – Heidi Miller, Outstanding 2016 Committee Chair – McKenzie Beals, Outstanding Newly Activated Member – Kara Bruns, Outstanding Member – Erica Brandow, Scholarship Recipient – Miranda Maxson.

Other Activities: Ag in the Classroom, Professional Development Leadership Alumni Panel, Hog Roast, study nights and scholarship nights at the Nebraska East Union, movie night, ice skating, cookie baking with AGR, Christmas party, challenge course, Kansas Wild Fire Relief Philanthropy, Sella Fella Philanthropy, Halloween Trunk or Treat, Defy Gravity Sisterhood, Big Red Welcome.

SOIL AND WATER RESOURCES CLUB

Officers:

- President: Spencer Myrli
- Treasurer: Cat Rock
- Primary Programmer: Scott Volpert,
- Communications Officer: Bailey Monroe
- Advisor: Tom Franti

Members: 23

Purpose: The UNL Soil and Water Resources Club was established to: (1) provide educational and leadership opportunities and training outside of the conventional classroom; (2) stimulate interests in soil and water resources, environmental restoration, and ecological engineering among UN-L students; (3) foster a spirit of cooperation and mutual helpfulness among students and faculty in order to advance the science and art of good land and water use; (4) promote a more conductive relationship between the school and the local community; and (5) establish relationships with other SWCS and AEES student chapters.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Saline Wetlands Clean Up, Lincoln, NE; Water For Food Conference Heuermann Lecture, Lincoln, NE;

Other Activities: SWRC Prairie Planting and Fall Picnic; NEST Water Sampling Project Kick-Off Event

STUDENTS FOR EDUCATION IN EXOTIC AND COMPANION ANIMALS

Officers:

- President: Emma Winters
- Vice President: Jessica Fejfar
- Secretary: Brooke Paczosa
- Treasurer: Melanie Herbers
- Advisor: Lisa Karr

Members: 35

Purpose: To educate students about companion and exotic animals and to educate members about career and volunteer opportunities involving animals.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Capital Humane Society tour

Fundraising Activities: Hot chocolate fundraiser, cat toy collection

Other Activities: Sponsored Semi-Annual Canine Good Citizen dog training classes.

STUDENT TURF CLUB

Officers:

- President: Andrew Getty
- Vice President: Jacob Fuehrer
- Secretary: Logan Leigh
- Treasurer: Kenton Fritson
- Advisor: Anne Streich

Members: 15

Purpose: The purpose of this chapter shall be (1) to serve as an official organization for students interested in turfgrass management, and to provide them with information about career directions and the credentials needed to become a part of the turfgrass industry, (2) to promote and advance the profession and enrich the quality of turf and our environment, and (3) to provide an avenue for an exchange of information and ideas between students and professionals in the turfgrass industry.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: GCSAA Golf Industry Show in Orlando, Florida, STMA National Conference in Orlando, Florida, Tour of Landscapes Unlimited Corporate office, Tour of Country Club of Lincoln's bunker renovation, Nebraska Turfgrass Conference

Fundraising Activities: Raffle fundraiser for a free foursome at Woodland Hills, Long Putt contest for Nebraska Volleyball tickets

Organization Awards: 8th Place in the GCSAA Turf Bowl Competition

Other Activities: CornCat Cup golf challenge against the Kansas State Turf Club

SOIL JUDGING TEAM

Officers:

- President: Adam Romans
- Vice President: Kolby Grint
- Secretary/Treasurer: Autumn Dunn
- Advisors: Paul Hanson and Becky Young

Members: 13

Purpose: The purpose of this organization shall be to: (1) provide educational and leadership opportunities and training outside of the conventional classroom; (2) educate undergraduate students, through training and practice, in the development of skills related to the description, analysis, and interpretation of soils and landscapes; (3) stimulate interests in soil resources, education, and restoration among UNL students; (4) promote dynamic relationships between undergraduate students, members of the local community and government and environmental agencies; and (5) establish relationships with members of other collegiate Soil Judging teams.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Fall 2016 Region 5 Collegiate Soil Judging Contest, Lincoln, NE; Spring 2017 National Collegiate Soil Judging Contest, DeKalb, IL

Fundraising Activities: Valentine's Day Bake Sale, Lincoln Stars Hockey Tickets, SNR Documentary Night Snack Stand Sales, Walking Taco Lunch, Chipotle Dinner Fundraiser

Organization Awards: Third Place Team - Fall 2016 Region 5 Collegiate Soil Judging Contest; Third Place Overall - Fall 2016 Region 5 Collegiate Soil Judging Contest

Member Awards: 8th Place Individual Competition, Danielle Jones; 6th Place Individual Competition, Laura LeCuyer; 5th Place Individual, Sam Wilton - Fall 2016 Region 5 Collegiate Soil Judging Contest

VETERINARY BUSINESS MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION

Officers:

- President: Meghan O'Callaghan
- Vice President: Tina Novak
- Treasurer: Kate Nelson
- Advisor: Renee McFee

Members: 52

Purpose: The Veterinary Business Management Association is a student driven organization dedicated to advancing the profession through increasing business knowledge, creating network opportunities, and empowering students to achieve their personal and professional goals.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: VBMA national meeting

WILDLIFE CLUB

Officers:

- President: Courtney Anderson
- Vice-President: Jess Hall
- Secretary: Callie Seaton
- Treasurer: Harlee Phillips
- Public Relations: Delanie Bruce
- Advisors: Dennis Ferarro and Elyse Watson

Members: 33

Purpose: To (1) provide guidance and further knowledge about wildlife, (2) provide opportunities to develop cultural, social, and leadership skills of members (3) further cooperation with organizations concerned with wildlife and (4) acquaint interested students and faculty members with the wildlife field.

Conferences, Tours and Trips: Nebraska Chapter meeting of The Wildlife Society, Rocky Mountain Goat Alliance – spring goat survey, Niobrara canoe trip, “Behind the Scenes” tour of the Lee G. Simons Conservation Park and Wildlife Safari, Eastern Student Chapter Conclave

Fundraising Activities: Bake Sale, Banquet, Silent Auction

Organization Awards: Howard Wieggers/Lincoln Journal Star Conservation Award, Merit Award, Alumni Award, Wildwood Scholarship.

Member Awards: Ron Case Scholarship, Academic Award, Senior Award, Ticket Sales Award, Outreach Award, The Brian Smith Outstanding Wildlife Student Award.

Other Activities: Stream clean-up at Dead Man’s Run (Spring and Fall), Nebraska Game and Parks deer check stations, student internship presentations, herpetology presentations, NRD nature nights, Platter River Discovery Day

ZOO, EXOTIC, WILDLIFE AND COMPANION ANIMAL CLUB

Officers:

- President: Alex Rommelfanger
- Vice President: Shelby Conklin
- Secretary: Addy Mueller
- Treasurer: Emily Plock
- Advisor: Roberto Cortinas

Members: 52

Purpose: To help UNL Professional Veterinary students of all interest areas to further their education in zoo, exotic, wildlife, and companion animal medicine in a fun and entertaining atmosphere.

Fundraising Activities: Hill’s Science Diet Treats, and I Love My Dog Expo booth.

Member Awards: 3 student member scholarships

Other Activities: Oxbow luncheon, Dennis Ferraro Herpetology lecture, Austin Hill - bird and reptile lecture, Dr. Ploog - zoo vet, Nebraska Wildlife Rehab lecture, Dr. Cerny - alternative medicine

Honors

CHANCELLOR'S SCHOLARS

Students honored as Chancellor's Scholars have earned A's on all of their graded work at the University of Nebraska–Lincoln and all other post-secondary institutions attended by the student during his or her academic career. At least 42 hours must have been earned at the University of Nebraska–Lincoln.

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| Matthew Blunck | Taylor Kaus | Alissa Martindale |
| Miranda French | Paige Krupa | Toni Rasmussen |
| Andrea Gurney | Elisabeth Loseke | Kevin Real |

SUPERIOR SCHOLARS

Students honored as Superior Scholars are seniors graduating in the 2016-2017 academic year who have attained a standing in the upper three percent of their college or have been on the Honors Convocation list since matriculation as freshmen. At least 42 hours must have been earned at the University of Nebraska–Lincoln.

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| Shelby Bloomer | Jonathon Jahnke | Zhongzhou Shi |
| Kali Bohling | Cody Kuester | Rachel Sorensen |
| Elizabeth Carreiro | Katherine Lagerstrom | Melissa Svoboda |
| Katie Curatola | Terran Merriman-Honerkamp | Braden Troyer |
| Ellen Dolph | David Moss | Joshua Wehrbein |
| Cody Drudik | Erica Pribil | Charrissa Zuerlein |
| John Essink | Shannon Rezac | |
| Kelsey Foster | Sarah Schalm | |

HIGH SCHOLARS

Students recognized as High Scholars have met the required cumulative grade point average for their year of matriculation at the University. Honored juniors and seniors must have completed 42 hours at UNL, sophomores 28 hours and freshmen 12 hours. Freshmen, sophomore and junior students must have completed 12 hours during their first semester. Seniors must have completed nine hours.

*Denotes High Scholars with Cumulative Grade Point Average of 4.0

Freshmen

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| Henry Anderson | Haley Ehrke* | Madison Kalb* |
| Deo Basa | Hannah Esch* | Sophia Kallas* |
| Colten Bergt* | Elsa Forsberg* | Alexa Kapla* |
| Thierry Bienvenu | Jennifer Gilbert* | Eric Klitz* |
| Rachel Bisbee* | Whitney Heuermann* | Chad Lammers* |
| Peyton Bishop* | Germain Intwari* | Chunjiang Li |
| Nathaniel Choat* | Jean Claude Iradukunda* | Petra Luteran* |
| Hanna Cronk* | Zilfa Irakoze* | Therese Lux* |
| Jocelyn Daubendiek* | Julienne Irihose* | Shalyn Miller* |
| Braden Dvorak* | Ange Nicole Ishimwe* | Ntwali Gislain Muhikira* |

Jared Muhlbach*
Polly Musayidizi*
Erasmé Mutuyemungu*
Hubert Muyirate*
Jean d'Amour Ndatira
Bonheur Ndayishimiye
Didier Ndenga
Joshua John Nduwamungu*
Troy Nguyen
Nghi Nguyen*
Clement Niyirora*

Hannah O'Neill
Alexis Overman
Lucas Palamim
Felicia Pandorf*
Bryan Petersen*
Austin Preister*
Derek Robbins*
Kathleen Roth*
Tania Rugamba*
Tonny Ruhinda
Seth Schumacher*

Herve Sheja Kabanda*
Rene Francis Mvuyekure*
Cade Svoboda
Ryley Thomas
Esdras Tuyishimire*
Liliane Umuhosa
Oscaline Usanase*
Joviale Uwase*
Isadora Vercesi Bethlem*
Wen Xiao*
Kara Zimmerman*

Sophomores

Rachelle Allen
Allyson Beard*
Lisa Berwa
Shannyn Bird*
Quade Brees
Emily Bremers*
Rebecca Brooks
Allison Ediger
Alyssa Ehler*
Elizabeth Elliott
Rodger Farr
Olivia Fiala
Collin Freeman
Aude Gaju Ngoga

Molli Hagge*
Kyle Heithoff*
Bethany Hollman
Meredith Honig
Katie Horan*
Devin Jakub
Amanda Kowalewski*
Madeline Misfeldt*
Sierra Nelson*
Ashley Neujahr
Luke Polenz
Hunter Quinn*
John Radil
Shelby Riggs*
Kristen Rule*

Mirissa Scholting
Sarah Schuelke
Renaé Sieck*
Abby Steffen
Chloe Suarez
Grant Suddarth
Nicole Tank*
Kaitlin Taylor*
Bethany Vinton
Lindsay Weber
JNan Wittler
Kyla Wojtalewicz
Mackenzie Zwiener

Juniors

Dakota Altman
Rebecca Anderson
Jacob Atwood
Benjamin Barelman
Taylor Bequette
Stacy Breesawitz*
Natalie Bristol
Grace Bullington
Katheryn Compton
Kaitlyn Cooper
Alex Cumming*
Avery Dresser
Elizabeth Drey
Nathan Duffy
Mallory Einfalt
Madeline Eischen
Heath Fink
Ethan Frazier
Andrew Getty
Regan Gilmore*

Jacob Givens
Erika Harms*
Grant Hillenbrand*
Benjamin Hintz
Cassandra Huck
Rachel Ibach
Catherine Jones
Derek Kane
Brianna Kellar
Naomi Kirkvold
Madeleine Koenig*
Jace Kranau*
Juliana Krotz
Elizabeth Lange
Devon Lockman
Taylor Lofdahl
Benjamin Lundberg
Madison McGuire
Michael Miller
Karmin Moncrief

KateLynn Ness
Brandon Nichols
Makaela Oltman
Rebecca Reicks
Dakota Riecken
Kara Riggie
Kara Robbins
James Rutledge
Robin Sarik
Jessica Schmidt
London Sindelar
Chandler Smith*
Samantha Teten
Grant Uehling
Lauren Uhlig
Andrea Wach
Mary Wagner
Thomas Waldo
Madison Williams
Emma Winters*

Samuel Zach

Bailey Ziegler

Seniors

Ty Alexander
McKenzie Beals
Alex Bender
Brett Bendfeldt
Clay Blank
Stacy Breesawitz
Amanda Clymer
Alison Creeger
Elli Dearmont
Taylor Ditoro
Tate Emanuel
Megan Franklin
Krysten Fries
Shelby Garland
Kevin Hanna
Gavin Harsh

Melanie Heermann
Emily Kahlandt
Benet Kinghorn
Mikaela Krumrei
Ian Lagerstrom
Erica Lewis
Fangyi Li
Jaslyn Livingston
Benjamin Loseke
Travis Martin
Elizabeth McDonald
Anna Meduna
Rhett Montgomery
Aaron Moore
Lindsay Ohlman
Rachel Pettid

Sowmya Pulumati
Jacob Rafert
Bryce Schilousky
Alexander Schmitz
Madison Schwenka
Madeleine Schwinghammer
Laura Smoyer*
Sara Speicher
Elizabeth Stevenson
Alexandra Tobin
Curt Vandenberg
Allison Vlach
Erich Vogel
Jeffrey Wallman
Madelaine Weissend

ALPHA ZETA

Alpha Zeta is an honorary and professional fraternity of men and women whose education objectives and/or careers are related to the field of agriculture. Founded at Ohio State University on November 4, 1897, it is the oldest fraternal organization in agriculture. One objective of the fraternity is to develop leadership, fellowship and character among its student members. Academics, leadership and character continue to be the criteria used to determine student eligibility to join Alpha Zeta.

McKenzie Beals
Shelby Bloomer
John Bohaty
Kali Bohling
Kathleen Brandt
Ashley Buescher
Taylor Burett
Elizabeth Carreiro
Amanda Clymer
Cassidy Curtis
Kevin Donoghue
John Essink
Seth Gohl
Kimberly Gollhofer

LaNaya Gutierrez
Dylan Haas
Molli Hagge
Erika Harms
Melanie Heermann
Moriah Heerten
Rachel Ibach
Catherine Jones
Ian Lagerstrom
Autumn Lemmer
Erica Lewis
Kate Likens
Chris Lindeman
Elisabeth Loseke
Alissa Martindale

Heidi Miller
Madeline Misfeldt
KateLynn Ness
Jacob Nikodym
Savannah Schafer
Mirissa Scholting
Kaitlin Taylor
Samantha Teten
Eleanor Wagner
Thomas Waldo
Jeffrey Wallman
Lindsay Weber
Jake Werner
Emma Winters

Dean's List

Each semester, students having a minimum of 12 semester graded hours with a minimum grade point average of 3.75 or above are eligible for the Dean's List.

FALL 2016

Marytza Abebe
Ange Agasaro
Natacha Akaliza
Oladapo Akinmoladun
Ty Alexander
Rachelle Allen
Tana Almand
Dakota Altman
Derek Anderson
Henry Anderson
Rebecca Anderson
Ashley Anderson
Brandon Andrews
Jacob Atwood
Vincent Bachteler
Steven Bader
Sophia Baillie
Madelyn Bak
Benjamin Barelman
Jayden Barth
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McKenzie Beals
Allyson Beard
Reed Becker
Davis Behle
Delaney Behrendt
Sara Bellamy
Brett Bendfeldt
Christian Bennett
Heather Bentley
Taylor Bequette
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Alison Creeger
Emily Critser
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Jocelyn Daubendiek
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Naomi Kirkvold
Sophia Kisling
Dawn Klabenes
Eric Klitz
Shelby Knoche
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Madeleine Koenig
Amanda Kowalewski
Morgan Kowalewski
Jenna Krager
Jace Kranau
Caitlin Krizek
Mikaela Krumrei
Paige Krupa
Cody Kuester
Seth Lackas
Ian Lagerstrom
Luke Lallman
Chad Lammers
Seth Larsen
Jonathan LeCuyer
Sandra Lee
Sue Mae Lee
Christian Leichthy
Eric Leisy
Erica Lewis
Chunjiang Li
Katlyn Likens
Zixiang Liu
Devon Lockman
Taylor Lofdahl
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Benjamin Loseke
Elisabeth Loseke
Coy Ludwig
Benjamin Lundberg
Alexandria Lundvall
Petra Luteran
Elizabeth Lutz
Therese Lux
Bryce Maher
Sarah Marcy
Alissa Martindale
Jean Claude Mbarushimana

Kyana McCandless Stewart
Cody McClellan
Troy McDonald
Madison McGuire
Maya McIntosh
Kerstin McIntyre
Brent Miller
Shalyn Miller
Michael Miller
Madeline Misfeldt
Karmin Moncrief
Rhett Montgomery
Cassie Mosel
Besta Mugabekazi
Ntwali Gislain Muhikira
Jared Muhlbach
Elvis Muhoza
Polly Musayidizi
Andrew Musil
Erasmus Mutuyemungu
Hubert Muyirate
Gloria Mwiseneza
Jennifer Myers
Jean d'Amour Ndatira
Bonheur Ndayishimiye
Didier Ndenga
Joshua John Nduwamungu
Kurt Nelson
Sierra Nelson
Karli Nelson
KateLynn Ness
Ashley Neujahr
Jessa Newby
Nghi Nguyen
Troy Nguyen
Duy Nguyen
Brandon Nichols
Tanner Nienhueser
Clement Niyirora
Ferdinand Niyongira
Eric Nkurikiye
James Noble
Spencer Noble
Caleb Nuehring
Precious Valentine Nyabami
Colleen Ocken
Jayde Olson
Brett Oltman
Hannah O'Neill
Ella Oney
Jonah Otte
Alexandrea Otto
Alexis Overman

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Kashly R. Schweer
Sara Elizabeth Sieren
Renata Spuri Gomes
Regan Elise Stanley
Sarah Cheyenne Tenley
Fatima Amor Mendoza Tenorio
Dagen Lynn Valentine
Patrick Michael Wagner
Wan Wei

December 2016

Ashley Renee Alred
Brian Lee Barnes
Nathan Reid Bieber
Christine Helen Bielski
Sarah Marie Blecha
Jessica Lynn Burow
Michael Henry Castle
Kirsten Ann Chamberlain
Ryan Robert Danczak
Qian Du
Kenneth Shay Evans
Hannah Leigh Greenwell
Hillary Morgan Guzik

Gabriela Harvey
Linda Elaine Johns
Lee William Kottmeyer
Logan Lamb
Jun Li
Ashley Marie Linville
Kelly Ann McCarty
Darrell James Michael
Ellen I. Miller
Kelsie Marie Musil
Paul J. Narguizian
Sviatoslav Navrotskyi
Cyrille Araud Nzouda Tsotezo

Juan Eduardo Ortuzar Irarrazaval
Lee Kahle Palmer
Kaylen Nicole Reilley-Hanks
Bradley Duane Schick
Corrie Leigh Small
Kristen Michelle Ulmer
Hope Renee Voegele
Jared Patrick Werner
Emery Karoline Wilkerson
Rachel L. Woods
Junsi Yang
Erich W. Zinser

May 2017

Jason R. Adams
Nicole Elise Bacheller
Johnna Lynn Baller
Ethann Robert Barnes
Shana Marie Barnett
Rebecca Anne Bevans
Ashley Elizabeth Bigge
Hope Chantelle Blackburn
Melissa Ann Brown
Caitlin Nicole Cadaret
Joey Caputo
Zachary Eilean Carlson
Zachary John Christman

Gabriel Martin Connealy
Matthew Robert Duncan
Alexis DeHart Fedele
Catherine Emily Finkenbinder
Nicholas Delmond Garst
Leslie Ann Gilles
Bradley V. Goetsch
Andrew David Hamann
Jessica Lynn Hauschild
Katy Ane Hillard
Ronald Francis Hirzel, Jr.
Staci Jo Johnston
Kevin Nicholas Keller

Tasha M. King
Timothy Peter Lampasona
Melissa Marie Lusk
Mollie Mary McMahan
Kelly Christina Moore
Mumba Racheal Mwape
Amanda Rose Newton
Ashley McKenzie Peterson
Cameron Keith Prince
Juan Miguel Rodriguez
Rodney A. Rohrer
Buddy Doyle Roper II
Nadia Quiana Ruffin

Spencer Lee Samuelson
Desirae Maria TePoel
Carol Jean Thompson

Alicia Nichole Thuis
Esteban Valverde Bogantes
Thao Thi Thanh Vu

Ranil Weerackoon
Zhuqing Xu
Zell Zanarkand

DOCTORAL DEGREES
(Includes Doctor of Plant Health)

August 2016

Joe Oscar Buntyn
Jihan F. Cepeda Jimenez
Katherine I. Domenech Perez
Weishu Fan
Jana L. Gramkow
Muhammad Imran Khan

Anji Reddy Konda
Janina A. Krumbeck
Mei Lu
Maria Ximena Maldonado Gomez
Lia Marchi Werle
Anthony Justin McMechan

Maryna Ptukhina
Leah Anne Ruff
Mark David Svoboda
Van Thi The Tran
Fang Xie

December 2016

Kwane Andoh-Kumi
Nonoy Batiller Bandillo
Curtis James Bittner
Cory Honsinger Thomas Boone
Shuwei Dai
Zahoor Ahmad Ganie
Joao Carlos Gomes Neto
Jeremy James Hammen
Chengchou Han

Ryan Scott Henry
Shyamali H. Jayasena
Insun Kook
Louise Irene Lynch
Joshua Jay Miller
Matthew Adam Pedersen
Pamela Andrea Peña Perdomo
Adriano Elias Pereira
Iuliia Protopop

Tarlan Razzaghi
Kevin Matthew Sargent
Sankalp Sharma
Johathan Jay Spurgeon
Shengqian Sun
Kanokwan Teingtham
Roxana Yglesias
Ling Zhang
Yixiang Zhang

May 2017

John Burdette Barker
Robert Gregory Bondurant, Jr.
Waseem Hussain
Kismiatini
Margarita Rosa Marroquin Guzman

Joshua Jay Miller
Robert Mugabi
Cyrille Arnaud Nzouda Tsotezo
Jorge E. Perez Arocho
Leslie Catherine Rault

Matheus Geraldo Ribeiro
Qinyin Shi
Maggi Sue Sliwinski
Daniel Robert Uden

Graduate Fellowships

Cooper/Sharpless Fellowship

The Mary and Charles C. Cooper/Emma I. Sharpless Fellowships are available to recruit exceptional graduate students capable of benefitting from further education in CASNR. The estate of Emma L. Lounsbury of San Bernardino, California established a trust which established the Mary and Charles C. Cooper/Emma I. Sharpless Fellowship. Mary and Charles C. Cooper were the parents of Emma Laura Cooper Lounsbury and Emma I. Sharpless was her aunt. Emma Sharpless attended the University of Nebraska in 1912.

Lindsay Overmyer
Joel Crowther
Mitchell Maguire
Sarah Rooks
Samia Amiri
Tsz Him Lo

Corn Development, Utilization, and Marketing Board Graduate Fellowship

The Nebraska Corn Board was established in 1978 with the approval of the corn checkoff. The Corn Development, Utilization, and Marketing Board Graduate Fellowship is available for graduate students in the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources with research interests in animal nutrition and byproducts/co-products of grains to include by-product utilization, distillers grains and animal nutrition using byproducts. One fellowship is awarded each year.

Colton Oney

Farmers National Company Fellowship in Agriculture

The Farmers National Company Fellowship in Agriculture was established in 1979. It was made possible through an endowment to the University Foundation by the Farmers National Company of Omaha. The income earned from the fund is used annually to support fellowships for regularly enrolled graduate students in the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Meetpal Kukal

Doris and Bill Lohry Fellowship

The Doris and Bill Lohry Fellowship was established by Bill Lohry to serve as a nonprofit educational foundation for students pursuing careers in agriculture.

Kirsten Chamberlain

Irvin A. and Agnes E. Nelson Memorial Fellowship

The purpose of the Irvin A. and Agnes E. Nelson Memorial Fellowship is to provide assistance to students for travel expenses in attending professional meetings for the purpose of presenting research results or otherwise

developing professionally. The fellowship can also be used to assist with other purposes related to the research or the student's training or professional development.

Jessica Burnett
Hannah Birg
Maggi Sliwinski

Milton E. Mohr Fellowship

The Milton E. Mohr Fellowship was established in 1983. Mr. Mohr established the fellowship for students in the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources whose areas of study were limited to agricultural engineering, agronomy, animal science, food science and technology, and veterinary science. The fellowship was made possible through an endowment to the University Foundation of 6,000 shares of common stock of Quotron Systems, Inc.

Ashley Bigge
Thomas Butts
Amy Desaulniers
Ellen Emanuel
Karen Ferreira Da Silva
Zahoor Ganie
Fnu Govardhan Ratnaiah
Hatem Kittana
Margarita Marroquin-Guzman
Joshua Miller
Vasudha Sharma
Guanchao Sun

Scholarship Report

CASNR is proud to have the opportunity to help students get the quality education they seek at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Through various donors and alumni supporters, CASNR was able to distribute **\$1,318,773.55** for the 2016-2017 academic year in the form of **1171** individual awards averaging \$1,129.14 per award. Based upon such criteria as academic achievement, extracurricular involvement and financial need, scholarships awarded through CASNR are and will continue to support the College's outstanding students. A comprehensive summary of CASNR scholarships follows:

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| Total number of Scholarships given by CASNR | 1171 |
| Total number of Students receiving Scholarships from CASNR | 897 |
| Total percent of students receiving awards from CASNR | 38.5% |
| Total Amount Awarded through CASNR | \$1,318,773.55 |
| Average Value of all CASNR Scholarships | \$1,126.19 |

College Level Awards

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| Total Awarded through Dean's Office | \$591,915.30 |
| Total Number of Scholarships Awarded through Dean's Office | 648 |
| Total Number of Students receiving Awards through Dean's Office | 478 |

Departmental Level Awards

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| Total Awarded through Departments | \$726,858.25 |
| Total Number of Scholarships Awarded through Departments | 523 |
| Total Number of Students receiving awards through Departments | 419 |

CASNR SCHOLARSHIPS

| Student Name | Scholarship Name | Amount |
|----------------------|--|--------|
| Kali Bohling | Albert C. and Katherine Wehr Memorial | \$1000 |
| Madeleine Koenig | Albert C. and Katherine Wehr Memorial | \$1000 |
| Katherine Lagerstrom | Albert C. and Katherine Wehr Memorial | \$1000 |
| Bailey Ziegler | Albert C. and Katherine Wehr Memorial | \$393 |
| Derek Anderson | Albert Hoesch | \$467 |
| Kaitlin Taylor | Albert Hoesch | \$1000 |
| Michael Borgelt | Allegra Wilkens | \$1000 |
| Allison Campbell | Allegra Wilkens | \$1000 |
| Nathaniel Choat | Allegra Wilkens | \$1000 |
| Caitlyn Deal | Allegra Wilkens | \$1000 |
| Claire Eno | Allegra Wilkens | \$1000 |
| Cheyenne Gerlach | Allegra Wilkens | \$1000 |
| Colin Wooldrik | Allegra Wilkens | \$103 |
| David Catsinas | Alvin J. Gard | \$1234 |
| Trang Hoang | Alvin J. Gard | \$1234 |
| Seth Hawkins | Amanda M. Mundhenke and Ben H. Mundhenke | \$1000 |

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| Clay Blank | Baker-Goodding Memorial | \$710 |
| Dylan Spilinek | Bluhm Memorial | \$625 |
| Megan Dinges | CASNR | \$1000 |
| Erica Pribil | CASNR | \$138 |
| Madelyn Bak | CASNR Alumni Association | \$1000 |
| Kensie Burnside | CASNR Alumni Association | \$1500 |
| Alec Meyer | CASNR Alumni Association | \$1000 |
| Drew Seubert | CASNR Alumni Association | \$1000 |
| Jacob VanBoening | CASNR Alumni Association | \$1000 |
| Miranda Maxson | CASNR Development | \$400 |
| Heidi Miller | CASNR Development | \$174 |
| Julia Cambridge | CERES' Club | \$1000 |
| Natalia Nolting | CERES' Club | \$913 |
| Bryce Lammers | Charles E. Booth Memorial | \$1000 |
| Sean Warren | Charles E. Booth Memorial | \$323 |
| Delaney Behrendt | Charles Stuart | \$1500 |
| John Essink | Charles Stuart | \$443 |
| Mikaela Krumrei | Charles Stuart | \$1000 |
| Aaron Moore | Charles Stuart | \$500 |
| Lindsay Ohlman | Charles Stuart | \$1000 |
| Rachel Pettid | Charles Stuart | \$618 |
| Bailey Ziegler | Charles Stuart | \$607 |
| Kelby Vieth | Charles W. Yount Agriculture | \$345 |
| Ryan Wiese | Charles W. Yount Agriculture | \$1151 |
| Sarah Asche | Christine Votaw Vinton Memorial | \$232 |
| Elizabeth McDonald | Christine Votaw Vinton Memorial | \$232 |
| Katheryn Compton | CHS Scholars | \$2000 |
| Logan Dibbern | CHS Scholars | \$2000 |
| Erika Harms | CHS Scholars | \$2000 |
| Tyler Marotz | CHS Scholars | \$2000 |
| KateLynn Ness | CHS Scholars | \$2000 |
| Brandon Nichols | CHS Scholars | \$2000 |
| John Radil | CHS Scholars | \$2000 |
| Parker Wallin | CHS Scholars | \$2000 |
| Kaitlyn Hanvey | Clarence LaRue Memorial | \$382 |
| Christian Leichty | Corporal Herbert Leonard Ulrich Memorial Agriculture | \$1375 |
| Hannah Gavle | D.P. McGill | \$1000 |
| Rebecca McKay | D.P. McGill | \$1000 |
| Bryan Petersen | D.P. McGill | \$1000 |
| Zachary Seaton | D.P. McGill | \$1000 |
| Dylan Spilinek | D.P. McGill | \$585 |
| Dakota Altman | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1500 |
| Benjamin Barelman | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Maranda Bonifas | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Allison Carothers | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |

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| Autumn Dunn | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Courtney Everhart | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Volodymyr Guk | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Emily Kirkvold | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Timothy Lambert | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Allison Leising | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$500 |
| Jamie Mashino | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Jesse Paxton | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Olivia Rezac | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Nicole Strand | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Michaela Swiatek | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Alexandra Tobin | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Delaney Walsh | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$1000 |
| Jadine Wiese | David H. and Annie E. Larrick | \$896 |
| Justin Epp | Doris and Bill Lohry CASNR | \$1000 |
| Renaë Sieck | Dorothea Holstein 4-H | \$427 |
| Rachel Pettid | Dr. John L. and Dorothy H. Adams Memorial | \$382 |
| Samuel Zach | Dr. John L. and Dorothy H. Adams Memorial | \$1000 |
| Therese Lux | Dye Family Trust | \$1000 |
| Shalyn Miller | Dye Family Trust | \$1000 |
| Megan Reuter | Dye Family Trust | \$1126 |
| Colten Bergt | Earl H. Wilkins-Heartland Bank | \$1148 |
| Drew Jeffres | Earl H. Wilkins-Heartland Bank | \$1147 |
| Kurt Nelson | Earl H. Wilkins-Heartland Bank | \$1147 |
| Halle Ramsey | Earl H. Wilkins-Heartland Bank | \$1147 |
| Erika Roan | Earl R. Taylor | \$362 |
| Tristan Brott | Ella Husted and Lucius I. Frisbie Memorial 4-H | \$500 |
| Lynn Hanson | Ella Husted and Lucius I. Frisbie Memorial 4-H | \$500 |
| Kara Riggle | Ella Husted and Lucius I. Frisbie Memorial 4-H | \$528 |
| Caitlin Krizek | Emily Krisl Trust | \$296 |
| Melissa Martin | Emily Krisl Trust | \$1000 |
| Dylan White | Emily Krisl Trust | \$281 |
| Madison McGuire | Ernest L. Weyeneth | \$808 |
| Mary Lewandowski | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Kenzie Lingenfelter | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Brent Miller | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Danielle Muller | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Connor O'Meara | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$500 |
| Alexandrea Otto | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Ramsey Peterson | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Austin Preister | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Susan Rasmussen | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$500 |
| Derek Robbins | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Kathleen Roth | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1500 |
| Keeley Russman | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |

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| Chase Samuelson | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Megan Schleisman | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Kailie Schmitt | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$500 |
| Chloe Suarez | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Parker Sundquist | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Zachary Treves | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$1000 |
| Kelby Vieth | Ervin and Dorothy Schulz Agricultural | \$655 |
| Madison Jurgens | Erwin and Eva Hopt Memorial | \$687 |
| Addison Krebs | Ethel Elander Memorial | \$715 |
| Jacob Atwood | Farm Credit Services of America | \$2500 |
| Cody Drudik | Farm Credit Services of America | \$2500 |
| Wilson Hupp | Farm Credit Services of America | \$2500 |
| Erica Lewis | Farm Credit Services of America | \$2500 |
| Andrew Neujahr | Farm Credit Services of America | \$2500 |
| Caleb Nuehring | Farm Credit Services of America | \$2500 |
| Amanda Clymer | Farmers National Company | \$1500 |
| Brandon Deunk | Farmers National Company | \$1500 |
| Alex Bender | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Natalie Bristol | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Taylor Ditoro | Fleming Schofield | \$500 |
| Krysten Fries | Fleming Schofield | \$500 |
| Yujie Gao | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Rachel Ibach | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Cody Kuester | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Sydney Lovegrove | Fleming Schofield | \$500 |
| Benjamin Lundberg | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Jasmine Mausbach | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Troy Nguyen | Fleming Schofield | \$2000 |
| Luke Polenz | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Jessica Reed | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Dakota Riecken | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Jacob Schlick | Fleming Schofield | \$500 |
| Ashtyn Shrewsbury | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| London Sindelar | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Thomas Waldo | Fleming Schofield | \$1000 |
| Jake Werner | Fleming Schofield | \$436 |
| Erica Pribil | Floyd F. Hedlund | \$252 |
| Seth Hawkins | Floyd Runkel | \$14 |
| Gage Hoegermeyer | Floyd Runkel | \$83 |
| Erica Pribil | Floyd Runkel | \$552 |
| Wesley Anderjaska | Garry Krutsinger Range Management | \$2546 |
| Steven Bader | Gary and Jeanne Bluhm Memorial | \$350 |
| Joshua Brahmsteadt | Gary and Jeanne Bluhm Memorial | \$140 |
| Elizabeth Cast | Gary and Jeanne Bluhm Memorial | \$140 |
| Dakota Altman | George C. McGinnis Memorial | \$250 |

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| Cadrien Livingston | George C. McGinnis Memorial | \$250 |
| Sarah Marcy | George C. McGinnis Memorial | \$500 |
| Emily Petersen | George C. McGinnis Memorial | \$1000 |
| Samantha Surber | George C. McGinnis Memorial | \$1160 |
| Zachary Temple | George C. McGinnis Memorial | \$1000 |
| Madison Jurgens | George I. Eberly | \$389 |
| Dawn Klabenes | George I. Eberly | \$1000 |
| Marytza Abebe | George Wenke | \$355 |
| Rodger Farr | George Wenke | \$694 |
| Samantha Guenther | George Wenke | \$850 |
| Molli Hagge | George Wenke | \$732 |
| Kaitlyn Hanvey | George Wenke | \$618 |
| Matthew Hendl | George Wenke | \$500 |
| Jenna Krager | George Wenke | \$1000 |
| Natalia Nolting | George Wenke | \$87 |
| Griffin Nuzzo | George Wenke | \$4000 |
| Erica Pribil | George Wenke | \$58 |
| Hunter Quinn | George Wenke | \$1000 |
| Kara Riggle | George Wenke | \$472 |
| Renaë Sieck | George Wenke | \$573 |
| Paige Steinle | George Wenke | \$500 |
| Jacob Fuehrer | Gerald Niebling | \$1000 |
| Brandon Johnston | Glen and Esther Foner | \$1000 |
| Madison Kalb | Glen and Esther Foner | \$1000 |
| Sophia Kallas | Glen and Esther Foner | \$1000 |
| Alexa Kapla | Glen and Esther Foner | \$1000 |
| Alaina Kapla | Glen and Esther Foner | \$1000 |
| Cassandra Kiihne | Glen and Esther Foner | \$1000 |
| Naomi Kirkvold | Glen and Esther Foner | \$1000 |
| Jenna Mohrmann | Glen and Esther Foner | \$827 |
| Jamie Roth | Glenn and Bertha Lewis | \$290 |
| Tanner Zlab | Glenn and Bertha Lewis | \$291 |
| Henry Anderson | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$1000 |
| Allyson Beard | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$1000 |
| RoseMarie Blote | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$1000 |
| Katelyn Cashman | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$1000 |
| Trace Chrisman | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$1000 |
| Chloe Christensen | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$1000 |
| Ariana Cohen | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$1000 |
| Lacretia Contreras | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$500 |
| Katherine Lagerstrom | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$500 |
| Camryn Wiens | Glenn and Mary Jane Plucknett | \$316 |
| Richard Klaczynsky | Governor Dale and Clarice Wolf | \$455 |
| Dylan White | Governor Dale and Clarice Wolf | \$379 |
| Erin Weaver | Grace M. Keeffe | \$720 |

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| Krista Carter | Halleck Fund | \$1000 |
| Opal Spidell | Halleck Fund | \$751 |
| Wade Backstrom | Henry F. Klosterman Memorial | \$1200 |
| Michael Byers | Henry F. Klosterman Memorial | \$1200 |
| Amanda Clymer | Henry F. Klosterman Memorial | \$1200 |
| Olivia Fiala | Henry F. Klosterman Memorial | \$1200 |
| Rachel Fuxa | Henry F. Klosterman Memorial | \$1200 |
| Anna Kobza | Henry F. Klosterman Memorial | \$1200 |
| Chelsea Sidel | Henry F. Klosterman Memorial | \$1200 |
| Christopher Elofson | Herbert R. and Ruth A. Yost Memorial | \$360 |
| Zhongzhou Shi | Hiram H. Kano | \$1132 |
| Tanna Almand | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Kathryn Bagniewski | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Taylor Bequette | Holling Memorial | \$1500 |
| Clay Blank | Holling Memorial | \$290 |
| John Bohaty | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Cassandra Brassard | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Allison Brockman | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Grace Bullington | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Krista Carter | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Blake Chramosta | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Chloe Christensen | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Alex Cumming | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Kaitlyn Cumming | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Zoe De Grande | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Daniel DeJong | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Ellen Dolph | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Marydith Donnelly | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Amy Douglas | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Elizabeth Drey | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Emma Duman | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Miranda Earnest | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Mallory Einfalt | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Tate Emanuel | Holling Memorial | \$750 |
| Hannah Esch | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Sarah Fagras | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Olivia Fiala | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Kelsey Foster | Holling Memorial | \$441 |
| Emily Frenzen | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Kayla Gadeken | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Joshua Garner | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Seth Gohl | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Monica Gotschall | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Austin Graves | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Molli Hagge | Holling Memorial | \$150 |

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| Jessica Hall | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Trevor Halstead | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Megan Hamling | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Lynn Hanson | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Dillon Hanson | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Jasmine Hanson | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Kaitlyn Hanvey | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Jenna Hargens | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Katie Harrell | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Trang Hoang | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Bethany Hollman | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Meredith Honig | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Michaela Horn | Holling Memorial | \$1500 |
| Sarah Howat | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Emily Hruza | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Cassandra Huck | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Natalie Jones | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Ambrosia Keefe | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Maranda Kegley | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Brianna Kellar | Holling Memorial | \$1500 |
| Alexis Kelly | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Cheyenne Kems | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Benet Kinghorn | Holling Memorial | \$369 |
| Steven Kirchner | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Mandalyn Koehler | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Carlee Koehler | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Wyatt Koehler | Holling Memorial | \$883 |
| Brianna Kouma | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Addison Krebs | Holling Memorial | \$285 |
| Caitlin Krizek | Holling Memorial | \$704 |
| Seth Lackas | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Sandra Lee | Holling Memorial | \$736 |
| Cadrien Livingston | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Alexis Lorence | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Erica Lunde | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Elizabeth McDonald | Holling Memorial | \$268 |
| Troy McDonald | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Madison McGuire | Holling Memorial | \$192 |
| Grace Merritt | Holling Memorial | \$1000 |
| Brent Miller | Holling Memorial | \$1000 |
| Marcus Miller | Holling Memorial | \$34 |
| Jenna Mohrmann | Holling Memorial | \$173 |
| Brooke Mott | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Karli Nelson | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| KateLynn Ness | Holling Memorial | \$150 |

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| Daniel Ngu | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Karly Niewohner | Holling Memorial | \$750 |
| Samuel Nodler | Holling Memorial | \$180 |
| Felicia Pandorf | Holling Memorial | \$164 |
| Bryan Petersen | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Sarah Petrzilka | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Emily Puls | Holling Memorial | \$350 |
| Jacob Rafert | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Brittney Reinsch | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Erika Roan | Holling Memorial | \$638 |
| Derek Robbins | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Justin Ropers | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Amber Ross | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Brianna Sander | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Robin Sarik | Holling Memorial | \$1500 |
| Chrisinda Scheideler | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Sarah Schellpeper | Holling Memorial | \$125 |
| Madison Schlake | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Alexander Schmitz | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Sarah Schuelke | Holling Memorial | \$547 |
| Madison Schwenka | Holling Memorial | \$1500 |
| Hannah Settje | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Diane Sherwin | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Chasity Smetter | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Nevada Smith | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Rachel Sorensen | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Alexandra Sorensen | Holling Memorial | \$366 |
| Jeremy Sousek | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Stephanie Sparks | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Trevor Spath | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Sara Beth Speicher | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Joseph Stellato | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Jordyn Stover | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Shelbi Strong | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Grant Suddarth | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Sophia Sullivan | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Cade Svoboda | Holling Memorial | \$1147 |
| Sheridan Swotek | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Nicole Tank | Holling Memorial | \$500 |
| Kaitlin Taylor | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Timothy Thielen | Holling Memorial | \$340 |
| Danielle Thiessen | Holling Memorial | \$1000 |
| Samantha Trampe | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Michael True | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Sean Warren | Holling Memorial | \$677 |

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| Kaylee Weakly | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Erin Weaver | Holling Memorial | \$280 |
| Kane Wellnitz | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Jake Werner | Holling Memorial | \$564 |
| Holly White | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Camryn Wiens | Holling Memorial | \$684 |
| Jadine Wiese | Holling Memorial | \$104 |
| Mason Williams | Holling Memorial | \$716 |
| Cody Willnerd | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Michaela Wilson | Holling Memorial | \$125 |
| Kyla Wojtalewicz | Holling Memorial | \$150 |
| Colin Wooldrik | Holling Memorial | \$897 |
| Miranda Wordekemper | Holling Memorial | \$250 |
| Kara Zimmerman | Holling Memorial | \$762 |
| Charissa Zuerlein | Holling Memorial | \$1200 |
| Cassandra Huck | Howard and Margaret Ottoson Outstanding Fund in Agriculture | \$750 |
| Sandra Lee | Howard, Dorothy and Alan Anderson | \$264 |
| Charles Blowers | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$236 |
| Kadie Bond-Sobota | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$250 |
| Sophie Dinan | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$250 |
| Spencer Endorf | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$1000 |
| Gavin Harsh | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$1000 |
| Moriah Heerten | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$250 |
| Alexandria Lundvall | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$250 |
| Joshua McDowell | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$1000 |
| Railen Ripp | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$250 |
| Lindsey Sabatka | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$1000 |
| Madison Schlake | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$1000 |
| Nathan Vaughn | Ida Wilkens Berger | \$250 |
| Tana Almand | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$600 |
| McKenzie Beals | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$2000 |
| Kelsi Busboom | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$600 |
| Taylor Carlberg | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$500 |
| Elizabeth Cast | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$600 |
| Christine Cooper | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$450 |
| Alex Cumming | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$420 |
| Miranda Earnest | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$500 |
| Elizabeth Elliott | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$2000 |
| Kayla Gadeken | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Jessica Hall | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Kylie Ham | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$450 |
| Dillon Hanson | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Kaitlyn Hanvey | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$450 |
| Jenna Hargens | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$500 |
| Logan Kalkowski | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$500 |

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| Ambrosia Keefe | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Alexis Kelly | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$450 |
| Briana Kouma | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Heidi Miller | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$600 |
| Brooke Mott | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Spencer Noble | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$2000 |
| Jennifer Reyes | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Justin Ropers | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$600 |
| Amber Ross | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$500 |
| Madison Schlake | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$420 |
| Chasity Smetter | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$600 |
| Stephanie Sparks | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$500 |
| Jordyn Stover | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Grant Suddarth | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$500 |
| Sophia Sullivan | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Collin Swedberg | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$450 |
| Kaitlin Taylor | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$500 |
| Samantha Trampe | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$750 |
| Michael True | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Holly White | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Cody Willnerd | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Kyla Wojtalewicz | Inez and Frank Mussehl | \$700 |
| Kaitlyn Cumming | Ivan and Darlene Auer | \$1000 |
| Cassandra Huck | Ivan and Darlene Auer | \$1000 |
| Brandi Russell | Ivan and Darlene Auer | \$1000 |
| Shawna Wheeler | Ivan and Darlene Auer | \$600 |
| Corey Kruger | James W. and Anna Lemley | \$1000 |
| Anne Martens | James W. and Anna Lemley | \$1000 |
| Marcus Miller | James W. and Anna Lemley | \$966 |
| Rachel Bisbee | Jerome and Ruth Wood | \$1000 |
| Emily Cumming | Jerome and Ruth Wood | \$1000 |
| Richard Klaczynsky | Jerome and Ruth Wood | \$545 |
| Jacob Williams | Jim Baldrige | \$1326 |
| Ashley Dill | John Loewenstein | \$1000 |
| Morgan Heil | John Loewenstein | \$1000 |
| Dylan White | John Loewenstein | \$340 |
| John Radil | John S. Rhodes | \$287 |
| Blake Ristine | Kedrin Lewis | \$1000 |
| David Schuler | Kedrin Lewis | \$1000 |
| Braden Dvorak | Keith and Doris Olsen Recruitment | \$1000 |
| Alissa Martindale | Keith and Doris Olsen Upperclassman | \$500 |
| Kelsie Alling | Ken Morrison Recruitment | \$1000 |
| Ashley Anderson | Ken Morrison Recruitment | \$1046 |
| Jilian Black | Ken Morrison Recruitment | \$1000 |
| Kailee Boyle | Ken Morrison Recruitment | \$1000 |

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| Mason Buckendahl | Ken Morrison Recruitment | \$1000 |
| Kyle Cacciatore | Ken Morrison Recruitment | \$1000 |
| Ashley Chovanec | Ken Morrison Recruitment | \$1000 |
| Jacob Schlick | Ken Morrison Recruitment | \$1000 |
| Sarah Morton | Kenneth E. Schwartz | \$1000 |
| Logan Dibbern | Kimmel Rodeo Team | \$2000 |
| Will Frerichs | Kimmel Rodeo Team | \$1000 |
| Travis Kester | Kimmel Rodeo Team | \$2000 |
| Reed Kraeger | Kimmel Rodeo Team | \$2000 |
| Kara Robbins | Kimmel Rodeo Team | \$2000 |
| Alexis Lorance | Kleis International Study Program | \$1500 |
| Emily Bremers | Lampert Family | \$1000 |
| Connor Flynn | Lampert Family | \$500 |
| Caetlen Gyhra | Lampert Family | \$500 |
| Mandalyn Koehler | Lampert Family | \$1000 |
| Shelby Kuhr | Lampert Family | \$1000 |
| Heather Martin | Lampert Family | \$1000 |
| Kylie Readd | Lampert Family | \$1000 |
| Kathleen Roth | Lampert Family | \$500 |
| Ryley Thomas | Lampert Family | \$1000 |
| Charlotte Tvrdy | Lampert Family | \$1242 |
| Lauren Wipfler | Lampert Family | \$1000 |
| Katelyn Erdkamp | Lancaster County Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| Samuel Gifford | Lancaster County Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| Alyssa Jensen | Lancaster County Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| Katherine Johnson | Lancaster County Farm Bureau | \$500 |
| Mikayla Lonowski | Lancaster County Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| Alexis Philson | Lancaster County Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| August Fishell | Larry Schluntz | \$1250 |
| Alexander Frerichs | Leo W. Kellett Memorial | \$7247 |
| Audra Sasse | Leo W. Kellett Memorial | \$7247 |
| Felicia Pandorf | Life Sciences | \$836 |
| Tyler Cossel | Luther Drake | \$500 |
| Jocelyn Daubendiek | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Brianna Davis | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| John Doran | Luther Drake | \$500 |
| Hailey Drawbaugh | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Hannah Esch | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Emily Frenzen | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Madison Graham | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Ibraheem Hamzat | Luther Drake | \$700 |
| Isaac Hanson | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Austin Harthoorn | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Melanie Herbers | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| John Hilgert | Luther Drake | \$1000 |

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| Grant Hillenbrand | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Matthew Hinrichs | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Meredith Honig | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Tyson Hostert | Luther Drake | \$1000 |
| Hannah Ingram | Luther Drake | \$500 |
| Wyatt Koehler | Luther Drake | \$117 |
| Madison Morrisette | Luther Drake | \$500 |
| Susan Rasmussen | Luther Drake | \$1300 |
| Jennifer Myers | MACA | \$2000 |
| Shannon Rezac | Mark and Debra Classen | \$1090 |
| Mason Williams | Marvin L. and June I. Wilkinson | \$284 |
| Heidi Miller | Maunder-Borlaug Food Security | \$1826 |
| Rachelle Allen | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Kara Bruns | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Ashleigh Carr | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Cassidy Curtis | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Collin Freeman | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Justin Hodgson | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Gage Hoegermeyer | Mervin Eighmy | \$917 |
| Devin Jakub | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Ashley Neujahr | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Lexi Ostrand | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Alyssa Schmale | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Dylan TePoel | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Lindsay Weber | Mervin Eighmy | \$1000 |
| Amelia Baker | Mildred Kemp | \$1281 |
| John Essink | Mr. and Mrs. F.O. Sand | \$557 |
| David Moss | Mr. and Mrs. F.O. Sand | \$500 |
| Mirissa Scholting | Mr. and Mrs. F.O. Sand | \$1000 |
| Joshua Wehrbein | Mr. and Mrs. F.O. Sand | \$598 |
| Jeremiah Perkins | Nebraska Ag Builders | \$1252 |
| Catherine Jones | Nebraska Association for 4-H Development | \$1000 |
| Sarah Schuelke | Nebraska Association for 4-H Development | \$453 |
| Andrea Wach | Nebraska Association for 4-H Development | \$1000 |
| Kailey Conway | Nebraska Association of County Extension Boards | \$1000 |
| Joel Scott | Nebraska Association of County Extension Boards Freshman | \$1000 |
| Blake Ristine | Nebraska Chapter of the American Society of Farm Managers and Appraisers | \$600 |
| Grant Suddarth | Nebraska Chapter of the American Society of Farm Managers and Appraisers | \$600 |
| Andrew Bader | Nebraska Cooperative Council | \$2500 |
| Erika Harms | Nebraska Cooperative Council | \$2500 |
| Kyle Heithoff | Nebraska Cooperative Council | \$2500 |
| Eric Klitz | Nebraska Cooperative Council | \$2500 |
| Tyler Marotz | Nebraska Cooperative Council | \$2500 |
| Brandon Nichols | Nebraska Cooperative Council | \$2500 |

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| Christine Cooper | Nebraska Corn Board Freshman | \$1000 |
| Whitney Heuermann | Nebraska Corn Board Freshman | \$1000 |
| Shelby Riggs | Nebraska Corn Board Freshman | \$1000 |
| Hannah Settje | Nebraska Corn Board Freshman | \$1000 |
| Justin Zoucha | Nebraska Corn Board Freshman | \$1000 |
| Ryan Langemeier | Nebraska Corn Board Upperclass | \$1000 |
| Heather Bentley | Nebraska Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| Morgan Eggleston | Nebraska Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| Cheyenne Gerlach | Nebraska Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| Jennifer Gilbert | Nebraska Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| Justin Shipman | Nebraska Farm Bureau | \$500 |
| Autumn Dunn | Norman M. Lock | \$1205 |
| Eric Leisy | Olive Fletcher Scott Memorial | \$288 |
| Seth Schumacher | Olive Fletcher Scott Memorial | \$1000 |
| Paige Bruns | Orscheln | \$1000 |
| Caetlen Gyhra | Orscheln | \$1000 |
| Marissa Kegley | Orscheln | \$1000 |
| Charmayne Popp | Orscheln | \$1000 |
| Alyssa Damke | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Junior Hilker | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Bethany Hollman | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Jace Kranau | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Shannon Miller | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Madeline Misfeldt | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Brooke Mott | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Ann Ngo | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Makaela Oltman | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Holly Podliska | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Rebecca Reicks | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Jennifer Reyes | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Diane Sherwin | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Alexandra Sorensen | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$634 |
| Abby Steffen | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Curt Vandenberg | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Sierra Wagner | Portia A. Goke in Memory of Alvin W. Goke | \$1000 |
| Alex Stocker | Ralph F. Hahn Memorial | \$426 |
| Logan Dibbern | Ray and Mildred Bohy | \$1000 |
| Sydney Cunningham | Ray and Mildred Bohy Rodeo | \$45 |
| Logan Dibbern | Ray and Mildred Bohy Rodeo | \$405 |
| Zoe Francis | Ray and Mildred Bohy Rodeo | \$136.60 |
| Reed Kraeger | Ray and Mildred Bohy Rodeo | \$1150 |
| Whitney McBride | Ray and Mildred Bohy Rodeo | \$180 |
| Jill Oatman | Ray and Mildred Bohy Rodeo | \$83 |
| Cameron O'Connor | Ray and Mildred Bohy Rodeo | \$450 |
| Kara Robbins | Ray and Mildred Bohy Rodeo | \$308 |

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| Curtis Welsh | Ray and Mildred Bohy Rodeo | \$90 |
| Evey Choat | Raymond C. and Annette C. Kubie | \$250 |
| Ryan Clark | Raymond C. and Annette C. Kubie | \$1250 |
| Olivia Fiala | Raymond C. and Annette C. Kubie | \$500 |
| Sam Jensen | Raymond C. and Annette C. Kubie | \$200 |
| Sarah Petrzilka | Raymond C. and Annette C. Kubie | \$1000 |
| Braden Wojahn | Roscoe E. Hill Memorial | \$1034 |
| Natalia Nolting | Roy and Sharon Smith | \$105 |
| Rachelle Allen | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Charles Blowers | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$700 |
| Qianyi Chen | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Katheryn Compton | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Logan Dibbern | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Sophie Dinan | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Autumn Dunn | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| John Essink | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Rodger Farr | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Megan Hamling | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Erika Harms | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1500 |
| Gavin Harsh | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Moriah Heerten | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Bethany Hollman | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Michael Hynes | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Devin Jakub | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Katherine Lagerstrom | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Allison Leising | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$700 |
| Erica Lunde | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Peter Lux | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Madeline Misfeldt | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Sarah Morton | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| KateLynn Ness | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Erica Pribil | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| John Radil | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Jennifer Reyes | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Kara Riggle | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Mirissa Scholting | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Sarah Schuelke | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Grant Suddarth | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Alexandra Tobin | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Kaylee Weakly | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$700 |
| Jake Werner | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Jadine Wiese | Samuel and Martha McKelvie | \$1400 |
| Marytza Abebe | Shear/Miles | \$649 |
| Jessie Champagne | Shear/Miles | \$1000 |
| Anna Meduna | Shear/Miles | \$1000 |

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| Elizabeth Stevenson | Shear/Miles | \$1000 |
| Emily Puls | Spader Student Leadership Excellence | \$600 |
| Lacey Houck | University of Nebraska Rodeo Association | \$329.70 |
| Joshua Krueger | University of Nebraska Rodeo Association | \$360 |
| Victoria Opela | University of Nebraska Rodeo Association | \$450 |
| Ty Alexander | Val and Marie Kuska 4-H | \$1000 |
| Rodger Farr | Val and Marie Kuska 4-H | \$306 |
| Lynn Hanson | Val and Marie Kuska 4-H | \$1000 |
| Monica Gotschall | Vera Ryan Fund | \$1000 |
| Tristan Steffen | Vera Ryan Fund | \$1000 |
| Savannah Schafer | Vernon H. Seabury | \$1200 |
| Timothy Thielen | Wayne E. Hill Memorial | \$660 |
| Devin Trampe | Wayne E. Hill Memorial | \$1000 |
| Kelsey Foster | Wendell F. and Marie L. Cox | \$559 |
| Kelsey Foster | Western Seed Association | \$2500 |
| Paige Wacker | Western Seed Association | \$2500 |
| Desarae Catlett | Willard Classen Family | \$1000 |
| Molli Hagge | Willard Classen Family | \$268 |
| Kathleen Roth | Willard Classen Family | \$1000 |
| Luke Andersen | William and Edith Rockie | \$1000 |
| Elsa Forsberg | William and Edith Rockie | \$1000 |
| Benet Kinghorn | William and Edith Rockie | \$631 |
| Ashley Buescher | William and Sandra Condon for Agricultural Studies | \$8000 |
| Arden Cornwell | William and Sandra Condon for Agricultural Studies | \$4000 |
| Nicolas Herrera | William and Sandra Condon for Agricultural Studies | \$3000 |
| Brigitte Rathey | William and Sandra Condon for Agricultural Studies | \$3000 |
| Matthew Russell | William and Sandra Condon for Agricultural Studies | \$8000 |
| David Schuler | William and Sandra Condon for Agricultural Studies | \$8000 |
| Ann Wilton | William and Sandra Condon for Agricultural Studies | \$7000 |
| Eric Leisy | William D. Zimmerman | \$793 |
| Christina Sindelar | William D. Zimmerman | \$1000 |
| Seth Hawkins | Wilson Family | \$986 |
| Tevor DeVries | Wittler Family | \$1000 |
| Collin Thompson | Wittler Family | \$1000 |
| Peyton Bishop | Younkers Farm Aid | \$1000 |
| Charles deShazer | Younkers Farm Aid | \$1000 |
| Jaci Edis | Younkers Farm Aid | \$1000 |
| Morgan Eisenhauer | Younkers Farm Aid | \$1000 |
| Samantha Funk | Younkers Farm Aid | \$1000 |
| Danielle Galvin | Younkers Farm Aid | \$1000 |
| Brooke Paczosa | Younkers Farm Aid | \$1000 |
| Kara Zimmerman | Younkers Farm Aid | \$238 |

DEPARTMENTAL SCHOLARSHIPS

| Student Name | Scholarship Awarded | Amount |
|---------------------|---|---------------|
| Jonathan Horvatic | A.W. & Edith H. Epp | \$650 |
| Kailey Conway | A.W. & Edith H. Epp | \$770 |
| Amanda Clymer | A.W. & Edith H. Epp | \$1000 |
| Regan Gilmore | A.W. & Edith H. Epp | \$1000 |
| Jadine Wiese | A.W. & Edith H. Epp | \$1000 |
| Gregory Rechberger | Aberle Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Evey Choat | Ag Education Teaching Scholarship | \$362 |
| Emily Bender | AGP BSE | \$1250 |
| Turner Hagen | AGP BSE | \$1250 |
| Logan Kalkowski | AGP Student | \$1500 |
| Caylee Lorenz | AGP Student | \$1500 |
| Anna Meduna | AGP Student | \$1500 |
| Jake Werner | AGP Student | \$1500 |
| Luke Welborn | Agronomy & Horticulture | \$400 |
| Jacob Sloup | Agronomy & Horticulture | \$500 |
| Rodger Farr | Agronomy & Horticulture | \$850 |
| Kaitlyn Hanvey | Al Sick Jr. Agricultural Education Freshman Scholarship | \$500 |
| Kaitlyn Cumming | Animal Science Animal Nutrition | \$916.50 |
| Gavin Harsh | Animal Science Animal Nutrition | \$916.50 |
| Alison Bartenslager | Animal Science | \$13 |
| McKenzie Beals | Animal Science | \$83.50 |
| Ashley Buescher | Animal Science | \$83.50 |
| Kaitlyn Cumming | Animal Science | \$83.50 |
| Gavin Harsh | Animal Science | \$83.50 |
| Elisabeth Loseke | Animal Science | \$110 |
| Cassidy Curtis | Animal Science | \$500 |
| Trevor DeVries | Animal Science | \$500 |
| Jeremy Henkel | Animal Science | \$500 |
| Anna Kobza | Animal Science | \$500 |
| Rudy Pooch | Animal Science | \$500 |
| Charmayne Popp | Animal Science | \$500 |
| Ryan Schroeder | Animal Science | \$500 |
| Emily Critser | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Cassidy Curtis | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Jessica Fejfar | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Michelle Henry | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Brooke Hoyt | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Shannon Mueller | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Brandon Nichols | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Felicia Pandorf | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Brigitte Rathey | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Railen Ripp | Animal Science | \$1000 |

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| David Schuler | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Hannah Settje | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Zachary Settje | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Eleanor Wagner | Animal Science | \$1000 |
| Elisabeth Loseke | Animal Science | \$1140 |
| Hannah Esch | Animal Science | \$1250 |
| McKenzie Beals | Animal Science Cow-Calf | \$916.50 |
| Ashley Buescher | Animal Science Cow-Calf | \$916.50 |
| Lauren Teets | Arthur W. & Viola Thompson | \$700 |
| Kara Riggle | Arthur W. & Viola Thompson | \$1750 |
| Benjamin Searl | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$500 |
| Morgan Von Seggern | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$500 |
| Michael Gray | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$700 |
| Miranda Earnest | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1000 |
| Kelsey Foster | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1000 |
| Tyler Hayes | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1000 |
| Elizabeth Kirby | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1000 |
| Evan Laible | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1000 |
| Elizabeth Lutz | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1000 |
| Christina Peters | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1000 |
| Olivia Fiala | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1500 |
| Kaitlin Taylor | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1500 |
| Jaclyn Nelson | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1648 |
| Sarah Masek | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$1750 |
| Elizabeth Pierson | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$2000 |
| Nathan Duffy | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$2500 |
| Amber Weyers | Blanchard Excellence Fund | \$3500 |
| Kara Riggle | Block And Bridle Club Scholarship | \$500 |
| Kaylee Weakly | Boettcher Scholarship | \$500 |
| Madeline Kramp | Boettcher Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Ethan Freese | Brian Smith | \$807 |
| Raihanah Hassim | Brownlee Excellence Fund -CASNR | \$1000 |
| Cody McClellan | C. and A. Marshall Leadership Award | \$250 |
| Bryan Petersen | Campbell Scientific | \$1000 |
| Chelsea Nollette | Center for Grassland Studies | \$500 |
| Nadine Rowen | Chad Johannes | \$1250 |
| Alexander Rickett | Chris and Sarah Raun | \$125 |
| Kara Robbins | Chris and Sarah Raun | \$250 |
| Rachel Sorensen | Chris and Sarah Raun | \$1200 |
| Matthew Hellbusch | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$1000 |
| Benjamin Searl | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$1500 |
| Morgan Von Seggern | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$1500 |
| Olivia Fiala | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$2000 |
| Kaitlin Taylor | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$2000 |

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| Andrew Getty | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$2500 |
| Kelsey Foster | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$3000 |
| Jacob Fuehrer | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$3000 |
| Benet Kinghorn | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$3000 |
| Elizabeth Lutz | Clara S. Tillotson Memorial | \$3000 |
| Kelsey Christensen | Clark Enersen Partners | \$270 |
| Lyndee Talbitzer | CTO Memorial | \$500 |
| Glen Thomas II | CTO Memorial | \$500 |
| Hannah Yelinek | CTO Memorial | \$500 |
| Jacob Nikodym | D. and M. Smith | \$1500 |
| Samuel Zach | D. Monson Agriculture Award | \$775 |
| Gareth Stauffer | D. Thompson Crop Improvement Scholarship | \$500 |
| Liza Christensen | D.V. and E. Stephens Fund | \$1000 |
| Amanda Lambrecht | D.V. and E. Stephens Fund | \$1000 |
| David Schuler | D.V. and E. Stephens Fund | \$1000 |
| Grace Bullington | Darron Tilman Memorial Scholarship | \$420 |
| Cole Peters | David and Barbara Larsen | \$500 |
| Matthew Reiser | David and Barbara Larsen | \$500 |
| Ryan Langemeier | David and Barbara Larsen | \$1000 |
| Samantha Teten | David and Barbara Larsen | \$1000 |
| Joshua Wehrbein | David Lewis | \$1100 |
| Tana Almand | Del Kopf | \$1000 |
| Shelby Andersen | Dick and Connie Fleming | \$500 |
| Zak Kurkowski | Dirk and Janice Petersen | \$1033 |
| Lexi Ostrand | Doane Scholarship Fund | \$1250 |
| Dustin Chandler | Don Geweke Memorial | \$50 |
| Jennifer Posthuma | Don Geweke Memorial | \$50 |
| Nicolas Herrera | Don Geweke Memorial | \$75 |
| Gilbert Seck | Don Geweke Memorial | \$75 |
| Cadrien Livingston | Don Ringler Memorial | \$874 |
| Brittney Mark | Don Ringler Memorial | \$874 |
| Ethan Frazier | Donald & Doris Taylor | \$667 |
| Tyler Pickinpaugh | Dr. Robert Hatch | \$500 |
| Dawn Klabenes | Dr. C. and B. Adams | \$1200 |
| Matthew Blunck | Dr. Franklin Keim Memorial | \$3300 |
| Kara Sutphen | Dr. Gary Rupp | \$1500 |
| Chandler Maly | Dr. James Kendrick | \$1000 |
| Spencer Endorf | Dr. M. and K. Peterson | \$500 |
| Katie Harrell | Dr. M. and K. Peterson | \$700 |
| Trevor Halstead | Dr. M. and K. Peterson | \$1000 |
| Caleb Milne | Dr. M. and K. Peterson | \$1000 |
| Emet Fanning | Dr. Maria Bade | \$250 |
| Ashley Dill | Dr. Maria Bade | \$500 |
| Katherine Howser | Dr. Maria Bade | \$500 |

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| Joshua Wehrbein | Dr. Robert Olson Memorial Scholarship | \$950 |
| Colton Roessner | Dr. Sahagian | \$1851 |
| Allison Vlach | Dr. Sahagian | \$1851 |
| Rylie Kalb | Dwain Trenkle Memorial Award | \$455 |
| Jesse Paxton | Dwight and Minnie Stephens Fund | \$1000 |
| Ellis Johnson | E and B Ramsey | \$281 |
| Alexander Lehmann | E and B Ramsey | \$843 |
| Ellis Johnson | E. and V. Hixon | \$1102 |
| Benjamin Barelman | Edgar Rogers | \$988 |
| Michaela Horn | Edgar Rogers | \$988 |
| Tana Almand | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Andrew Bader | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Amanda Clymer | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Kailey Conway | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Alex Cumming | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Hannah Esch | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Rodger Farr | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Kelsey Foster | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Miriah Goeres | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Devin Jakub | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Anna Kobza | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Sydni Lienemann | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Elisabeth Loseke | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Jaclyn Nelson | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Lexi Ostrand | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Toni Rasmussen | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Ashtyn Shrewsbury | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Matthew Treadway | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Andrea Wach | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Sarah Wollenburg | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$2000 |
| Nicholas Greene | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$3000 |
| Zachary Settje | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$3000 |
| Logan Kalkowski | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$4000 |
| Keeley Russman | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$4000 |
| Hannah Settje | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$4000 |
| Chance Vorderstrasse | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$4000 |
| Jeffrey Hornung | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$5000 |
| Samuel Morse | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$5000 |
| Robert Baldwin Jr | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Joseph Brugger | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Matthew Brugger | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Haley Ehrke | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Collin Freeman | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Darren Hegemann | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |

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| Eric Klitz | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Katlyn Likens | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Brandon Nichols | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Halle Ramsey | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Shelby Utech | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$8000 |
| Davis Behle | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$10000 |
| Haley Dallmann | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$10000 |
| Spencer Hartman | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$10000 |
| Erich Vogel | Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Scholarship | \$10000 |
| Haley Dallmann | Engler International Study Abroad Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Evan Laible | Evasco Memorial Scholarship | \$418 |
| Katie Sisel | Food Science & Technology | \$750 |
| Shannon Rezac | Food Science Faculty | \$2500 |
| Samantha Nelson | G. and M. Hoffman | \$430 |
| Wyatt Williamson | G. Francke Livestock Judging | \$500 |
| Levi Folk | G.N. Baker Memorial Endowed Fund | \$71 |
| Emet Fanning | G.N. Baker Memorial Endowed Fund | \$100 |
| Jasmine Hanson | G.N. Baker Memorial Endowed Fund | \$500 |
| Shannon Miller | G.N. Baker Memorial Endowed Fund | \$500 |
| Jessica Schmidt | G.N. Baker Memorial Endowed Fund | \$500 |
| Nicole Tank | G.N. Baker Memorial Endowed Fund | \$500 |
| Sierra Wagner | G.N. Baker Memorial Endowed Fund | \$500 |
| Kara Robbins | Gard Animal Science | \$1500 |
| Vincent Bachteler | GCBA Fund Scholarship | \$500 |
| Yujie Gao | GCBA Fund Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Parker Wallin | George Milo Peterson | \$971 |
| Travis Kester | George Pfeiffer Rodeo | \$514.68 |
| Reed Kraeger | George Pfeiffer Rodeo | \$892.37 |
| Cody Kuester | Girardin Family Student Fund | \$1000 |
| Edward Ruskamp | Girardin Family Student Fund | \$1200 |
| Emily Frenzen | Glen Buck Memorial Scholarship | \$151 |
| Paulina Guzek | Glen Chambers | \$1345 |
| Alison Creeger | H. and A. Kohrs Memorial Scholarship | \$550 |
| Timothy Lambert | H. and A. Kohrs Memorial Scholarship | \$550 |
| Jasmine Mausbach | H. and A. Kohrs Memorial Scholarship | \$550 |
| Chance Vorderstrasse | H. and A. Kohrs Memorial Scholarship | \$550 |
| Seth Larsen | H. Beachell | \$400 |
| Caleb Milne | H. Beachell | \$500 |
| Jacob Nikodym | H. Beachell | \$500 |
| Madelyn Bak | H. Beachell | \$750 |
| Andrew Getty | H. Beachell | \$1500 |
| Kenton Fritson | H. Beachell | \$2000 |
| Samantha Teten | H. Beachell | \$2000 |
| Nathan Peterson | H.J. Kroese Production Scholarship | \$1000 |

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| Luke Ausdemore | Harlan Agribusiness | \$500 |
| Karly Niewohner | Harlan Agribusiness | \$500 |
| Gabrielle Ribeiro | Harlan Agribusiness | \$500 |
| Chase Samuelson | Harlan Agribusiness | \$500 |
| Jackson Allen | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1000 |
| Tisha Foltz | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1000 |
| Jeffrey Katz | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1000 |
| Allison Brockman | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1500 |
| Cheyenne Gerlach | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1500 |
| Austin Harthoorn | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1500 |
| Kurt Nelson | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1500 |
| Joshua Pflasterer | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1500 |
| Brittney Reinsch | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1500 |
| Shelby Utech | Harlan Agribusiness | \$1500 |
| Nathaniel Choat | Harlan Agribusiness | \$2000 |
| Whitney Heuermann | Harlan Agribusiness | \$2000 |
| Eric Klitz | Harlan Agribusiness | \$2000 |
| Austin Underwood | Harry LaToush Scholarship | \$1200 |
| Austin Miller | Henry and Nadine Bals Fund | \$1169 |
| Kurt Burken | Hoegemeyer Family | \$3500 |
| Jonathan Horvatic | Hoegemeyer Family | \$3500 |
| Lindsay Weber | Hoegemeyer Family | \$3500 |
| Shelby Andersen | Holoubek Family | \$1170 |
| Cassandra Huck | Holoubek Family | \$1170 |
| Abby Steffen | Holoubek Family | \$1170 |
| Tristan Brott | Howard Beermann | \$1400 |
| David Catsinas | Howard Beermann | \$2500 |
| Catherine Jones | IANR Ambassador | \$300 |
| Juliana Krotz | IANR Ambassador | \$1600 |
| Sarah Wollenburg | IANR Ambassador | \$1600 |
| Laura Gatch | Insect Science | \$300 |
| Troy McDonald | Ivan D. Wood | \$391 |
| Noah Johnson | Ivan D. Wood | \$782 |
| Dylan TePoel | Ivan D. Wood | \$782 |
| Jennifer Reyes | IWLA Fremont Chapter Scholarship | \$400 |
| Charrissa Zuerlein | IWLA J. Benton Fremont Scholarship | \$300 |
| Allison Dickey | IWLA Lincoln Chapter Scholarship | \$500 |
| Curt Vandenberg | IWLA Nebraska Division Scholarship | \$500 |
| Mackenzie Zwiener | IWLA Nebraska Division Scholarship | \$500 |
| Branden Hessler | J.C. Russel Memorial Fund | \$750 |
| Trey Stephens | J.C. Russel Memorial Fund | \$750 |
| Isaac Richter | J.C. Swinbank Memorial Agriculture Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Jacob Brettmann | Jack Schinstock | \$492 |
| Joseph Christen | Janet Beachler | \$312 |

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| Bernard Eilerts | Janet Beachler | \$312 |
| Caleb Engel | Janet Beachler | \$312 |
| Ryan Grafel | Janet Beachler | \$312 |
| Elizabeth Kurth | Janet Beachler | \$312 |
| Cameron Menard | Janet Beachler | \$312 |
| Nadine Rowen | Janet Beachler | \$312 |
| Anna Kuhl | Janet Beachler | \$1000 |
| Nathan Boomsma | Jochens-BSE Fund | \$500 |
| Taylor Kool | Jochens-BSE Fund | \$500 |
| Arianna Spellman | Jochens-BSE Fund | \$500 |
| Jonah Bolin | John Deere Mentor Program | \$2040 |
| Jared Donoghue | John Deere Mentor Program | \$2040 |
| Joshua King | John Deere Mentor Program | \$2040 |
| Kyle Lindhorst | John Deere Mentor Program | \$2040 |
| Zoie McFarland | John Deere Mentor Program | \$2040 |
| Daniel Behrens | John J. Sulek Memorial Scholarship | \$482 |
| Devin Heusinkvelt | Joseph O. Young | \$300 |
| Alexa Johnson | Joseph O. Young | \$500 |
| Jacob Klingelhoef | Joseph O. Young | \$500 |
| Matthew Grimes | Joseph O. Young | \$750 |
| Colten Bergt | Joseph O. Young | \$1000 |
| Austin Holliday | Joseph O. Young | \$1000 |
| Blaine Petersen | Joseph O. Young | \$1000 |
| Autumn Dunn | Joseph O. Young | \$1500 |
| Ethan Freese | Joseph O. Young | \$1500 |
| Jacob VanBoening | K. and A. Strough Memorial Scholarship | \$750 |
| Kenton Fritson | Keith Weidler Memorial Award | \$400 |
| Jacob Fuehrer | Ken Good | \$1000 |
| Tyler Hayes | Ken Good | \$1000 |
| Rebecca McKay | Ken Good | \$1000 |
| Ty Alexander | Ken Good | \$1500 |
| Nicholas Preissler | Ken Good | \$1500 |
| Alex Bender | Ken Good | \$2000 |
| Benjamin Hintz | Ken Good | \$3000 |
| Sarah Morton | Ken Schwartz-Farm Bureau | \$1000 |
| Craig Hruska | Ken Von Barga | \$1000 |
| Cody Kneifl | Ken Von Barga | \$1000 |
| Alexander Rickett | Klopfenstein Fund | \$300 |
| Alison Bartenslager | Klopfenstein Fund | \$600 |
| Krista Carter | Klopfenstein Fund | \$600 |
| Kimberly Johnson | Klopfenstein Fund | \$600 |
| Ronald Kramer | Klopfenstein Fund | \$600 |
| Alexander Frerichs | Klopfenstein Fund | \$1000 |
| Cooper O'Connor | Klopfenstein Fund | \$1000 |

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| Nolan Poss | Klopfenstein Fund | \$1000 |
| Brenton Tenopir | Klopfenstein Fund | \$1000 |
| Michael Ferguson | KRVN Agricultural Communication Scholarship | \$666 |
| Alexandria Lundvall | KRVN Agricultural Communication Scholarship | \$666 |
| Lauren Stohlmann | KRVN Agricultural Communication Scholarship | \$666 |
| Will Frerichs | L. and M. Liggett Family | \$500 |
| Michael Borgelt | L. and M. Liggett Family | \$1000 |
| Samuel Gifford | L. and M. Liggett Family | \$1000 |
| Jerrad Konz | L. and M. Liggett Family | \$1000 |
| Brittney Reinsch | L. and M. Liggett Family | \$1000 |
| Amber Ross | L. and M. Liggett Family | \$1000 |
| Andrew Zessin | L. and M. Liggett Family | \$1000 |
| Catherine Rock | L. Schoenleber Agricultural Engineering | \$309 |
| Erica Lewis | L.K. Crowe Kiwanis Award Fund | \$1000 |
| Holly Podliska | Land O'Lakes District 16 Scholarship | \$347 |
| Collin Freeman | Lawrence Schmitz | \$750 |
| Caleb Nuehring | Lawrence Schmitz | \$1000 |
| Micah Bolin | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$2000 |
| Caleb Lindhorst | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$2000 |
| Jonathon Jahnke | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$2409.50 |
| Kelsey Bohling | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$3161 |
| Isaac Frerichs | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$3161 |
| Mitchel Herbig | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$3161 |
| Brendan Meyer | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$3161 |
| Joshua Murman | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$3161 |
| Aaron Steckly | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$3161 |
| Seth Wetovick | LeRoy and Jean Thom | \$3161 |
| Riley Hahn | Leu Endowment Award | \$700 |
| Emily Critser | Leu Endowment Award | \$800 |
| Alexa Johnson | Leu Endowment Award | \$1245 |
| Whitney Heuermann | Leu Endowment Award | \$2500 |
| Felicia Pandorf | Life Sciences SS | \$836 |
| Lauren Teets | Lincoln Coca-Cola Co. Scholarship | \$300 |
| Spencer Noble | Lincoln Coca-Cola Co. Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Rachel Johnson | Livestock Judging | \$500 |
| Connor Flynn | M. and R. Massengale PGM | \$582 |
| Caleb Bukacek | M. and R. Massengale PGM | \$1162 |
| Gavin Harsh | M.E. Boeckenhauer Memorial Scholarship | \$250 |
| Ryan Schroeder | M.E. Boeckenhauer Memorial Scholarship | \$500 |
| Nicholas Jarecki | Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Hoppe Memorial Fund | \$581 |
| Nathan Duffy | Maria Basso Phillips | \$1000 |
| Jaelyn Nelson | Maria Basso Phillips | \$1000 |
| Wesley Anderjaska | Max & Ora Mae Stark | \$1000 |
| Elizabeth Drey | Maxcy Food Science & Technology | \$1500 |

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| Tristan Brott | McKenzie & Lee | \$1000 |
| Catherine Jones | Meisenbach Agriculture Journalism | \$500 |
| Ty Alexander | Myron & Katharine Keim | \$500 |
| Taggart Bailey | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$500 |
| Brittney Reinsch | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$500 |
| Colin Fellhoelter | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1000 |
| Tisha Foltz | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1000 |
| Tyson Hostert | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1000 |
| Jeffrey Katz | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1000 |
| Christian Leichty | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1000 |
| Karly Niewohner | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1000 |
| Jared Stauffer | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1000 |
| Michael Bauer | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Kevin Donoghue | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Corby Forbes | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Kodi Gehl | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Molli Hagge | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Alyssa Hambleton | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Kyle Heithoff | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Logan Kalkowski | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Jesse McKillip | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| David Moss | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Holly O'Donnell | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Brett Oltman | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Jeremiah Perkins | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Bailee Peters | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Alyssa Schmale | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Mariha Schweers | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Tyler Shriner | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Brett Storer | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Clayton Suckstorf | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Lindsay Weber | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Emily Wells | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$1500 |
| Wesley Anderjaska | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| Megan Hamling | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| Jack Huerter | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| Alex Medina | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| Sierra Nelson | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| Mitchell Nissen | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| Corin Pelster | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| Samuel Raun | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| Mitchell Sawyers | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| Rylee Stoltz | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2000 |
| John Bohaty | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2500 |

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| Tyler Brabec | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2500 |
| Kaitlyn Cumming | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2500 |
| Marissa Franzluebbers | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2500 |
| Derrick Hostert | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2500 |
| Travis Martin | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2500 |
| Anna Meduna | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2500 |
| Jessica Wubben | Nebraska Bankers Association Grant | \$2500 |
| Joseph Sonderman | Nebraska Beef Industry | \$1000 |
| Alison Bartenslager | Nebraska Cattlemen's New Student Award | \$487 |
| Nicholas Klein | Nebraska Cattlemen's New Student Award | \$500 |
| Andrew Getty | Nebraska Turfgrass Foundation | \$500 |
| Andrew Musil | Nebraska Turfgrass Foundation | \$500 |
| Ellen Dolph | Nebraska IWLA Award | \$1190 |
| Harrison Agena | Nebraska Golf Foundation | \$1000 |
| Ryan Clark | Nebraska Golf Foundation | \$1000 |
| Joseph Furasek | Nebraska Golf Foundation | \$1000 |
| Baily Hort | Nebraska Golf Foundation | \$1000 |
| Emily Selling | Nestle Purina Petcare | \$250 |
| Alec Alvarez | Nestle Purina Petcare | \$1000 |
| Miriah Goeres | Nestle Purina Petcare | \$2000 |
| Sarah Herzinger | Nestle Purina Petcare | \$2500 |
| Kolby Grint | NICCA Endowment Award | \$375 |
| Levi Folk | Norman Schneider | \$429 |
| Glen Thomas II | Norman Schneider | \$550 |
| Opal Spidell | Northern Nut Tree Research Fund | \$750 |
| Paige Wacker | Nutech Ventures | \$1000 |
| Minon Wilkinson | Oak B. Smith | \$500 |
| Kiera Balentine | Oak B. Smith | \$750 |
| Casey Engelbart | Oak B. Smith | \$750 |
| Katherine Johnson | Oak B. Smith | \$750 |
| Thanh Le | Oak B. Smith | \$750 |
| Rebecca Conn | Oak B. Smith | \$1000 |
| Yichuan Hu | Oak B. Smith | \$1000 |
| Erica Lewis | Oak B. Smith | \$1000 |
| Shane Nguyen | Oak B. Smith | \$1000 |
| Shannon Rezac | Oak B. Smith | \$1000 |
| Elliott Fullner | Oak B. Smith | \$1500 |
| Ava Petersen | Oak B. Smith | \$1500 |
| Cade Svoboda | Oak B. Smith | \$1500 |
| Sant Van | Orve & Scott Hedden | \$1477 |
| Kyle Jackman | Orville A. Vogel Agronomy | \$500 |
| Callie Meyer | Orville A. Vogel Agronomy | \$1000 |
| Teara Ramer | Oxbow Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Emma Winters | Oxbow Scholarship | \$1500 |

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| Josiah Johnson | P. and M. Fischbach | \$686.50 |
| Anthony Meusch | P. and M. Fischbach | \$686.50 |
| Kailey Conway | P.J. Hupf Endowed Memorial Scholarship | \$264 |
| Alexander Rickett | R. and J. Frahm | \$250 |
| Calvin DeVries | R. and J. Frahm | \$500 |
| Rachel Neisius | R. Thomas Fisheries | \$1186 |
| Michael Gray | R.D. Uhlinger Memorial Scholarship | \$1500 |
| Samuel Zach | Ralph A. Elliot Memorial Scholarship | \$2275 |
| Derek Kane | Randall Schilling Memorial Scholarship | \$1215 |
| Gavin Harsh | R.B. and Doris Warren | \$200 |
| Clayton Roland | R.B. and Doris Warren | \$500 |
| Reese Tuckwiller | R.B. and Doris Warren | \$500 |
| Jaelyn Nelson | Retail Florist Scholarship | \$200 |
| Eric Wemhoff | Robert M. Scouler Memorial Scholarship | \$500 |
| Autumn Lemmer | Robert M. Scouler Memorial Scholarship | \$1500 |
| Toni Rasmussen | Robin Lapaseotes | \$6000 |
| Ashtyn Shrewsbury | Robin Lapaseotes | \$6000 |
| Chad Lammers | Robinson Family | \$1000 |
| Jennifer Myers | Robinson Family | \$2000 |
| Megan Franklin | Robinson Family | \$2600 |
| Seth Larsen | Robinson Family | \$2600 |
| Ryan Langemeier | Rosalind Morris Student Support Fund | \$1000 |
| Shannyn Bird | Roscoe Abbott | \$1512.50 |
| Ian Lagerstrom | Roscoe Abbott | \$2012.50 |
| Krista Carter | Siebert Scholarship | \$750 |
| Haley Dallmann | Siebert Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Brianna Sander | Siebert Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Jessilyn Sayers | Siebert Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Christina Sindelar | Siebert Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Brenda Venteicher | Siebert Scholarship | \$1000 |
| Cole Svoboda | Spader Food Science and Technology Fund | \$750 |
| Erica Lewis | Susan Hefle | \$1000 |
| Terran Merriman-Honerkamp | Ted Regier | \$550 |
| Erika Roan | Ted Regier | \$550 |
| Madeleine Schwinghammer | Ted Regier | \$550 |
| Zachary Davis | Terrance and Judy Riordan | \$545 |
| Michael Haas | Terrance and Judy Riordan | \$545 |
| Alexander Sheehy | Terrance and Judy Riordan | \$545 |
| Adam Speck | Terrance and Judy Riordan | \$545 |
| Bailey Ziegler | Thomas Wake III | \$1250 |
| Tana Almand | Tim Leon | \$500 |
| Cassandra Heier | Tim Leon | \$500 |
| Hunter Miller | Tom Thompson Memorial Scholarship | \$450 |

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| Lacey Houck | University of Nebraska Rodeo Association | \$329.70 |
| Joshua Krueger | University of Nebraska Rodeo Association | \$360 |
| Victoria Opela | University of Nebraska Rodeo Association | \$450 |
| Erica Pribil | University Of Nebraska Cornish Fund | \$2000 |
| Alexandra Tobin | University Of Nebraska Cornish Fund | \$2000 |
| Alex Bender | UNL Farmers Business Network | \$1000 |
| Colton Reeder | Viessman Water Science | \$363 |
| Kelsey Foster | W.F. and M.L. Cox | \$559 |
| Nicolas Herrera | W.J. and H.J. Loeffel | \$1000 |
| Joseph Bennier | W.J. and H.J. Loeffel | \$1250 |
| John Essink | W.J. and H.J. Loeffel | \$1250 |
| Megan Reuter | Wahlstrom Scholarship | \$500 |
| Ali Stout | Wahlstrom Scholarship | \$500 |
| Ashley Buescher | Walter and Alice Rockwell | \$250 |
| Spencer Caldwell | Walter and Alice Rockwell | \$500 |
| Lisa Keys | Walter and Alice Rockwell | \$500 |
| Zackary Nelson | Walter and Alice Rockwell | \$1000 |
| Brooke Paczosa | Walter and Alice Rockwell | \$1000 |
| Miranda Wordekemper | Walter and Alice Rockwell | \$1000 |
| Sophia Kisling | Weeks | \$1137 |
| Amelia Baker | Wildwood Fund | \$1000 |
| Addison Krebs | Wildwood Fund | \$1000 |
| Paige Krupa | Wildwood Fund | \$1000 |
| Lauren Uhlig | Wildwood Fund | \$1000 |
| Seth Hawkins | William Baxter | \$1000 |
| Avery Dresser | William McGeachin | \$1020 |
| Bethany Hollman | William McGeachin | \$1020 |
| Brooke Mott | William McGeachin | \$1020 |
| Lindsay Ohlman | William McGeachin | \$1020 |
| James Rutledge | William McGeachin | \$1020 |
| Gavin Harsh | Winkler Livestock Judging | \$300 |
| Ashtyn Shrewsbury | William and Barbara Rishel | \$1300 |
| Jefferson Keller | William Derrick Family Memorial | \$500 |
| Railen Ripp | William Derrick Family Memorial | \$500 |
| Austin Underwood | William Goldner | \$400 |
| Marissa Kegley | William Goldner | \$1000 |
| Elizabeth Elliott | William Goldner | \$1250 |
| JNan Wittler | William Goldner | \$1500 |
| Elizabeth Carreiro | William Goldner | \$2000 |
| Alissa Martindale | William Goldner | \$2000 |
| Rodger Farr | Wylie R. Ward | \$1150 |

Alumni

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES AND NATURAL RESOURCES ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

The objective of the CASNR Alumni Association is to foster cooperation and communication among all alumni of the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources and to develop communication between the alumni and the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources. This is done by:

- Facilitating information exchange among members;
- Providing information to students and parents on academic programs and careers in agriculture and natural resources;
- Encouraging the establishment of scholarships, assistantships, fellowships and intern appointments for students in CASNR;
- Creating awareness of the IANR's mission and achievements and fostering donor support;
- Creating public awareness of the importance of professions in agriculture and natural resources and recognizing meritorious service in these professions;
- Promoting events and other activities for alumni.

CASNR Alumni Association Vision Statement

To foster a lifelong relationship with the University of Nebraska

CASNR Alumni Association Mission Statement

To cultivate and enhance the network of CASNR alumni, current and prospective students

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2017 Scholarship Awardees

Given for the 2017-2018 Academic Year

Corey Conway, Campbell, NE
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AWARDS PRESENTED

2016 Henry Beachell Distinguished Alumni Award:

Dr. Raymond C. Ward was the recipient of the Henry Beachell Distinguished Alumni Award, which recognizes a CASNR graduate whose professional contributions have advanced the University and the State. Dr. Ward is president and co-owner of Ward Laboratories. He is an ARCPACS certified Professional Soil Scientist (CPSS) with a Ph.D in soil fertility from South Dakota State University (1972). Dr. Ward has a bachelor's and master's degree from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln receiving those in 1959 and 1961 respectively.

Prior to founding Ward Laboratories, Inc. in Kearney, Nebraska Ray served as lab division manager of Servi-Tech Inc. in Dodge City, KS; Associate Professor at Oklahoma State University; and Assistant Professor and Instructor at South Dakota State University. He holds numerous memberships in scientific and honorary academic societies and organizations. Ray has received many awards including the 2005 Soil Science Industry Awards and the 2007 Soil Science Professional Service Award from the Soil Science Society of America. He received the J. Benton Jones, Jr. Award that was presented at the 12th International Symposium on Soil and Plant Analysis in Chania Greece on June 9, 2011. Ray is also a past recipient of the Nebraska Alumni Association Achievement Award and the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources Alumni Achievement Award. In 2002 Dr. Ward was inducted into the Nebraska Hall of Agricultural Achievement. Dr. Ward's goals for agriculture and agronomy are to help production agriculture use its resources as efficiently as possible, to provide information and data for developing the best use of soil and water resources while maintaining environmental quality, to be involved in "value-added" agriculture, and to provide accurate laboratory data for managing production enterprises.

2017 CASNR Alumni Association Service Award:

Barb Cooksley grew up on a southwest Nebraska family farm near Hamlet between McCook and Imperial. She went on to attend UNL studying Agronomy and receiving a B.S. degree in 1980 and a M.S. degree in 1984. After graduating from UNL, Barb worked for the Soil Conservation Service for 14 years assisting private landowners with conservation on their land. In 1994, Barb took some time off to raise their daughter Sara, who will graduate from UNK in May. In the fall of 2000, Barb started her stint as a district congressional ag staffer for Congressman Tom Osborne and then Congressman Adrian Smith.

Today Barb Cooksley ranches with her husband, George, and nephew, Ben Cooksley, at the Cooksley Ranch, west of Anselmo, Nebraska. The Cooksley Ranch includes a purebred Red Angus herd that produces bulls and replacement heifers for their commercial herd and bulls that are sold private treaty. Barb's duties at the ranch include grass monitoring, fencing, checking water facilities, taking out salt and mineral and cutting cedar trees.

In the early days of her career Barb took over her father's membership in the Nebraska Stock Growers Association. In 1993, Barb first became involved with committees of the Nebraska Cattlemen. Barb returned to the NC Board in 2014 as Vice President and would go on to serve as the first female president in the over 100 year history of the Nebraska Cattlemen Association. Currently, Barb serves as a delegate to the Council for Agricultural Research, Extension and Teaching as a representative of the University of Nebraska advocating on a national level for federal support of land-grant universities.

2017 CASNR Alumni Association Legacy Award:

Alan Moeller retired in July 2013 as Assistant Vice Chancellor for Finance and Personnel of the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources (IANR). During his career, he worked for five Vice Chancellors and served the University of Nebraska-Lincoln for 36 years. In his position at IANR he provided leadership and oversight of the business, finance, and personal matters for IANR and the Nebraska college of Technical Agriculture at Curtis. He provided advice and counsel to the Vice Chancellor, Deans, Unit Administrators and others on a broad spectrum of policies and issues. Alan was also responsible for IANR's governmental relations function and served as the legal liaison to University's Legal Counsel.

Alan always valued the individual and their impact more than the quantitative parameters of finance and personnel that defined them or their programs. He inserted compassion, integrity, and fairness with a relentless pursuit of excellence in service into the business aspects of higher education. His professionalism, work ethic, and values defined the Institute. Alan cared about our students, faculty, staff and stakeholders and that is the CASNR legacy.

Alan obtained his B.S. degree and M.S. degree in Agricultural Economics from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Prior to his time at the Institute he worked for the Legislative Fiscal Office of the Nebraska Legislature, the Game and Parks Commission and Cargill.

Alan and his wife Lana are retired and enjoy spending time with their children and grandchildren, traveling, and working on their genealogy. He also spends time as a member of Agriculture Builders of Nebraska, the Lincoln Lancaster County Genealogical Society, the UNL Emeriti and Retirees Association and on the Board of the Hall of Agricultural Achievement.

2017 CASNR Alumni Association Achievement Award:

Dennis Boesiger is secretary and part owner of Midwest Livestock systems, Inc. the company specializes in agricultural construction working to build and equip livestock and poultry facilities. Dennis served as general manager for 37 years and has been part of the company for 43 years. As a businessman, Dennis has had the opportunity to be involved in numerous agricultural endeavors including owning farms and shares in a number of large livestock and poultry production businesses. Dennis lived in the Beatrice area for 37 years before moving to Lincoln 6 years ago.

Dennis grew up on a farm near Cortland, Nebraska and then went to attend the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. In 1960, he received his B.S. degree in Dairy Technology and obtained a M.S. degree in Dairy Technology with an emphasis in business and management in 1961.

Dennis has served in various positions and taken on several responsibilities both in his community and in the state. Notable commitments to economic development include the Nebraska State Chamber of Commerce and Industry Executive Board. Dennis has also been involved with his Methodist Church, serving on the School Board for 12 years. United Way Board and the local YMCA Board.

2017 Award for Engagement of Emeriti Faculty:

The College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR) Emeriti Staff Status, was initiated by the CASNR Alumni Association Board of Directors in February 2017 as a way to thank and recognize CASNR staff members who have 20 years or more of service to the University. Their loyalty, professionalism, service and sincere passion for the College, Institute and University define the culture of our College. They are part of the College legacy and the memories of our students, faculty, and staff.

Emeriti Staff Status will be co-sponsored by the CASNR Alumni Association and the CASNR Dean's Office and includes inclusion in the CASNR Alumni Association and invitation to all CASNR and CASNR Alumni events; a university parking pass, available upon request from the CASNR Dean's Office for on-campus events; and email communication through their huskers.unl.edu email address.

The CASNR Alumni Association offers a number of additional opportunities for emeriti faculty and staff to stay involved and give back to the College. The Alumni Association's annual Football Reunion and Silent Auction is open to all alumni, faculty, staff, students, and emeriti. This event provides an occasion for emeriti to visit with former colleagues and students and to support incoming freshmen student scholarships through participation in the silent auction. Each Fall, over 300 people attend this event.

The CASNR Alumni Brick Program has also provided a mechanism for emeriti faculty and staff to be recognized by peers and students. A number of engraved bricks in the Legacy Courtyard have been purchased by College alumni to honor a former professor or favorite staff member.

NU ALUMNI ASSOCIATION RECOGNITION

2017 Early Achiever Award:

Andrew Uden was recognized with the Early Achiever Award at the NU Alumni Association's annual Alumni Awards Banquet on May 4th, 2017. Established in 2011, this award gives each UNL college the opportunity to acknowledge one of their outstanding young graduates.

Mr. Uden is the chief operations officer and co-founder at Quantified Ag. He grew up on a cattle feeding and cow/calf operation started by his father in central Nebraska. Andrew received his bachelor's in Animal Science in 2012, where he made an effort to work in nearly every segment of the beef value chain and on several different continents. Upon graduation, Andrew took a nine-month internship with the National Student Leadership Foundation in Washington, D.C., then returned to Nebraska to pursue a Master's of Applied Science degree.

SALUTE TO GRADUATES

Salute to Graduates is a personalized recognition ceremony held on East Campus and is a CASNR tradition that began in 2005. The event takes place the Friday before graduation at UNL's Nebraska East Union and brings together graduates' family, faculty and staff to honor their success. It is sponsored by the College and its Alumni Association.

December graduates were recognized during the 23rd Salute to Graduates in the fall. 66 graduating seniors and over 325 guests participated in the ceremony held December 16, 2016. May and August graduates were recognized during the 24th Salute to Graduates in the spring. 172 graduating seniors and over 750 guests participated in the ceremony held May 5, 2017. Salute to Graduates is held in the Nebraska East Union.

SENIOR SEND-OFF

The December Senior Send-Off was held in the Club Lounge at the Pinnacle Bank Arena prior to commencement on December 17, 2016. Over 150 graduates, family members and friends attended this event.

The May Senior Send-Off was held in the Club Lounge at the Pinnacle Bank Arena prior to commencement on May 6, 2017. Over 300 graduates, family members and friends attended this event.

Curriculum Committee Actions

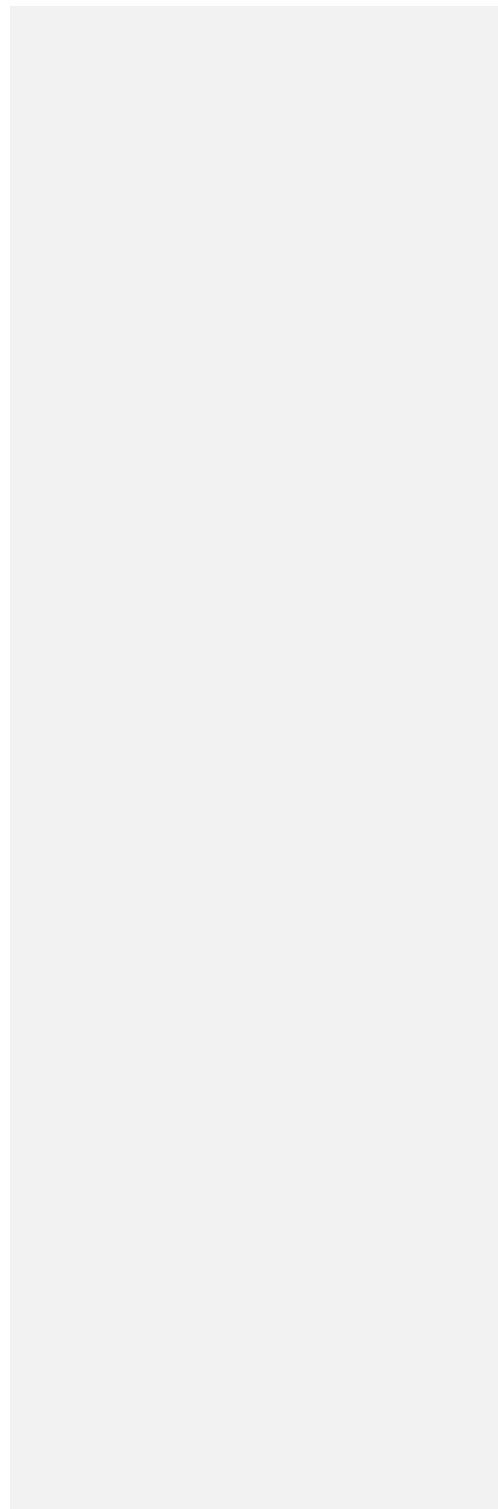
Some actions listed have not received final approval from UCC, Graduate Studies or other reviewing committees. The following courses were approved by the CASNR Curriculum Committee for a change in course description, number, title, credit hours and/or cross-listings.

Course Changes

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| ABUS | 855 | Marketing and Globalization |
| AECN | 325 | Marketing of Agricultural Commodities |
| AGEN | 424/824 | Machine Design in Agricultural Engineering |
| AGEN | 443 | Design of Light-Frame Structures |
| AGRI | 888 | Teaching Undergraduate Science |
| AGRO | 315 | Genetics |
| AGRO | 932 | Biometrical Genetics and Plant Breeding |
| AGRO | 412/812 | Crop and Weed Genetics |
| AGRO | 472/872 | Applied Soil Physics |
| ASCI | 100 | Fundamentals of Animal Biology and Industry |
| ASCI | 181 | Beef Industry Scholars-Freshman Seminar |
| ASCI | 240 | Anatomy and Physiology of Domestic Animals |
| ASCI | 300A | Principles of Intercollegiate Livestock and Meats Evaluation |
| ASCI | 315 | Animal Growth and Development |
| ASCI | 320 | Animal Nutrition and Feeding |
| ASCI | 322 | Equine Nutrition |
| ASCI | 330 | Animal Breeding |
| ASCI | 340 | Animal Physiological Systems |
| ASCI | 341 | Physiology and Management of Reproduction |
| ASCI | 381 | Beef Industry Scholars - Practicum |
| ASCI | 443/843 | Physiology of Animal Cells and Tissues |
| ASCI | 450 | Horse Management |
| ASCI | 481 | Beef Industry Scholars - Beef Summit |
| ASCI | 482 | Beef Industry Scholars - National Beef Industry Policy |
| ASCI | 485 | Animal Systems Analysis |
| ASCI | 486 | Animal Biological Systems |
| ASCI | 490A | Animal Science Internship: Beef Feedlot Management |
| ASCI | 944 | Quantitative Methods for Genomics of Complex Traits |
| BIOC | 205 | Scientific Analysis and Technical Writing |
| BIOC | 432/832 | Metabolism and Biological Information |
| BIOC | 433/833 | Biochemistry Laboratory |
| BSEN | 112 | Computer-Aided Problem-Solving |
| BSEN | 212A | Computational Tools and Modeling for Ag. and BSE: MATLB |
| BSEN | 212B | Computational Tools and Modeling for Ag. and BSE: Control Systems |
| BSEN | 212E | Computational Tools and Modeling for Ag. And BSE: LabVHEW |
| BSEN | 303 | Pinciples of Process Engineering |
| BSEN | 317 | Introduction to Bomedical Engineering |

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| BSEN | 350 | Soil and Water Resources Engineering |
| BSEN | 416/816 | Introduction to Biomaterials |
| BSEN | 446/846 | Unit Operations of Biological Processing |
| BSEN | 470 | Design I in Agricultural and Biological Processing |
| ENTO | 400 | Biology and Classification of Insects |
| ENTO | 410/810 | Insects as Educational Tools in Classroom |
| ENTO | 414/814 | Forensic Entomology |
| FDST | 301 | Chemistry of Food |
| FORS | 401 | Forensic Biochemistry |
| FORS | 401L | Forensic Biochemistry Lab |
| FORS | 402/802 | Principles of Forensic Photography |
| FORS | 406/806 | Crime Scene Management |
| FORS | 407/807 | Forensic DNA Analysis |
| FORS | 411 | Overview of Forensic Comparison |
| HORT | 395 | Career Experiences |
| MSYM | 109 | Physical Principles in Agriculture and Life Sciences |
| MSYM | 262 | Problem Solving in Mech. Systems |
| MSYM | 342 | Animal Housing Systems |
| MSYM | 354 | Soil Conservation and Watershed Management |
| MSYM | 364 | Ag. Products Processing & Handling |
| MSYM | 412 | Hydraulic Power Systems |
| MSYM | 433/833 | Equipment and Tractor Testing |
| MSYM | 452/852 | Irrigation Systems Management |
| NRES | 233 | Wildlife Field Techniques |
| NRES | 260 | Environmental Comm. Skills |
| NRES | 311 | Wildlife Ecology and Management |
| NRES | 803 | Ecological Statistics |
| NRES | 424/824 | Forest Ecology |
| NRES | 447/847 | Archaeoparasitology: the Archaeology of Disease |
| NRES | 450/850 | Biology of Wildlife Populations |
| NRES | 462/862 | Conservation Biology |
| SCIL | 109 | Water in Society |
| STAT | 801A | Statistical Methods in Research |
| STAT | 821 | Statistical Methods I |
| STAT | 822 | Statistical Methods II |
| STAT | 823 | Statistical Methods III |
| STAT | 880 | Introduction to Mathematical Statistics |
| STAT | 950 | Computational Statistics I |
| STAT | 980 | Advanced Probability Theory |
| STAT | 981 | Advanced Probability Measures |
| STAT | 982 | Statistics Theory I |
| STAT | 983 | Statistics Theory II |
| STAT | 984 | Asymptotics and Applications |
| VBMS | 407 | Introduction to Veterinary Anatomy |
| VBMS | 410 | General Pharmacology and Toxicology |

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| VMED | 550 | Veterinary Nutrition |
| VMED | 589 | Small Animal Surgery |
| VMED | 660 | Veterinary Histology |



New Courses

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| AECN | 175 | Introduction to Excel |
| AECN | 340 | Quantitative Methods in Agribusiness |
| AECN | 391 | Special Topics |
| AECN | 474 | Cooperatives |
| AECN | 495E | Internship in Agricultural Industry and ABUS |
| AGEN | 957 | Modeling Vadose Zone Hydrology |
| AGRO | 409A/809A | Case Studies in Plant Breeding: Breeding for Disease Resistance |
| AGRO | 409B/809B | Case Studies in Plant Breeding: Transgenic Strategies for Disease Resistance |
| ASCI | 100L | Fundamentals of Animal Biology and Industry Laboratory |
| ASCI | 944 | Quantitative Methods for Genomics |
| ASCI | 835 | Chemical Ecology of Insect/Plant |
| CDEV | 816 | Nebraska Rural Government Law Fundamentals |
| CDEV | 817 | Nebraska Rural Government Finance Fundamentals |
| CDEV | 818 | Community Engagement |
| CDEV | 819 | Community Action Strategies |
| CDEV | 825 | Sustainable Economic Development |
| CDEV | 826 | Fundamentals of Business Analysis |
| CDEV | 827 | Community Workforce Development |
| ENTO | 835 | Chemical Ecology of Insect/Plant Interactions |
| F DST | 442/842 | Omnivore Digestive-Tract Microbiome |
| FORS | 410 | Advanced Forensic DNA Methods |
| HORT | 100 | Plants, Landscapes and the Environment |
| HORT | 375 | Innovations for Agriculture |
| MBIO | 498 | Independent Research |
| NRES | 330 | Environmental Health |
| NRES | 322 | Environmental Education Curricula |
| NRES | 441 | Zoo Keeping and Management |
| NRES | 800 | Sampling Data Management and Visualization |
| STAT | 801B | Statistical Methods in Research Calculations |
| VMED | 531 | Introduction to Animal Welfare |

Deletion of Courses

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| AECN | 804 | Agricultural Law |
| AECN | 818 | Tax - Farm and Ranch |
| AECN | 841 | Environmental Law |
| AECN | 876 | Water Law Plan and Policy |
| AGRO | 110 | Exploring Plant Biology |
| AGRO | 160 | Topics Plant Protection I |
| AGRO | 260 | Topics Plant Protection II |
| AGRO | 305 | Geography of Agriculture |
| AGRO | 390 | Topics Plant Protection III |

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| AGRO | 404 | Field Crop Physiology |
| AGRO | 457/857 | Soil Chemical Measurements |
| AGRO | 830 | Phytopatology Principles |
| AGRO | 830A | Corn Diseases |
| AGRO | 830B | Soybean Diseases |
| AGRO | 830E | Turf Diseases |
| ALEC | 301 | Industrial Graphics |
| ASCI | 101 | Introduction to Animal Sciences |
| ASCI | 181 | Beef Industry Scholars - Freshman Seminar |
| ASCI | 311 | Study Tour |
| ASCI | 395 | Exploring Career Development |
| ASCI | 452 | Poultry Management |
| ASCI | 490 | Animal Science Internship |
| ASCI | 928 | Mineral Nutrition |
| ASCI | 928L | Mineral Nutrition Lab |
| ASCI | 929 | Vitamin Nutrition |
| ASCI | 934 | Application of Biotechnology |
| BIOC | 869 | Chemistry for Secondary Schools |
| BIOC | 869A-869Z | Subjects under 869 |
| FORS | 408 | Forensic Y-STR Analysis |
| HORT | 350 | Basic Fruit Production |
| HORT | 498/898 | Topics in Landscape Architecture |
| PLPT | 189H | University Honors Seminar |
| PLPT | 250 | Biotechnology Science to Society |
| PLPT | 475 | Agricultural Biosecurity |
| PLPT | 489A | Senior Thesis Research |
| PLPT | 489B | Senior Thesis Research Preparation |
| STAT | 960 | Matrix Algebra Apps. In Statistics |
| TLMT | 328 | Turfgrass Equipment |
| TLMT | 329 | Landscape Equipment |

Changes in Degrees or Certificates

Agronomy Organic Farming and Food Systems: option
 Agronomy
 Applied Science
 Forensic Science
 Hospitality, Restaurant & Tourism Management
 Turfgrass and Landscape Management

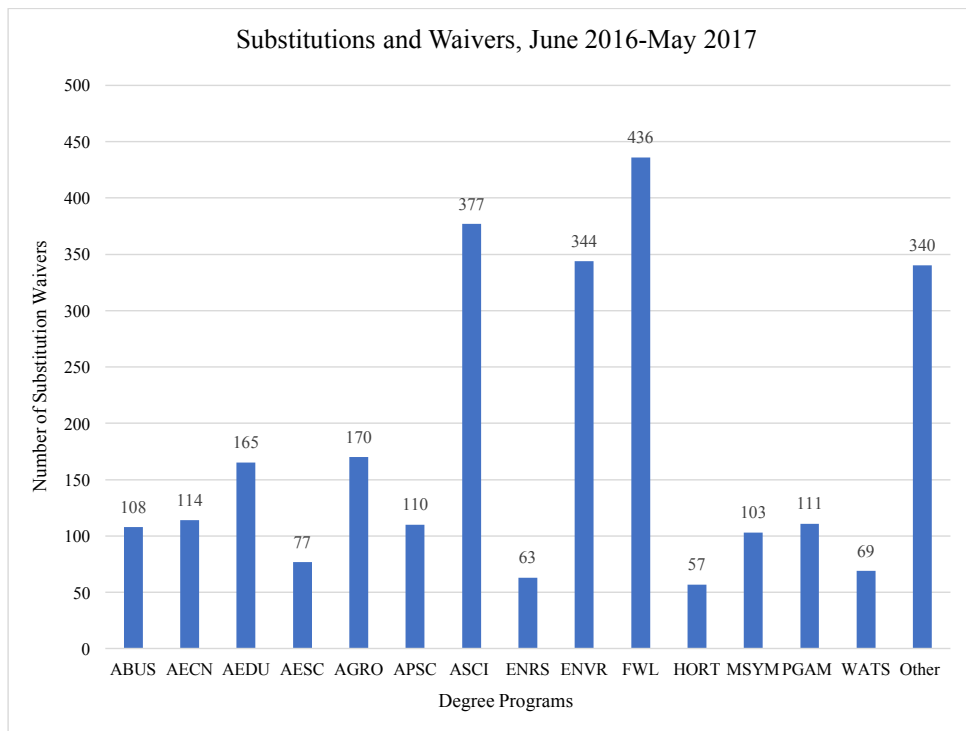
New Certificates, Minors, Degree Programs and Specializations

Rural Economic and Community Vitality: New distance education graduate certificate
 Architectural Studies: New undergraduate minor

Forensic Chemistry: New Forensic Science option
3+3 Collaborative Program with the College of Law for Environmental Studies
3+3 Collaborative Program with the College of Law for Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness

Substitutions and Waivers

The Substitutions-Waiver form gives students the opportunity to request a substitution or waiver of a CASNR core or departmental requirement. The form is initiated by the student, approved by the student's advisor and the unit administrator, and then sent to the Dean's Office for review and final approval. Students must file a request for substitutions and waivers involving courses within the basic four-year curriculum in CASNR before the start of the fall semester for December graduates, before the start of the spring semester for May graduates and prior to the last day of classes spring semester for August graduates. The table below illustrates the number of individual substitution requests.

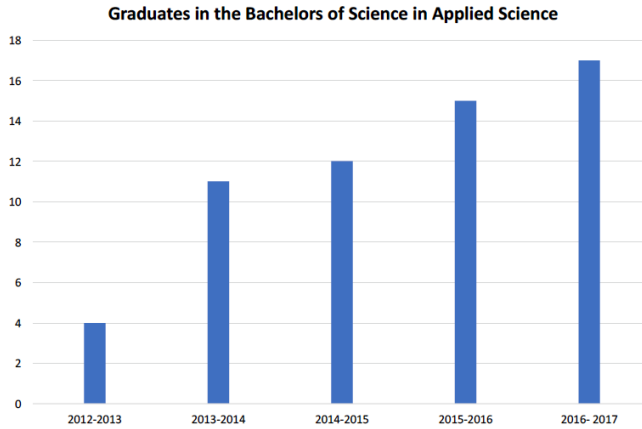


Other: Biochemistry, Food Science and Technology; Food Technology for Companion Animals; Forensic Science; Grassland Ecology and Management; Grazing Livestock Systems; Hospitality, Restaurant and Tourism Management; Insect Science; Microbiology; Natural Resource and Environmental Economics; Plant Biology; Turfgrass and Landscape Management; Veterinary Science and Biomedical Science; and Veterinary Technology.

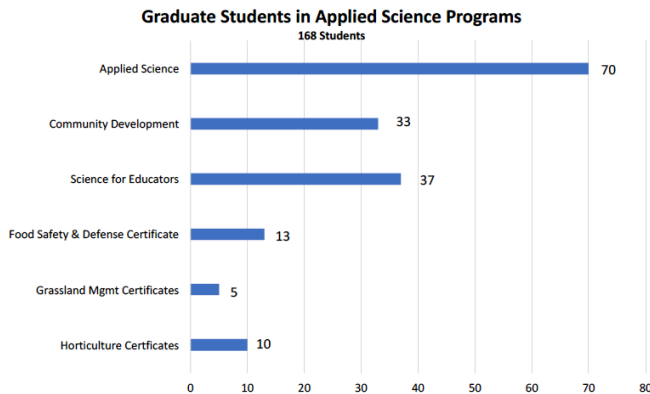
CASNR Online Education Programs

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In 2016, the Bachelors of Applied Science (BSAS) program had 70 students enrolled in the Spring semester; 71 students in the Fall semester; and 24 students during the Summer. In 2017, 64 students were enrolled Spring semester. The following graph indicates the number of graduates for the past five academic years.



The Master of Applied Science (MAS) program has experienced increased enrollment over the last several years. Currently, 168 students are enrolled in the program. From July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017, 41 students were admitted into the program, while 15 graduated with a degree and 6 earned certificates, i.e., 2 in Food Safety & Defense and 4 in Grassland Management.



Recruitment, Retention and Placement

RECRUITMENT ACTIVITIES

With 30 degree programs and a pre-professional program, the University of Nebraska–Lincoln (UNL) College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR) attracts students with a wide range of interests. While CASNR has traditionally had a population base that is largely from rural areas, demographic changes in the state have translated to an increase of CASNR students from urban areas. With its mix of degree programs and a steady demand for its graduates, the education and experiences offered through CASNR provide exciting opportunities to all students.

The CASNR Recruitment Team connects prospective students interested in our program areas with the opportunities in our College. The CASNR tagline is “Science with a Purpose”, but the true highlight of the College is the personalized connection students make with our faculty, staff and students from the first time they visit campus until their graduation. The fall 2016 semester represents our twelfth consecutive year of increased undergraduate enrollment. It is also our sixth consecutive all-time high CASNR enrollment with a total of 2340 students.

In an effort to recruit students, CASNR partners with UNL Admissions, Nebraska Extension, public and private schools, communities, alumni, stakeholders, businesses and industry.

CASNR Recruitment Efforts for the 2016-2017 Year

Experience the Power of Red (November) – **Over 260** prospective students and parents attended the annual CASNR open house. During the day, attendees had the opportunity to attend sessions to learn more about the degree programs, visit academic program presentations and ask current students questions during lunch. An Admissions session was held, in addition to the academic sessions, and highlighted financial aid, scholarships and other programs and services. East Campus and City Campus tours were also offered. CASNR has offered this event for more than 10 years.

Experience the Power of Red – Spring Edition (March) – **Over 100** prospective sophomores and juniors and their families attended this open house event. During the day, attendees had the opportunity to attend sessions to learn more about the degree programs, visit academic program presentations and ask current students questions during lunch. East Campus and City Campus tours were also offered. This event has been held since the spring of 2014.

Contact Campaign – Beginning with invitations (August) for *Experience the Power of Red* in November the CASNR Dean’s Office contacted **more than 5,000** prospective students monthly by email and mail to connect with them, learn about their interests and concerns and answer questions they had regarding coming to UNL and CASNR. For those students who expressed interest in specific programs, letters were tailored to their interests. Individual departments also have contact campaigns through the Office of Admissions.

Seniors interested in CASNR were contacted monthly by the Dean’s Office. Academic programs were encouraged to follow up with students with email, mail and phone contacts on an individual basis. In addition, the parents of all seniors who have expressed interest in CASNR receive a letter from the Dean in October.

Admitted students received a letter of congratulations from the Dean, holiday greetings (if admitted prior to December), admitted student event invitation, and a final mailing. Upon attending New Student Enrollment, students will also receive a letter inviting them to participate in Dean’s Scholars in Experiential Leadership.

In February, all of our admitted students who have unpaid enrollment deposits were contacted by ambassadors and other current students who answered questions and gauged their interest in attending UNL. Several academic departments also call their admitted students, and efforts are coordinated between CASNR, Admissions and the departments to ensure all students are reached.

Additionally, an email from the Dean is sent to all admitted students who have unpaid enrollment deposits in late February – early March. This email highlights CASNR’s academic strengths, special programs, undergraduate research, and extra-curricular opportunities.

Admitted Student Event (February) – **Over 100** people attended this annual event hosted by CASNR that includes a dinner for admitted students and their parents. Students had the opportunity to learn more about their intended academic program and department, meet with faculty and staff from their interest area, as well as speak to current students. Representatives from the UNL Office of Admissions, Housing, and Financial Aid are part of the presentation and share next steps with the students and their families. Other UNL services and clubs were in attendance to field questions on topics ranging from Greek life, learning communities, libraries, clubs and opportunities with Campus Recreation. CASNR has hosted this event for 10 years.

High School Visits – CASNR has visited 32 different high schools throughout Nebraska and reached nearly 1800 students during the 2016-2017 academic year.

Partnering with Admissions

Campus Visits – The majority of campus visits start at the UNL Office of Admissions with an overview and tour followed by a visit to East Campus, a personal academic visit with faculty/staff in students’ areas of interest and tours, if desired. The number of annual CASNR campus visits has increased steadily in the past 10 years with **more than 600** prospective students hosted by CASNR this year.

Admissions Office Updates – Each summer, UNL College deans visit with UNL Admissions staff regarding college updates and programs.

Red Letter Days – UNL open house days hosted students and parents visiting campus and included a browsing session as well as general sessions in the morning. Students with interested in CASNR degree programs travel to East Campus to join the CASNR Deans, staff and ambassadors for lunch and time to visit with faculty members in their areas of interest.

Transfer Workshops and Transfer College Visits – Hosted transfer students visiting UNL and coordinated visits to Nebraska community colleges.

Extension/Business/Community (Outreach) Partnerships

State Fair (August-September) – CASNR distributed snacks with a college wrap to 4-H and FFA exhibitors and their parents during check-in. In conjunction with the CASNR Alumni Association, CASNR hosted a reception for current and prospective students, alumni and families. CASNR also hosted hands-on activities in the Raising Nebraska building and participated in the State Fair Red-Out. CASNR has participated in Nebraska State Fair events for more than 10 years.

Ak-Sar-Ben – CASNR hosted a display at the college fair and provided sponsorship support to the Ak-Sar-Ben 4-H Stock Show Scholarship Program.

Husker Harvest Days (September) – CASNR hosted a display and talked with visitors during the three-day trade show. Students participating in a scavenger hunt received a t-shirt. CASNR has exhibited at Husker Harvest Days for more than 10 years.

Youth Science Field Days (September – October, March - April) – CASNR attended 8 Extension-sponsored field days. Presentations were given on college and career opportunities to **over 1,300** students.

Connecting the Dots – CASNR participated in 8 career development workshops throughout Nebraska as part of this Extension program. **Over 1000** students attended these workshops.

York Careers in Agriculture Day (September) – Students from surrounding schools were hosted by Cornerstone Bank; 150 students attended a career session presented by a CASNR recruitment team member. CASNR also participated in the career panel discussions.

FFA

National FFA Convention – CASNR hosted a display at this event in Indianapolis, IN, which attracts thousands of students from across the U.S.

State FFA Convention – CASNR hosted a booth at the Pinnacle Bank Arena and provided ten scholarships to the Career Development Exam (CDE) winners. CASNR also hosts a career fair in partnership with the Nebraska FFA Foundation at the Pinnacle Bank Arena. On East Campus on Wednesday, CASNR departments provided hands-on activities and hundreds of FFA students had the chance to explore East Campus. In addition, CASNR assisted with the Rock the Rec experience held on Thursday night for all the FFA members.

Scholarships

Scholarships – CASNR awards more than \$1 million in scholarships each year. Any incoming freshman admitted to a CASNR degree program who has a 26 or higher on their ACT is awarded a \$1000 scholarship. Both Nebraska Extension and UNL Admissions professionals may also award these to students in their communities.

Other Events and Advertising

Science Olympiad (April) – East Campus continues to serve as the host for **more than 500** Nebraska students who attend this annual event. Science competitions are held in various buildings along with opening and closing ceremonies. Every high school first place team in each event is awarded a \$500 CASNR scholarship. Middle school first place teams receive a \$100 scholarship for Nebraska Now classes. The first place school in the middle and high school division also receive a \$1,000 travel voucher from CASNR and the Agricultural Research Division. CASNR has hosted this event for 10 years.

NAYI – Nearly 200 Nebraska students attended the Nebraska Agricultural Youth Institute held on East Campus each year. CASNR coordinates department tours and several faculty speak to students throughout the week. CASNR also participates in the Career Fair. In addition, CASNR coordinates room reservations across East Campus for this event. CASNR has partnered with the Nebraska Department of Agriculture on this Institute for more than 10 years.

Nebraska Cattlemen Ads — In this publication, CASNR has ads featuring the Grazing Livestock Systems, Pre-Veterinary Medicine, and Animal Science departments in addition to two general CASNR ads.

NEBRASKAland Ads — The School of Natural Resources programs of study are featured in ads in this publication.

Social Media - CASNR has three major social media outlets: Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. Our Facebook page has generated 280 new followers in the past year for a total of 2806 followers. In the past 28 days, our page views on Facebook increased 87% with a total of 159 views while our reach is up 160% with 21,510 people reached. The CASNR Twitter account has 677 new followers in the past year. Over the past 28 days, our tweets have earned 48.5K impressions with 3256 total followers. Instagram now reaches 793 total followers.

EAST CAMPUS VISITORS CENTER

The East Campus Visitors Center (ECVC) is nearing the end of its 11th year, and continues to be a hive of activity. The Dairy Store celebrates its 100th anniversary this year, and there has been a lot of publicity around this milestone. As a result, traffic has increased, with numerous alumni and community members coming to help celebrate. A new Dairy Store Manager was hired this spring, so it will be fun to see what exciting things he has planned!

The ECVC is now the location where Biosystems Engineering, Agricultural Engineering, and Tuesday/Thursday visits for the College of Education & Human Sciences check in for their visits. This provides a much warmer welcome for these visitors to East Campus.

RETENTION ACTIVITIES

CASNR CARES

The College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR) developed the CASNR CARES Program—Caring Attitudes and Respect for Every Student—in the Fall semester of 2002. The CASNR CARES program provides a single contact for parents, students, faculty and staff seeking assistance in navigating the university's student services programs. The primary goal is to ensure that each student becomes acclimated to the campus environment, engages in his/her own education and has every opportunity to be successful. It also provides a significant resource for family and faculty/staff to identify students that may need assistance in enhancing their educational experience. Our college is committed to the welfare and academic success of each of our students. Approximately 700 individuals were served during the 2016-2017 academic year.

The CASNR CARES program respects all standards of confidentiality when gathering and sharing information that may affect a student's academic or personal growth. The program works with the student to develop a course of action to help them meet his or her academic and personal goals, as well as the goals of the University. Nicole Smith, CASNR Student Development Coordinator, is the primary contact for the CASNR CARES program.

Faculty, staff, parents or students can initiate a referral by contacting the Student Development Coordinator. Following the referral, Nicole will contact the student, make an appointment to have them come to her office, and then meet with the student to determine if assistance is needed. Without identifying the sources of the concern, the student is encouraged to discuss how things are going, both in and out of the classroom. Students appreciate the attention that is provided to them plus they can learn more about the resources available across campus. In cases where students must be away from campus due to health or family emergencies, the Student Development Coordinator will gather information and can contact the instructors for the student's classes letting them know of the student's situations. Nicole will also stay in contact with the student after hearing from the instructors and updating the faculty about the return of the student to classes. Both the student and the faculty members appreciate the information that is provided, which helps the student stay current in class.

Dean's Scholars in Experiential Leadership Program for 2016-2017

Forty-seven freshmen from Nebraska, Michigan, South Dakota, Kansas, Wisconsin, Colorado, California, Minnesota, and Pennsylvania participated in the Dean's Scholars in Experiential Leadership (DSEL) program for the academic year of 2016-2017. This endeavor was created by CASNR to bring students together in the college with an interest in further developing their leadership skills. This exciting program is a great way for students to become fully engaged in the college. It gives them the capacity and confidence to seek leadership positions now and in their professional careers.

Each week, students attended a session hosted by CASNR Dean Steve Waller and coordinated by Nicole Smith. Students took the testing instrument for StrengthsQuest, a program developed by the Gallup Organization to determine student's top five personal strengths. Other topics included career portfolio development, leadership on campus, health and wellness, healthy relationships, and money management. The Teaching Assistant for both semesters was Emily Puls.

DSEL students also participated in a Pen Pal Program with second graders at Hartley Elementary, a neighborhood elementary school. We made picture frames with the CASNR students and their pen pal for a special gift at the end of the semester.

CASNR Listserv

Nicole Smith and Julie Obermeyer (CASNR Career Development and Corporate Relations Director), send out weekly emails to all CASNR students. Nicole's emails consist of club meeting information, deadlines, events on campus and information vital to students. Julie sends out weekly career updates about companies that are interviewing on campus as well as job openings.

CASNR Start Smart, AGRI 042

AGRI 042 is an online, zero credit hour, orientation seminar that all freshman students completed prior to the fall semester beginning. It is taken as pass/no pass and is a part of a university wide initiative. This seminar is designed to help students successfully transition to the University by helping them to get a head start. The modules focus on helping students to become orientated with CASNR, UNL, campus resources, and success tools. Components include how to navigate a syllabus, communicating effectively with faculty/staff, understanding the CASNR advising model, how to interpret a degree audit, academic integrity, and much more. CASNR had a 99% completion rate for students.

Other Retention Activities

CASNR Luau

- Friday, August 19th from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Nebraska East Union
- All new freshmen and parents were invited for free food and games
- Over 300 students attended – a great way to meet other CASNR students
- Personal Safety Workshop presented by Tiger Rock Academy
- Presentation by Lincoln Police Department
- Ice Breakers allowed new freshmen to meet and talk to one another

Campus Guides

- Monday, August 22 and Tuesday, August 23 from 7:30 to 10:30 a.m.
- Nicole Smith, Sue Ellen Pegg, Karen Jackson, Karen Francis, Sara Winn, and Lila Tooker welcomed students at various locations across campus, helped students find buildings for their classes and handed out over 400 granola bars

Welcome Back Club Fair

- Thursday, August 25
- CASNR Clubs and UNL organizations had tables with information
- All New Freshmen and Transfer Students were invited to find out how to join clubs
- A picnic was held outside of the Nebraska East Union
- Collaboration with Student Involvement, Nebraska East Union, University Housing, and CASNR

CASNR Mandatory RSO Training

- Wednesday, August 31; Wednesday, April 19
- Speakers from CASNR Dean's Office, Student Involvement, Student Organization Financial Services, and ASUN provided training for presidents, treasurers, primary programmers, and advisors of CASNR clubs and organizations
- Introduced new policies and procedures

Homecoming

- Free live concert on Thursday, September 29 with over 1,500 students attending
- Concert hosted on East Campus Mall
- Partnered with ASUN, University Program Council, Campus Recreation, Student Night Life, and Student Involvement

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- First time to meet with students/explain CASNR CARES
- Sent postcard to parents with upcoming events/deadlines July 15

Hartley Community Advisory Committee

- Nicole Smith attended monthly meetings with committee and community members
- Helped plan and implement Peter Pan Party Community Event
- Recruited students to volunteer at various events for Hartley Elementary

Crisis Management

- Arranged grievance counselors to be available for East Campus community following crisis
- Communicated with faculty/staff/students/families information following incidents

Academic Success Workshops on East Campus

- Nicole Smith met with First Year Experience and Transition Program Staff
- 3 workshop sessions were hosted on East Campus for the fall semester
- 3 workshop sessions were hosted on East Campus for the spring semester
- Workshops ranged in attendance, but on average 10-15 students attended each workshop

Study Stops

- Every Tuesday from 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. in Nebraska East Union
- Learning Consultants available to assist students
- Coffee and hot chocolate were available for students
- Partnered with First Year Experience and Transition Program

PLACEMENT ACTIVITIES

CASNR Career Fair

The 2016 CASNR Career Fair was held on Tuesday, September 27, 2016 in the Nebraska East Union from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The CASNR Career Fair was held in conjunction with Career Fair Week, which featured three days of Career Fairs with over 300 employers participating in whole. 598 students and alumni from the University and local community attended the CASNR Career Fair to visit with 101 employing organizations and graduate

institutions. Representatives from local, state, and national organizations attended to connect with students as they seek full-time and internship opportunities.

New employers that came to the fall career fair included: Agri Beef Co., AgriVision Farm Management, Columbus Area Chamber of Commerce, Conservation Corps of Minnesota & Iowa, Constructors, Inc., Farmer, Lumpe & McClelland, Farmers Business Network, FIMCO Industries, MHC Kenworth, Nebraska Department of Natural Resources, Producers Hybrids, Titan Machinery, Trimble Navigation, Universal Pasteurization/Universal Cold Storage, and UNL New Student Enrollment.

In addition to the career fair, we hosted the second annual "CASNR Dean's Employer Appreciation Reception". It was held the evening before the career fair with 22 employers, department representatives, and Dean's VIP List members in attendance. The annual Faculty/Employer Brunch was held the morning of the career fair with 114 employers and faculty in attendance. The day after the career fair 222 interviews were conducted.

Returning Organizations in attendance at the 2016 CASNR Career Fair:

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| Adams Land and Cattle, LLC | Farmway |
| AGP Inc. | FIMCO Industries |
| AgReliant Genetics | Frontier Coop |
| Agri Beef Co. | Gallup |
| AgriGold Hybrids | Gavilon |
| AgriVision Farm Management | Global Industries, Inc |
| AgVenture | Green Plains Inc. |
| Archer Daneils Midland Company | GROWMARK and FS System |
| Ardent Mills | Helena Chemical Company |
| Aurora Cooperative Elevator Company | Hoegemeyer Hybrids |
| Bartlett & Company | Hormel Foods |
| BASF Corporation | InternNE |
| Beef Products, Inc. | J.D. Heiskell Holdings, LLC |
| Big Cob Hybrids | J.R. Simplot Company |
| Cargill | JBS USA Food Company LLC |
| Central Valley Ag | John Deere |
| CHS Inc. | Kimmel Orchard & Vineyard |
| CLAAS | Land O' Lakes, Inc. |
| CNH Industrial | Land O'Frost |
| CoBank | Lansing Trade Group |
| Columbus Area Chamber of Commerce | Lindsay Corporation |
| Conservation Corps Minnesota & Iowa | Lone Creek Cattle Company |
| Constructors, Inc. | Louis Dreyfus Company |
| Cooperative Producers, Inc | MHC Kenworth |
| Country Partners Cooperative | Midwest Bank |
| Crop Production Services | Monsanto |
| CSS Farms, Inc. | Nebraska Army National Guard |
| Dow AgroSciences | Nebraska Corn |
| DuPont Pioneer | Nebraska Department of Natural Resources |
| Farm Credit Services of America | Nebraska Extension |
| Farmer, Lumpe & McClelland | Neogen - GeneSeek Operations |
| Farmers Business Network | New Balance Commodities |
| Farmers Cooperative | Northwestern Mutual |

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| Petersen Ag Systems, Inc. | Union Pacific Railroad |
| Plains Equipment Group | United States Army and Army Reserve |
| Producers Hybrids | United States Marine Corps Officer Selection Office, Lincoln, Nebraska |
| Rob-See-Co | United Suppliers |
| Ryan Lawn and Tree | Universal Pasteurization/Universal Cold Storage |
| Sandhills Publishing | University of Nebraska College of Law |
| Schwartz Farms, Inc. | UNL CBA Graduate Programs |
| Servi-Tech, Inc. | UNL Feedlot Management Internship Program |
| Syngenta | UNL New Student Enrollment |
| The Andersons Inc | UNL Office of Graduate Studies |
| The Maschhoffs, LLC | UNL Plant Health |
| The Scoular Company | US NAVY |
| The United State Peace Corps | USDA National Agricultural Statistics Service |
| Titan Machinery, Inc. | USDA Nebraska Farm Service Agency |
| Trimble Navigation | USDA-FSIS |
| Triumph Foods | Waddell & Reed |
| Tyson Foods | Wells Fargo Bank |
| U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, Omaha District | |

CASNR Spring Career Fair

The 2017 CASNR Spring Career Fair was held on Thursday, February 16, 2017 in the Nebraska East Union from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The CASNR Spring Career Fair was held in conjunction with Career Fair Week, which featured three days of Career Fairs with 294 employers participating in whole. 189 students and alumni from the University and local community attended the CASNR Career Fair to visit with 73 employing organizations and graduate institutions. Representatives from local, state, and national organizations attended to connect with students as they seek full-time and internship opportunities. New employers that came to the spring career fair included: Alaska General Seafoods, Citizens State Bank, Farmers Cooperative, Farmers Business Network, Great West LLC, Green Plains Renewable Energy Inc., Heritage Bank, Kerber Companies, Nebraska Pork Producers Association, NEON Inc., NEW Cooperative, Inc., Pellet Technology USA, LLC, University of Nebraska Rural Futures Institute, Ryan Lawn and Tree, Sunrise Foods International, Inc., UNL Nebraska 4-H Camp, USDA Forest Service Bessey Ranger District & Nursery, Nebraska Department of Natural Resources, Columbus Area Chamber of Commerce, United States Marine Corps Officer Programs, UNL Graduate Student Assembly, and the UNL Office of Graduate Studies.

In addition to the career fair, we hosted the fourth annual "CASNR Dean's Employer Appreciation Reception". It was held the evening before the career fair with 22 employers and department representatives in attendance. The annual Faculty/Employer Brunch was held the morning of the career fair with 82 employers and faculty in attendance.

Returning Organizations in attendance at the 2017 CASNR Spring Career Fair:

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| 21st Century Equipment | Citizens State Bank |
| Alaska General Seafoods | Cooperative Producers Inc |
| Ardent Mills | Crop Production Services (CPS) |
| Aurora Cooperative (Agronomy) | CSS Farms |
| Bartlett and Company | Famers Cooperative |
| Beef Products | Farmers Business Network |
| Central Valley Ag Coop | Fimco Industries |

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| Frontier Cooperative Co | UNL Nebraska Forest Service |
| Great West LLC | USDA - Farm Service Agency (FSA) |
| Green Plains Renewable Energy Inc | USDA Forest Service Bessey Ranger District & Nursery |
| Heritage Bank | USDA NASS |
| JBS | USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service |
| JBS Co. | USDA-Food Safety and Inspection Service |
| Kerber Companies | CoBank |
| Land O'Lakes, Inc. | Gavilon LLC |
| Lone Creek Cattle Company | Titan Machinery |
| Natural Resources Districts | Waddell & Reed |
| Nebraska Pork Producers Association | ADM - Archer Daniels Midland Company |
| NEON Inc. | AGP Inc |
| NEW Cooperative, Inc. | Cargill |
| Pellet Technology USA, LLC | CLAAS of America |
| Petersen Ag Systems Inc | GeneSeek Inc |
| Plains Equipment Group | Nebraska Department of Natural Resources |
| Rob-See-Co | Olsson Associates |
| Rural Futures Institute | Columbus Area Chamber of Commerce |
| Ryan Lawn and Tree | Gallup |
| Scoular Company | Hormel Foods Corp |
| Servi-Tech Inc | Nebraska Army National Guard |
| Simplot Grower Solutions | Sandhills Publishing |
| Sunrise Foods International, Inc | Union Pacific Railroad |
| Syngenta | United States Army and Army Reserves |
| Triumph Foods LLC | United States Marine Corps Officer Programs |
| Tyson Foods, Inc. | University of Nebraska College of Law |
| United Suppliers | UNL CBA Graduate Programs |
| UNL College of Agricultural Sciences & Natural Resources | UNL Graduate Student Assembly |
| UNL Feedlot Management Internship | UNL Office of Graduate Studies |
| UNL Nebraska 4-H Camp | |

3rd Annual UNL Natural Resources and Life Sciences Career Information Day

The annual UNL Natural Resources and Life Sciences Career Information Day was held on Wednesday, January 25th in Hardin Hall. Previously known as the "Natural Resources Career Information Day", this event targeted students across campus with an interest in the Life Sciences. Over 200 students attended the event along with approximately 21 organizations.

Those organizations attending were:

U.S. Geological Survey, NE COOP Unit, UNL Plant Health, JEO Consulting Group, Inc., USDA -APHIS- Wildlife Services, Conservation and Survey Division, SNR, Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality, Cedar Point Biological Station, US Army Corps of Engineers, Nebraska USDA Farm Service Agency, Nebraska 4-H Camps, YMCA Camp Kitaki, Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium, NPS-Homestead National Monument of America, The Nature Conservancy, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission-Law Enforcement Division, Nebraska Wildlife Rehab, Inc., Pioneers Park Nature Center, Lincoln Parks and Rec, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, Saline Wetlands Conservation Partnership.

Companion Animal and Wildlife Career Day

A Companion Animal and Wildlife Career Day was held during the 2016-2017 school year in Lincoln, NE, sponsored by the Department of Animal Science and the School of Natural Resources. Thirty Nebraska high school students attended who were interested in animal related careers. The students participated in hands-on activities including companion animal nutrition, anatomy and physiology, wildlife management, and conservation biology. They were also able to ask questions of career panelists which included professionals from pet food companies, zoos and state and federal wildlife agencies. Students had lunch with current UNL Animal Science and Fisheries and Wildlife students to learn more about their internship experiences and other educational and career opportunities while in college. Since fall of 2012, approximately 350 students have attended the career days.

EMPLOYMENT CLASSES

Employment Seminar (AGRI/NRES 388)

Employment Seminar was held on Tuesday evenings from 4-6 p.m. for the first eight weeks of the fall semester. Subjects covered included: resume and cover letter development; speed networking; job search strategies on the Internet/Husker Hire Link; job search ethics and job offer evaluation; interviewing and professional etiquette; preparing for a career fair; industry mock interviews; and etiquette dinner and discussion. Twenty-three students participated in the course.

Job Survival (AGRI 400)

Job Survival was held on Tuesday evenings from 4-6 p.m. for the first eight weeks of the spring semester. Topics included Advice from Recently Employed Students; Effective Communication; Advancement; 401(k)'s, Benefits, Investments; Credit; Entrepreneurship, and Relocation and Housing. The class is team taught by twenty-six employers from various industries. Twenty-four students participated.

Experiential Learning (AGRI 496)

A new experimental course was developed to provide students with programming in the following areas: Faculty and Employer Expectations of an Intern, Preparing Internship Learning Objectives, Leadership and Team Building Sessions, Advice from Past Interns, and How to Turn an Internship into a Full-time Job.

International/Professional Development Experience (AGRI 42)

AGRI 42 allows students to add internships to their transcripts. This includes cooperative education with established organizations and international or professional development experience programs. During the summer of 2016, two students were enrolled, fall 2016 semester two students were enrolled and during the spring 2017, two students were enrolled.

DEAN'S VERY IMPRESSIVE PROSPECT (V.I.P.) List

During the 2016-2017 academic year, we established the Dean's V.I.P. List. These special undergraduate students were the first to get invitations to employer events, have their résumés distributed to employers, and were a group of students that the college publicized. Any CASNR undergraduate student was eligible to apply to be a member of the V.I.P. List. Thirty students were selected to be a part of the inaugural class.

International Engagement

Comment [AC1]: Other International engagement activities such as student programs (3+1; Rwanda)?

The College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources is committed to helping its students benefit from international study at UNL in four areas: education abroad, the CASNR International Minor, Introduction to Global Agriculture and Natural Resources (AGRI 282), and the Global Agriculture Club – IAAS (International Association of students in Agricultural and related Sciences). These areas will enable students to explore the global aspects of their respective degree programs and gain new perspectives of the world so that they will be more competitive in an increasingly global marketplace.

For Education Abroad, 100 CASNR students traveled to seventeen countries. The CASNR Dean's Office provided \$32,540 in scholarships to broaden the student population that studies abroad by supporting undergraduates who might not otherwise participate due to financial constraints. In addition to CASNR scholarships, sixteen students received a total of \$23,750 which included Global Gateway, Discovery, Edith Wiebers, Von Gillern, Impact, Sorenson, and Early Abroad. The generous funding in scholarship dollars makes it possible for an increased and expanding number of CASNR students to study abroad and gain an experience which will assist them in accomplishing future career goals both in the United States and globally.

The CASNR Minor in International Agriculture and Natural Resources allows students to build a concentration of courses to meet their individual needs within CASNR guidelines. This flexible minor fits well with CASNR degree programs and helps prepare students more broadly for careers in agriculture and natural resources whether they plan for a career in other countries or in Nebraska. Advising for the minor is done by the CASNR Dean's staff and faculty volunteers in other departments.

CASNR students are required to take at least one "internationally focused course." They may elect to meet this requirement from a long list of courses in languages, geography, political science, economics, anthropology and humanities. CASNR also offers Introduction to Global Agriculture and Natural Resources (AGRI 282). This course helps students learn about global issues and inter-relationships that affect Nebraska. It meets the new ACE requirements for global awareness and human diversity as well as providing some practice with basic skills in teamwork and problem solving. A faculty-led international study abroad experience where a student is registered for three credit hours will meet the ACE 9 general education requirement.

The Global Agriculture Club - IAAS of which UNL became a chapter in 2014 is a CASNR student focused organization which allows for UNL students to meet and discuss international issues and opportunities within Nebraska, the United States and abroad. It is an internationally affiliated organization that allows for students interested in agriculture to meet with others from around the United States and overseas through its annual National Summit and World Conference. The Global Agriculture Club also provides students the opportunity to raise money for IAAS sponsored conferences, internationally focused events, and education abroad. In April of this year, IAAS-UNL students traveled to the annual National Summit at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa. Participants from numerous institutions of higher education were in attendance. Conference speakers included professionals from both the public and private sector, faculty, and students involved and interested in international agriculture. All of this was made possible with generous funding provided by the CASNR Dean's Office and the IANR Office of Global Engagement.

For questions or for more information on any of the topics discussed here, contact Jon Kerrigan, Global Exchange Coordinator, at (402) 472-5902, the CASNR Dean's Office 103 Agricultural Hall, at (402) 472-2201 or email jon.kerrigan@unl.edu.

CASNR STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN EDUCATION ABROAD EXPERIENCE
Academic Year 2016-2017 and Summer 2017

| Destination | First Name | Last Name | Undergraduate Degree Program/Graduate Majors |
|--------------------|-------------------|------------------|---|
| Australia | Tana | Almand | Animal Science |
| Australia | John | Bohaty | Agribusiness |
| Australia | Kelsi | Busboom | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Australia | Elizabeth | Cast | Animal Science |
| Australia | Austin | Graves | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Australia | Heidi | Miller | Animal Science |
| Australia | Jacob | Rafert | Mechanized Systems Management |
| Australia | Justin | Ropers | Agribusiness |
| Australia | Kelsey | Scheer | Animal Science |
| Australia | Chrisinda | Scheideler | Animal Science and Agricultural Education |
| Australia | Chasity | Smetter | Animal Science |
| Australia | Rachel | Sorensen | Animal Science |
| Australia | Hannah | Ulrich | Animal Science |
| *Australia | John | Faltin | Environmental Studies |
| Botswana | Tanner | Bernard | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Botswana | Nicholas | Friedman | Microbiology |
| Botswana | Jessica | Hall | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Botswana | Dillon | Hanson | Fisheries and Wildlife and Environmental Studies |
| Botswana | Bethany | Hollman | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Botswana | Emily | Hruza | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Botswana | Briana | Kouma | Animal Science |
| Botswana | Jordyn | Stover | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Botswana | Gabriel | Tenyenhuis | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Botswana | Michael | True | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Botswana | Cody | Willnerd | Environmental Studies |
| China | Alex | Cumming | Agricultural Education and Cooperative Education |
| China | Elizabeth | Drey | Food Science and Technology |
| China | Madison | Schlake | Hospitality, Restaurant, and Tourism Management |
| China | Sara | Speicher | Agricultural Education |
| *Costa Rica | Regan | Gilmore | Natural Resource and Environmental Economics |
| *Czech Republic | Alexis | Lorence | Environmental Studies |
| *Czech Republic | Diane | Sherwin | Forensic Science |
| *France | Colin | White | Forensic Science |
| *France | Carlee | Koehler | Fisheries and Wildlife and Advertising and Public Relations |
| Italy | Kylie | Ham | Forensic Science |
| Italy | Emily | Hintz | Forensic Science |
| Italy | Alexis | Kelly | Forensic Science |
| *Italy | Colin | Wetovick | Agricultural Economics |
| *Italy | Amanda | Vaughn | Applied Science |
| *Italy | Christopher | Wheeler | Biochemistry and Economics |
| *Madagascar | Spencer | Bierfreund | Biochemistry |

| Destination | First Name | Last Name | Undergraduate Degree Program/Graduate Majors |
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| Namibia | John | Campbell | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Namibia | Ellen | Dolph | Environmental Studies and Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Namibia | Madison | Eckstrom | Environmental Restoration Science |
| Namibia | Kayla | Gadeken | Animal Science |
| Namibia | Monica | Gotschall | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Namibia | Meredith | Honig | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Namibia | Ambrosia | Keefe | Animal Science |
| Namibia | Brooke | Mott | Fisheries and Wildlife and Classics and Religious Studies |
| Namibia | Jen | Reyes | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Namibia | Holly | White | Environmental Studies and Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Namibia | Kyla | Wojtalewicz | Pre-Veterinary Medicine and Animal Science |
| *Oman & UAE | Taylor | Carlberg | Hospitality, Restaurant and Tourism Management |
| *Oman & UAE | Sarah | Petrzilka | Hospitality, Restaurant and Tourism Management |
| *Oman & UAE | Natalie | Pfeifer | Hospitality, Restaurant and Tourism Management |
| *Panama | Jacy | Spencer | Agricultural Economics |
| Puerto Rico | Dakota | Altman | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Amelia | Baker | Environmental Studies and Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | John | Bowley | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Delanie | Bruce | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Jessica | Burnett | Graduate Studies Applied Ecology |
| Puerto Rico | Elizabeth | Carpino | Environmental Studies |
| Puerto Rico | Mikaela | Deptula | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Guinevere | Dabik | Biology |
| Puerto Rico | Autumn | Dunn | Water Science and Range Management |
| Puerto Rico | Sinahi | Garcia | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Erica | Lunde | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Hannah | Miller | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Makaela | Oltman | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Grant | Reiner | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Jacob | Wagner | Fisheries and Wildlife |
| Puerto Rico | Kelly | Willemsens | Graduate Studies Applied Ecology |
| Puerto Rico | Samuel | Wilton | Geology |
| *Scotland | Delaney | Behrendt | Natural Resource and Environmental Economics and Political Science |
| *South Africa | Juan | Acosta | Agribusiness |
| *South Africa | Christine | Cooper | Agricultural Education and Cooperative Education |
| *South Africa | Cheyenne | Gerlach | Agricultural Economics |
| *South Africa | Kaitlyn | Hanvey | Agricultural Education |
| *South Africa | Halle | Ramsey | Agricultural Education |
| *South Africa | Collin | Swedberg | Agricultural Education and Cooperative Education |
| *South Africa | Samantha | Guenther | Agricultural Education |
| Spain & France | Blake | Chramosta | Agribusiness |
| Spain & France | Miranda | Earnest | Horticulture |
| Spain & France | Kodi | Gehl | Agribusiness |

| Destination | First Name | Last Name | Undergraduate Degree Program/Graduate Majors |
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| Spain & France | Molli | Hagge | Agribusiness |
| Spain & France | Jenna | Hargens | Horticulture |
| Spain & France | Katie | Harrell | Agronomy |
| Spain & France | Logan | Kalkowski | Agribusiness |
| Spain & France | Johah | Otte | Agricultural Economics |
| Spain & France | Amber | Ross | Agribusiness |
| Spain & France | Steph | Sparks | Agricultural Economics |
| Spain & France | Shelbi | Strong | Agricultural Economics |
| Spain & France | Grant | Suddarth | Agricultural Economics |
| Spain & France | Kaitlin | Taylor | Agricultural Education and Horticulture |
| Spain & France | Morgan | Von Seggern | Horticulture |
| Spain & France | Cortney | Wichmann | Agribusiness |
| *Spain | Amy | Douglas | Forensic Science |
| *Spain | Justine | Mileski | Environmental Studies |
| *Spain | Hannah | Settje | Animal Science |
| *Tanzania | Grace | Bullington | Fisheries and Wildlife |

*Represents non-CASNR Faculty led program

Faculty Awards and Recognitions

The following list summarizes awards presented in calendar year 2016 as reported by CASNR faculty in Activity Insight.

| Agricultural Leadership, Education, and Communication | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Lindsay Hastings | Professor of the Month | Omicron Delta Kappa |
| Lindsay Hastings | People Who Inspire Award | UNL Black Masque Chapter of Mortar Board |
| Lindsay Hastings | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Gina Matkin | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| L.J. McElravy | Holling Family Award for Teaching Excellence, Junior Faculty | College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources |
| L.J. McElravy | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Carmen Zafft | Outstanding Faculty of the Year Award | Engineering Student Advisory Board (eSAB), College of Engineering |

| Agronomy and Horticulture | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Charles Francis | National Teaching Quality Prize, Norway Agroecology | NOKUT, Norway |
| David Lambe | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Martha Mamo | John E. Weaver Professorship | University of Nebraska-Lincoln |
| Martha Mamo | Holling Family Award for Teaching Excellence, Senior Faculty | College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources |
| Walter Schacht | Certificate of Recognition for Contribution to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Kim Todd | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Dirac Twidwell Jr | Outstanding Young Range Professional Award | Society for Range Management |

| Animal Science | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Kathleen Anderson | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Dennis Brink | Certificate of Recognition for Contribution to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Lisa Karr | Holling Family Award for Teaching Excellence, Senior Faculty | College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources |
| Lisa Karr | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parent's Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Ronald Lewis | Faculty Excellence Award | AG*IDEA |
| Bryan Reiling | Mortar Board Professor of the Month | UNL Black Masque Chapter of Mortar Board |
| Bryan Reiling | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |

| Biochemistry | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Nicole Buan Murphy | McNair Mentor Award | UNL McNair Scholars Program |
| Tomas Helikar | Dinsdale Family Faculty Award | Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources |
| Melanie Simpson | Willa Cather Professorship | University of Nebraska-Lincoln |

| Biological Systems Engineering | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Gregory Bashford | Holling Family Distinguished Teaching Award, Senior Faculty | College of Engineering |
| Gregory Bashford | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Deepak Keshwani | Distinguished Teaching Award for the College of Engineering | University of Nebraska-Lincoln |
| Deepak Keshwani | Holling Master Teacher Award | UNL College of Engineering |
| Deepak Keshwani | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Jennifer Keshwani | Holling Family Award for Teaching Excellence, Junior Faculty | College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources |
| Joe Luck | CASNR Week Superior Academic Advising Award | College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources |

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| Angela Pannier | Darrell W. Nelson Excellence in Graduate Student Advising Award | College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources |
| Dennis Schulte | Holling Family Distinguished Teaching/Advising/Mentoring Award | UNL College of Engineering |

| Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Thomas Field | Certificate of Recognition for Contribution to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |

| Entomology | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Thomas Weissling | Distinguished Achievement Award in Teaching | Entomological Society of America-North Central Branch |

| Food Science and Technology | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Randy Wehling | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |

| Forensic Science | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Larry Barksdale | CASNR Week Outstanding Teaching Award | College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources |

| School of Natural Resources | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Dennis Ferraro | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Larkin Powell | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Karl Reinhard | Eve Cockburn Lifetime Achievement Award in Mentorship | Paleopathology Association |

| School of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Raul Barletta | Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students | UNL Parents Association; UNL Teaching Council |
| Michael Carlson | NACTA Teaching Award of Merit | NACTA |
| Renee McFee | National Pork Board Swine Innovation (Abstract) Award in Education | National Pork Board |
| Christina Topliff | Class of 2018 Faculty of the Year | UNL Professional Program in Veterinary Medicine |

| Statistics | | |
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| Name | Title | Organization |
| Christopher Bilder | American Statistical Association Fellow | American Statistical Association |
| Erin Blankenship | Distinguished Teaching Award | College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources |

Faculty Publications

The following list summarizes works published in calendar year 2016 as reported by CASNR faculty in Activity Insight.

| Book Chapter Authored | | |
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| Publication Citation | Faculty | Department |
| Truemper, J., E., & Bashford, R., G. (2016). Cerebral Blood Flow Measurement for Neurological Assessments: Functional Transcranial Doppler Ultrasound. In V. R. Preedy & V. B. Patel (Ed.), <i>Biomarkers in Cardiovascular Disease</i> (pp. 1077-1096). Springer Netherlands. | Gregory Bashford | Biological Systems Engineering |
| Bashford, R., G. (2016). Ultrasonic Measurement of Blood Flow Velocity and Applications for Cardiovascular Assessments. In V.R. Preedy & V.B. Patel (Ed.), <i>Biomarkers in Cardiovascular Disease</i> (pp. 1025-1055). Springer Netherlands. | Gregory Bashford | Biological Systems Engineering |
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Grants Funded

The following list highlights the teaching grants for calendar year 2016 as reported by CASNR faculty in Activity Insight.

| CASNR Faculty | Title | Sponsoring Organization | Start Year | End Year | Source | Amount |
|--|---|---|------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Kathleen Anderson, Bradley Bennett, Dennis Brink, Steve Jones, Lisa Karr, Lena Luck, and Bryan Reiling | Completion and Marketing of an Online Animal Science Minor | UNL Online Worldwide Distance Education Program Development & Capacity Building Grant | 2015 | 2016 | Internal | \$30,000 |
| Nicholas Brozovic and Cory Forbes | Water Ed Leaders for Sec Sci(WELS2) | Nebraska Coordinating Committee for Postsecondary Education | 2016 | 2017 | External | \$62,037 |
| Mark Burbach and Gina Matkin | Developing, Testing, Implementing, and Sharing a First-year College Student Retention Instrument | University of Nebraska Foundation | 2014 | 2016 | Internal | \$24,902 |
| John Carroll and Roch Gaussoin | USFS 2015 Forestry Major UCF | Department of Agriculture-FS | 2015 | 2020 | External | \$313,000 |
| Jenny Dauer, Cory Forbes, Deepak Keshwani, and Tiffany Heng-Moss | E2FEW | Department of Agriculture-NIFA | 2016 | 2020 | External | \$179,936 |
| Richard Ferguson | Precision Farming Workforce Development: Standards, Working Groups, and Experimental Learning Curricula | South Dakota State University | 2014 | 2017 | External | \$70,000 |
| Thomas Field, Myunghwa Kang and Lisa Pennisi | Ecotourism and Agritourism Development in Nebraska | University of Nebraska Rural Futures Institute | 2012 | 2016 | Internal | \$24,995 |
| Cory Forbes | Nebraska WETS | Nebraska Coordinating Committee for Postsecondary Education | 2015 | 2016 | External | \$71,140 |
| David Gosselin | InTeGrate: Teaching Geoscience | Carleton College | 2016 | 2017 | External | \$11,260 |

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| David Gosselin | EMBERS Project | Univ of Texas-El Paso | 2015 | 2017 | External | \$26,250 |
| David Gosselin | InTeGrate: Teaching Geoscience | Carleton College | 2015 | 2016 | External | \$29,513 |
| David Gosselin | EMBERS Project | Univ of Texas-El Paso | 2015 | 2016 | External | \$25,627 |
| David Gosselin | Global Climate Change Education | NASA | 2011 | 2016 | External | \$349,973 |
| Tiffany Heng-Moss | Longitudinal Evaluation of Noyce Science Teachers to Determine Sources of Effective Teaching | NSF | 2015 | 2018 | External | \$799,890 |
| Tiffany Heng-Moss | NebraskaScience | Program of Excellence | 2015 | 2020 | Internal | \$1,777,120 |
| Joshua Herr | Leveraging Cloud Computing Resources in Teaching Data Analysis of Large Microbial Ecology Data Sets | Amazon AWS Education | 2014 | 2016 | External | \$16,264 |
| Deepak Keshwani | The Nebraska Hayseed Project | University of Nebraska Rural Futures Institute | 2014 | 2016 | Internal | \$16,000 |
| Gina Matkin | Rural Community Diversity Action Project | University of Nebraska Rural Futures Institute | 2015 | 2016 | Internal | \$25,000 |
| Walter Schacht, Dirac Twidwell Jr, and David Wedin | Learning from 2012 Niobrara Fire | Nature Conservancy | 2014 | 2016 | External | \$132,050 |
| Matthew Spangler | NE Beef Industry Scholars 2016-17 | Nebraska Department of Agriculture | 2016 | 2017 | External | \$2,750 |
| Matthew Spangler | NE Beef Industry Scholars 2015-16 | Nebraska Department of Agriculture | 2015 | 2016 | External | \$2,750 |
| Karin Van Dijk, Rebecca Roston, and Tomas Helikar | Using Three Dimensions to Bridge Biochemistry Learning Gaps | UNL STEM Education Innovation and Excellence Award program | 2016 | 2017 | Internal | \$9,923 |
| Steven Waller and Tiffany Heng-Moss | UNL CUSP | Various Associations/ Foundations | 2015 | 2022 | External | \$21,841 |
| Steven Waller and Tiffany Heng-Moss | UNL CUSP | Various Associations/ Foundations | 2015 | 2022 | External | \$20,749,731 |
| Steven Waller and Tiffany Heng-Moss | UNL CUSP | Various Associations/ Foundations | 2015 | 2022 | External | \$4,255,865 |
| Steven Waller and Tiffany Heng-Moss | UNL CUSP | Various Associations/ Foundations | 2015 | 2022 | External | \$4,465,399 |
| TOTAL | | | | | | \$33,493,216 |

Teaching Faculty

FACULTY MEETING

The 2016 CASNR Annual Faculty Meeting was held on August 18 in the Great Plains Room of the Nebraska East Union. New faculty members, as well as faculty with new teaching appointments, were introduced. Gamma Sigma Delta Outstanding Undergraduate Student nominee, Elizabeth Carreiro, provided remarks on a "Student Perspective." Dean Waller presented a brief overview of CASNR accomplishments in 2015-2016.

Faculty Appointments

The following table reports CASNR Instructional FTE as of September 1, 2016.

| Faculty Member | Rank | Tch |
|---|---------------------------------|------|
| Agricultural Economics | | |
| David Aiken | Professor | 0.30 |
| Azzeddine Azzam | Professor | 0.25 |
| Kathleen Brooks | Assistant Professor | 0.60 |
| Nicholas Brozovic | Associate Professor | 0.15 |
| Tina Barrett | Lecturer/T | 0.20 |
| Simanti Banerjee | Assistant Professor | 0.30 |
| Lilyan Fulginiti | Professor | 0.25 |
| Konstantinos Giannakas | Professor | 0.25 |
| Christopher Gustafson | Assistant Professor | 0.30 |
| Bradley Lubben | Extension Assistant Professor | 0.25 |
| Danielle Mattos | Lecturer | 1.00 |
| Fabio Lanhoso Mattos | Assistant Professor | 0.50 |
| Greg McKee | Professor | 0.25 |
| Timothy Meyer | Associate Professor of Practice | 0.80 |
| Taro Mieno | Assistant Professor | 0.30 |
| Lia Nogueira-Rodriguez | Assistant Professor | 0.45 |
| Jay Parsons | Associate Professor | 0.25 |
| Richard Perrin | Professor | 0.25 |
| E. Wesley Peterson | Professor | 0.35 |
| Jeff Peterson | Lecturer/T | 0.50 |
| Jeffrey Royer | Professor | 0.25 |
| Karina Schoengold | Associate Professor | 0.25 |
| Rosalee Swartz | Advising Coordinator/Instructor | 1.00 |
| Amalia Yiannaka | Professor | 0.50 |
| Agricultural Leadership, Education and Communication | | |
| Mark Balschweid | Head and Professor | 0.15 |
| Lloyd Bell | Professor | 1.00 |

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| Susan Burton | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Karen Cannon | Assistant Professor | 0.75 |
| Nathan Conner | Assistant Professor | 0.75 |
| Michael Farrell | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.75 |
| Michael Forsberg | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.50 |
| Mary Garbacz | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.55 |
| Lindsay Hastings | Assistant Professor | 0.25 |
| Myunghwa Kang | Associate Professor | 0.50 |
| Eric Knoll | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Matthew Kreifels | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Jamie Loizzo | Assistant Professor | 0.75 |
| Gina Matkin | Associate Professor | 0.38 |
| L. J. McElravy | Assistant Professor | 0.75 |
| Brooke Talbot | Recruitment Coordinator | 0.50 |
| Roger Terry | Professor | 1.00 |
| Matthew Waite | Professor of Practice | 0.30 |
| Carmen Zafft | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Agronomy and Horticulture | | |
| Stacy Adams | Associate Professor of Practice | 0.50 |
| Keenan Amundsen | Assistant Professor | 0.30 |
| Timothy Arkebauer | Professor | 0.15 |
| Stephen Baenziger | Professor | 0.25 |
| Gilles Basset | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Humberto Blanco | Associate Professor | 0.40 |
| Thomas Clemente | Professor | 0.10 |
| Rhae Drijber | Professor | 0.25 |
| Ismail Dweikat | Professor | 0.20 |
| Richard Ferguson | Professor | 0.10 |
| Charles Francis | Professor | 0.57 |
| George Graef | Professor | 0.15 |
| John Guretzky | Associate Professor | 0.40 |
| David Holding | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| David Hyten | Associate Professor | 0.15 |
| Timothy Kettler | Associate Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Mark Lagrimini | Professor | 0.30 |
| David Lambe | Associate Professor of Practice | 0.80 |
| Donald Lee | Professor | 0.75 |
| John Lindquist | Professor | 0.20 |
| Sally Mackenzie | Professor | 0.10 |
| Martha Mamo | Professor | 0.75 |
| Stephen Mason | Professor | 0.50 |
| Dennis McCallister | Professor | 0.75 |
| Jeffrey Mower | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Ellen Paparozzi | Professor | 0.50 |
| Paul Read | Professor | 0.35 |
| Leah Sandall | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |

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| Walter Schacht | Professor | 0.40 |
| Daniel Schachtman | Professor | 0.15 |
| James Schnable | Assistant Professor | 0.30 |
| Brandi Sigmon | Research Assistant Professor | 0.25 |
| Meghan Sindelar | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Paul Staswick | Professor | 0.15 |
| Anne Streich | Associate Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Richard Sutton | Professor | 0.82 |
| Cole Thompson | Assistant Professor | 0.25 |
| Kim Todd | Associate Professor | 0.75 |
| Dirac Twidwell Jr. | Assistant Professor | 0.50 |
| Harkamal Walia | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Brian Waters | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Sam Wortman | Assistant Professor | 0.75 |
| Haishun Yang | Associate Professor | 0.15 |
| Animal Science | | |
| Kathleen Anderson | Professor | 0.50 |
| Bradley Bennett | Assistant Extension Educator | 0.50 |
| Dennis Brink | Professor | 1.00 |
| Thomas Burkey ¹ | Associate Professor | 0.40 |
| Dennis Burson | Professor | 0.15 |
| Chris Calkins | Professor | 0.15 |
| Daniel Ciobanu | Associate Professor | 0.25 |
| Andrea Cupp | Professor | 0.30 |
| Galen Erickson | Professor | 0.10 |
| Samodha Fernando | Assistant Professor | 0.30 |
| Deborah Hamernik | Professor | 0.20 |
| Lori Jaixen | Lecturer | 0.70 |
| Steven Jones | Professor | 0.65 |
| Lisa Karr | Associate Professor | 0.50 |
| Ronald Lewis | Professor | 0.40 |
| Lena Luck | Assistant Professor | 0.25 |
| James MacDonald | Associate Professor | 0.40 |
| Phillip Miller | Professor | 0.40 |
| Gota Morota | Assistant Professor | 0.30 |
| Jessica Petersen | Assistant Professor | 0.30 |
| Sheila Purdum | Professor | 0.05 |
| Allison Raymond | Coordinator/Admissions | 1.00 |
| Bryan Reiling | Associate Professor | 0.70 |
| Ty Schmidt | Assistant Professor | 0.60 |
| Matthew Spangler | Associate Professor | 0.10 |
| Gary Sullivan | Assistant Professor | 0.40 |
| Brett White | Associate Professor | 0.50 |
| Jennifer Wood ¹ | Associate Professor | 0.40 |

¹ Teaching apportionment contributes to the Professional Program in Veterinary Medicine (PPVM).

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| Dustin Yates | Assistant Professor | 0.50 |
| Biochemistry | | |
| Jiri Adamec | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Joseph Barycki | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Donald Becker | Professor | 0.20 |
| Paul Black | Chair and Professor | 0.06 |
| Nicole Buan-Murphy | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Edgar Cahoon | Professor | 0.10 |
| Concetta DiRusso | Professor | 0.25 |
| Edward Harris | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Benjamin Heinisch | Academic Advisor Biochemistry | 0.25 |
| Tomas Helikar | Assistant Professor | 0.30 |
| Oleh Khalimonchuk | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| Jaekwon Lee | Professor | 0.20 |
| Jonathan Markham | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| John Markwell | Professor | 0.50 |
| Seung-Hyun Ro | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| Rebecca Roston | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| Erin Sayer | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Melanie Simpson | Professor | 0.20 |
| Madhavan Soundararajan | Professor of Practice | 0.70 |
| Julie Stone | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Xinghui Sun | Assistant Professor | 0.25 |
| Karin Van Dijk | Associate Professor | 0.80 |
| Mark Wilson | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Jing Zhang | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Limei Zhang | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| Biological Systems Engineering | | |
| Gregory Bashford | Professor | 0.50 |
| Evan Curtis | Student Services Coordinator/Academic Advisor | 1.00 |
| Tom Franti | Associate Professor | 0.15 |
| Yufeng Ge | Assistant Professor | 0.25 |
| F. John Hay | Associate Extension Educator | 0.10 |
| Derek Heeren | Assistant Professor | 0.40 |
| Roger Hoy | Professor | 0.15 |
| Nicole Iverson | Assistant Professor | 0.45 |
| Deepak Keshwani | Associate Professor | 0.60 |
| Jennifer Keshwani | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| Forrest Kievit | Assistant Professor | 0.40 |
| Michael Kocher | Associate Professor | 0.60 |
| Adam Liska | Associate Professor | 0.40 |
| Joe Luck | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| David Mabie | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Derrel Martin | Professor | 0.15 |
| George Meyer | Professor | 0.40 |
| Aaron Mittelstet | Assistant Professor | 0.40 |

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| Francisco Munoz-Arriola | Assistant Professor | 0.40 |
| Angela Pannier | Associate Professor | 0.40 |
| Santosh Pitla | Assistant Professor | 0.60 |
| Richard Stowell | Associate Professor | 0.25 |
| Jeyamkondan Subbiah | Professor | 0.20 |
| Mark Wilkins | Professor | 0.25 |
| Jeffrey Woldstad | Professor | 0.60 |
| Wayne Woldt | Associate Professor | 0.15 |
| Center for Grassland Studies | | |
| Bradley Goetsch | PGA Instruction Coordinator | 1.00 |
| Scott Holly | PGA Program Coordinator | 1.00 |
| Dann Husmann | Director of PGA Golf Management and Professor | 0.75 |
| Martin Massengale | Director of Center for Grassland Studies and Professor | 0.11 |
| Pamela Murray | Administrative Coordinator | 0.10 |
| Doctor of Plant Health | | |
| Gary Hein | Director and Professor | 0.70 |
| Engler Program | | |
| Thomas Field | Director and Professor | 1.00 |
| Entomology | | |
| Troy Anderson | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Erin Bauer | Lecturer | 1.00 |
| Stephen Danielson | Associate Professor | 1.00 |
| Douglas Golick | Assistant Professor | 0.80 |
| Joe Louis | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| Lance Meinke | Professor | 0.20 |
| Brett Ratcliffe | Professor | 0.10 |
| Lisa Silberman | Academic Advisor/ Recruitment | 0.25 |
| Ana Maria Velez | Assistant Professor | 1.00 |
| Thomas Weissling | Associate Professor | 0.75 |
| Food Science and Technology | | |
| Joseph Baumert | Associate Professor | 0.10 |
| Andrew Benson | Professor | 0.40 |
| Andreia Bianchini Huebner | Associate Professor | 0.40 |
| Ozan Ciftci | Assistant Professor | 0.40 |
| Jiajia Chen | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.85 |
| Jennifer Clarke | Associate Professor | 0.10 |
| Melanie Downs | Assistant Professor | 0.07 |
| Curt Weller | Interim and Professor | 0.10 |
| Heather Hallen-Adams | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.85 |
| Robert Hutkins | Professor | 0.35 |
| Jacques Izard | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Philip Johnson | Assistant Professor | 0.10 |
| Amanda Ramer-Tait | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| Devin Rose | Associate Professor | 0.40 |
| Vicki Schlegel | Associate Professor | 0.10 |
| Jayne Stratton | Research Associate Professor | 0.21 |

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| Stephen Taylor | Professor | 0.08 |
| Bing Wang | Assistant Professor | 0.10 |
| Randy Wehling | Professor | 0.74 |
| Jason Zhang | Research Assistant Professor | 0.15 |
| Yue Zhang | Assistant Professor | 0.50 |
| Forensic Science | | |
| Michael Adamowicz | Director/ Associate Professor | 0.55 |
| Larry Barksdale | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Benjamin Heinisch | Academic Advisor Forensic Science | 0.75 |
| Jeri Myers | Lecturer/T | 0.25 |
| Karl Reinhard | Listed under School of Natural Resources | |
| Plant Pathology | | |
| Gerard Adams | Associate Professor of Practice | 0.27 |
| James Alfano | Director of Microbiology and Professor | 0.12 |
| Sydney Everhart | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| Steven Harris | Professor | 0.25 |
| Joshua Herr | Assistant Professor | 0.20 |
| Amitava Mitra | Associate Professor | 0.10 |
| Thomas Powers | Professor | 0.10 |
| Hernan Garcia Ruiz | Assistant Professor | 0.10 |
| James Steadman | Head and Professor | 0.04 |
| Richard Wilson | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Gary Yuen | Professor | 0.30 |
| Lirong Zeng | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Tamera Jackson Ziems | Associate Professor | 0.10 |
| School of Natural Resources | | |
| Tala Awada | Professor | 0.25 |
| Guillermo Baigorria | Assistant Professor | 0.15 |
| Mark Burbach | Environmental Scientist/Geoscientist | 0.45 |
| Christopher Chizinski | Assistant Professor | 0.50 |
| Steven Comfort | Professor | 0.10 |
| Jenny Dauer | Assistant Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Joseph Dauer | Assistant Professor | 1.00 |
| Dennis Ferraro | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.70 |
| Cory Forbes | Associate Professor | 0.75 |
| Trenton Franz | Assistant Professor | 0.15 |
| John Gamon | Professor | 0.30 |
| David Gosselin | Director of Environmental Studies and Professor | 0.70 |
| Christine Haney | Lecturer and Academic Advisor Environmental Studies | 1.00 |
| Paul Hanson | Associate Professor and Associate Director | 0.25 |
| Michael Hayes | Professor | 0.07 |
| Leon Higley | Professor | 0.20 |
| Ayse Kilic | Associate Professor | 0.15 |
| Mark Pegg | Professor | 0.50 |
| Lisa Pennisi | Associate Professor of Practice | 0.75 |
| Jamillynn Poletto | Assistant Professor | 0.50 |

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| Larkin Powell | Professor | 0.60 |
| Karl Reinhard | Professor | 0.30 |
| Patrick Shea | Professor | 0.10 |
| Martha Shulski | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Andrew Suyker | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Steven Thomas | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Richard Tyre | Professor | 0.40 |
| Elizabeth Walter-Shea | Professor | 0.35 |
| Elizabeth VanWormer | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.51 |
| Brian Wardlow | Associate Professor | 0.40 |
| Elyse Watson | Student Services | 1.00 |
| David Wedin | Professor | 0.40 |
| Sara Winn | Advising Coordinator | 0.46 |
| School of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences | | |
| Raul Barletta | Professor | 0.10 |
| Bruce Brodersen | Associate Professor | 0.25 |
| Michael Carlson | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.85 |
| Manuel Cortinas ² | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.75 |
| Gustavo Delhon ² | BSL3 Core Facility Director | 0.15 |
| Rodrigo Franco Cruz | Associate Professor | 0.10 |
| Todd Georgi | Lecturer | 0.25 |
| Dicky Griffin | Professor | 0.50 |
| David Hardin | Professor | 0.40 |
| Douglas Hostetler ² | Associate Professor | 1.00 |
| Bradley Jones ² | Assistant Professor of Practice | 0.50 |
| John Kammermann ² | Associate Professor | 1.00 |
| James Keen | Associate Professor | 0.20 |
| Clayton Kelling | Professor | 0.25 |
| John Loy | Assistant Professor | 0.25 |
| Renee McFee ² | Assistant Professor | 1.00 |
| Rodney Moxley ² | Professor | 0.25 |
| Jeff Ondrak | Assistant Professor | 0.50 |
| Fernado Osorio | Professor | 0.15 |
| Asit Pattnaik | Professor | 0.20 |
| Gary Pickard ² | Professor | 0.25 |
| Richard Randle ² | Professor | 0.20 |
| N. R. Jayagopala Reddy ² | Professor | 0.25 |
| Patricia Sollars ² | Associate Professor | 0.25 |
| Greg Somerville | Associate Professor | 0.10 |
| David Steffen | Professor | 0.10 |
| Lila Tooker | Advisor | 1.00 |
| Christina Topliff | Research Associate Professor | 0.25 |
| Shi-Hua Xiang | Assistant Professor | 0.10 |

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| Statistics (Joint with the College of Arts and Sciences) | | |
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| Christopher Bilder | Professor | 0.20 |
| Erin Blankenship | Professor | 0.45 |
| Kent Eskridge | Professor | 0.35 |
| Kathyrn Hanford | Associate Professor of Practice | 1.00 |
| Reka Howard | Assistant Professor | 0.40 |
| Stephen Kachman | Professor | 0.50 |
| Istvan Ladunga | Professor | 0.15 |
| Yumou Qiu | Assistant Professor | 0.15 |
| Walter Stroup | Professor | 0.50 |
| Yuhang Xu | Assistant Professor | 0.40 |
| Qi Zhang | Assistant Professor | 0.40 |
| Yuzhen Zhou | Assistant Professor | 0.50 |

Undergraduate Student Enrollment

The following table reports enrollment in each CASNR degree program for the Fall 2016 semester.

FALL ENROLLMENT (2016 to 2015 Comparisons)

| Degree Program | 2016 Females | 2016 Males | 2016 Total | 2015 Total | Change from 2015 | % Change |
|---|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------------|-------------|
| Agribusiness | 66 | 175 | 241 | 246 | -5 | -2% |
| Agricultural Economics | 23 | 109 | 132 | 123 | 9 | 7.3% |
| Agricultural Education | 80 | 23 | 103 | 93 | 10 | 10.8% |
| Agricultural & Environmental Sciences Comm. | 27 | 5 | 32 | 28 | 4 | 14.3% |
| Agronomy | 24 | 167 | 191 | 212 | -21 | -9.9% |
| Animal Science | 237 | 101 | 338 | 351 | -13 | -3.7% |
| Applied Climate Science | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | - |
| Applied Science | 16 | 55 | 71 | 69 | 2 | 2.9% |
| Biochemistry | 52 | 45 | 97 | 81 | 16 | 19.8% |
| Environmental Restoration Science | 8 | 7 | 15 | 18 | -3 | -16.7% |
| Environmental Studies | 34 | 34 | 68 | 59 | 9 | 15.3% |
| Fisheries and Wildlife | 92 | 99 | 191 | 170 | 21 | 12.4% |
| *Food Science and Technology | 49 | 21 | 70 | 75 | -5 | -6.7% |
| Food Technology for Companion Animals | 1 | 2 | 3 | 6 | -3 | -50 |
| Forensic Science | 93 | 36 | 129 | 123 | 6 | 4.9% |
| Grassland Ecology and Management | 1 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 25% |
| Grazing Livestock Systems | 4 | 9 | 13 | 11 | 2 | 18.2% |
| *Horticulture | 23(+1) | 29(+1) | 52 (+2) | 62 (+3) | -11 | -16.9% |
| Hospitality, Restaurant & Tourism Management | 30 | 6 | 36 | 38 | -2 | -5.3% |
| Insect Science | 10 | 6 | 16 | 19 | -3 | -15.8% |
| Integrated Science | 26 | 30 | 56 | 7 | 49 | 700% |
| Mechanized Systems Management | 3 | 100 | 103 | 100 | 3 | 3% |
| Microbiology | 20 | 18 | 38 | 26 | 12 | 46.2% |
| Natural Resource & Environmental Economics | 7 | 8 | 15 | 17 | -2 | -11.8% |
| Plant Biology | 5 | 12 | 17 | 17 | 0 | NC |
| PGA Golf Management | 4 | 86 | 90 | 101 | -11 | 10.9% |
| *Turfgrass and Landscape Management | 2 | 29 | 31 | 33 (+1) | -3 | -8.8% |
| Veterinary Science | 51 | 10 | 61 | 56 | 5 | 8.9% |
| Veterinary Technology | 4 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 100% |
| Water Science | 4 | 13 | 17 | 16 | 1 | 6.25% |
| Non-Degree Programs | | | | | | |
| **Exploratory Studies | (1+0) | (4+1) | 6 | 3(+6+3) | -6 | -50% |
| Pre-Veterinary Medicine | 75 | 13 | 88 | 86 | 2 | 2.3% |
| Certificate | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 300% |
| TOTALS | 1080 | 1260 | 2340 | 2267 | 73 | 3.2% |

* (UNO)

** Includes Pre-Agricultural Sciences (UNO) and Pre-Natural Sciences (UNO)

Graduate Student Enrollment

Graduate student data represents students enrolled on the sixth-day census (Fall 2016).

| Major/Unit | 2016 | | | | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 | 2012 |
|---|------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | M.S. | Ph.D. | Cert. | Total | Total | Total | Total | Total |
| Agricultural Economics | 16 | 18 | - | 34 | 26 | 26 | 27 | 24 |
| Agricultural Education | 9 | 0 | - | 9 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 14 |
| Agricultural and Biological Systems Engineering | 24 | 0 | - | 24 | 26 | 30 | 24 | 18 |
| Advanced Horticulture | - | - | 4 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| Agronomy | 76 | 0 | - | 76 | 70 | 65 | 55 | 97 |
| Agronomy and Horticulture | 0 | 81 | - | 81 | 70 | 64 | 61 | |
| Animal Science | 49 | 29 | - | 78 | 69 | 57 | 56 | 60 |
| Biochemistry | 0 | 32 | - | 32 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 30 |
| Biological Engineering | 0 | 16 | - | 16 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 0 |
| Entomology | 59 | 15 | - | 74 | 80 | 93 | 87 | 85 |
| Floriculture & Nursery Production Management | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Food Safety and Defense | - | - | 3 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 0 |
| Food Science and Technology | 22 | 46 | - | 68 | 69 | 56 | 62 | 54 |
| Grassland Management | - | - | 6 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Horticulture | 4 | 0 | - | 4 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 8 |
| Integrative Biomedical Science | 0 | 13 | - | 13 | 15 | 12 | 10 | 11 |
| Master of Applied Science | 45 | 0 | - | 45 | 47 | 40 | 40 | 31 |
| Mechanized Systems Management | 3 | 0 | - | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| School of Natural Resources | 44 | 38 | 0 | 82 | 81 | 88 | 86 | 94 |
| Statistics | 8 | 30 | | 38 | 43 | 46 | 61 | 67 |
| Veterinary Science | 1 | 0 | - | 1 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| TOTALS | 360 | 318 | 14 | 692 | 661 | 644 | 641 | 598 |

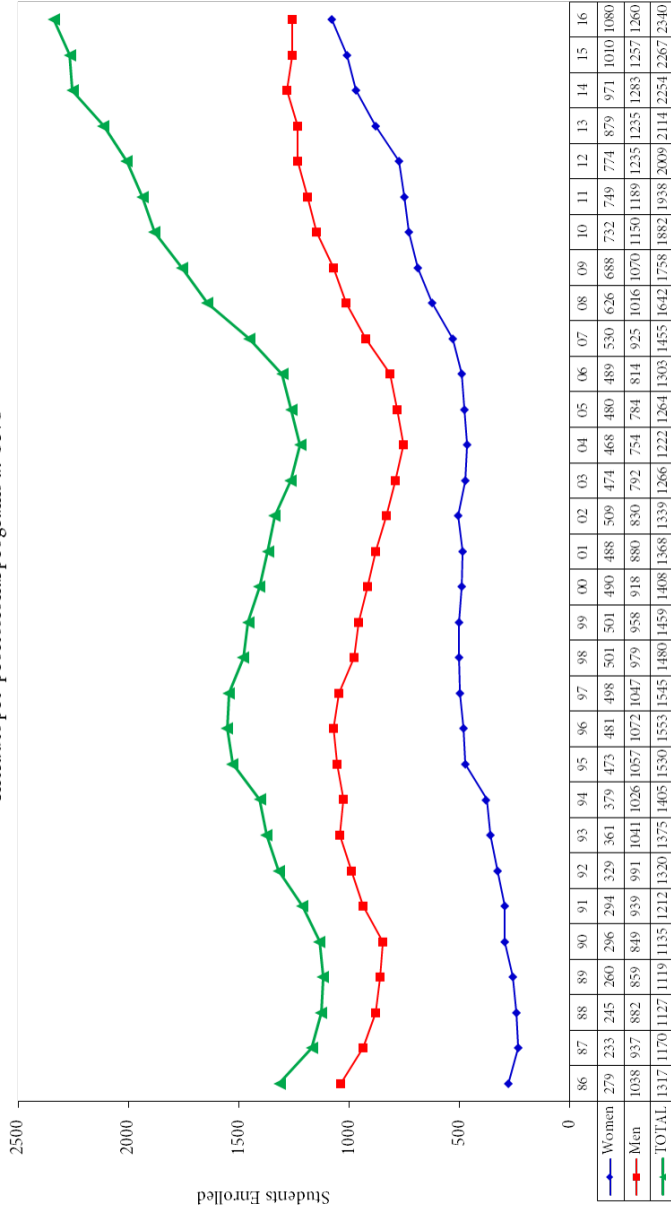
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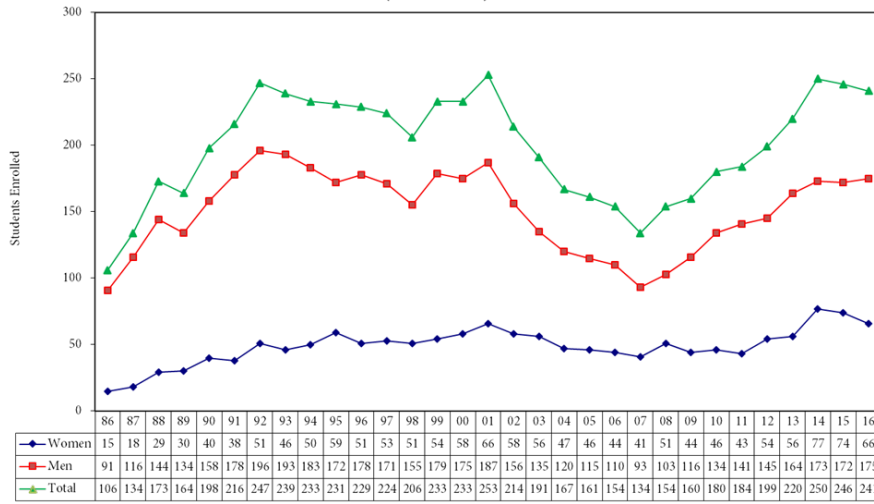
| Major/Unit | 2016 | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Doctor of Plant Health | 7 | 8 | 10 | 15 |
| Doctor of Veterinary Medicine | 50 | 52 | 51 | 49 |
| TOTALS | 57 | 60 | 61 | 64 |

CASNR Enrollment

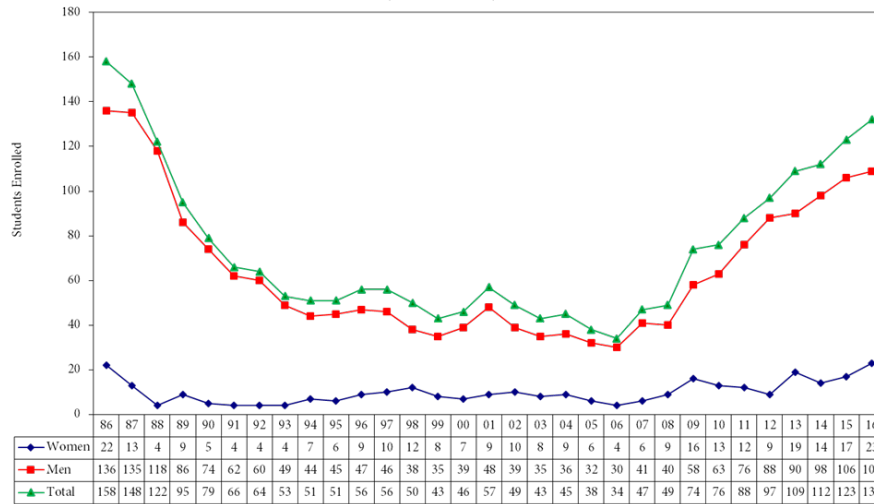
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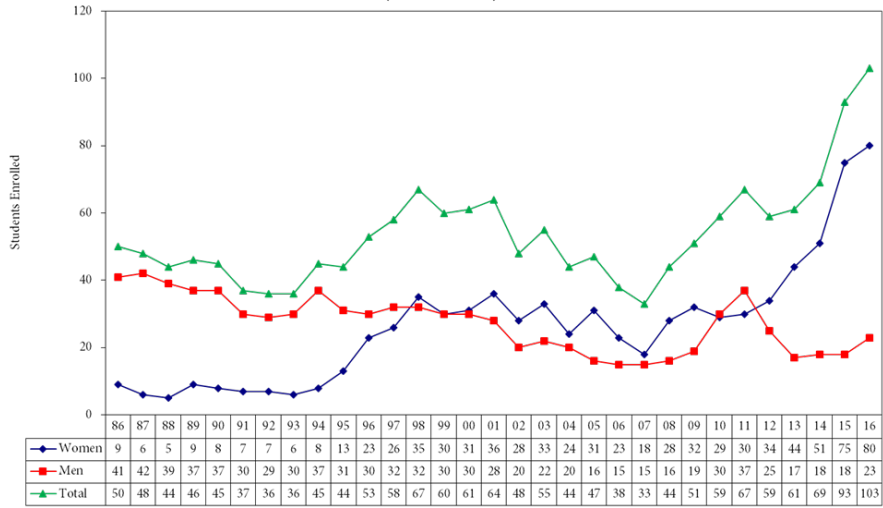
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Agricultural Economics (AECN)

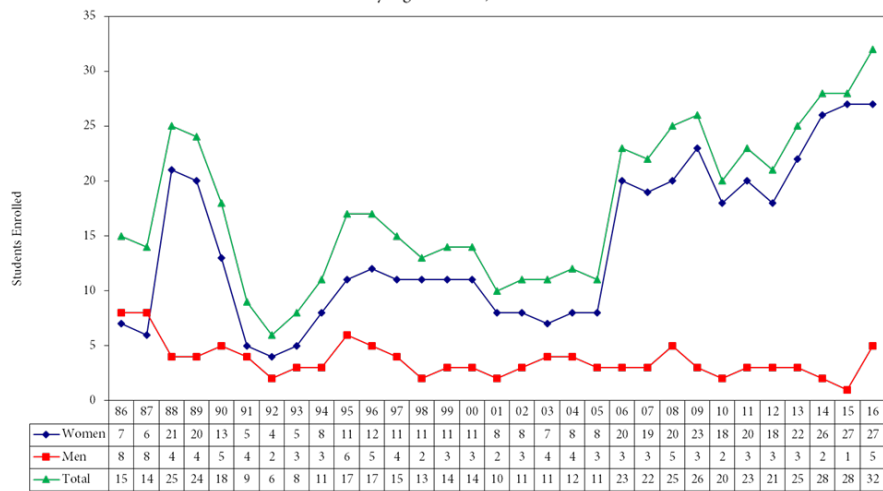


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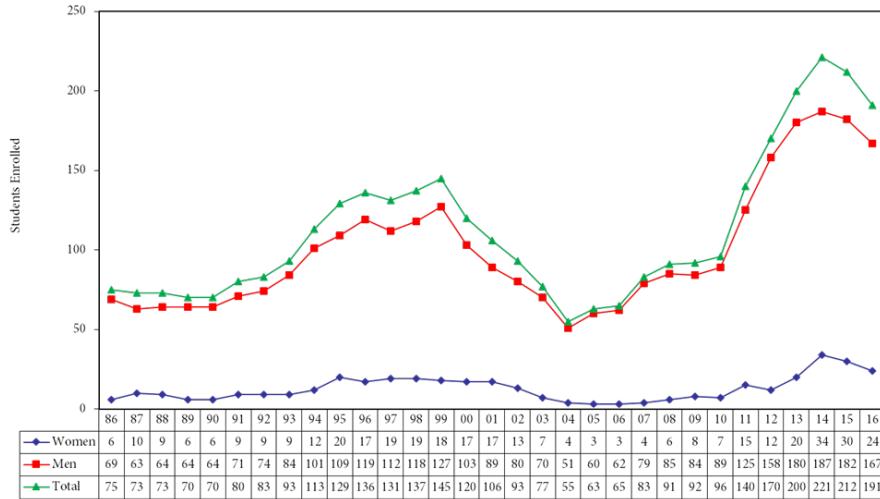


Agricultural and Environmental Sciences Communication (AESC)

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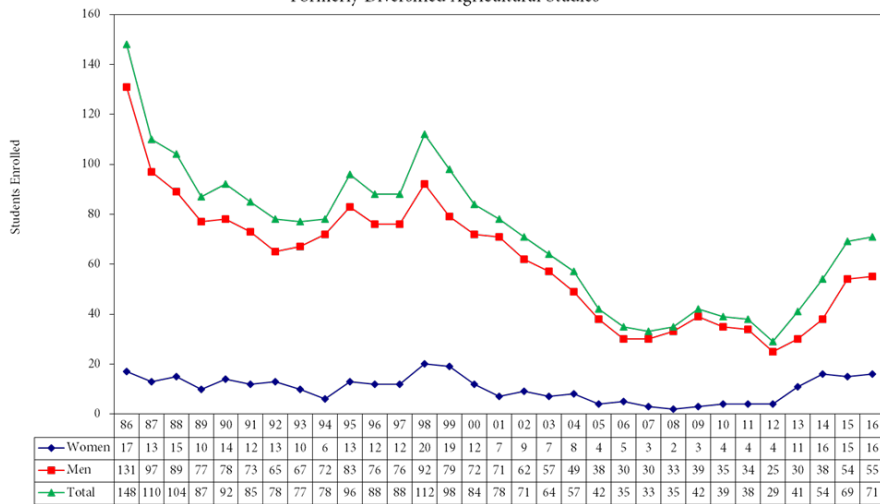


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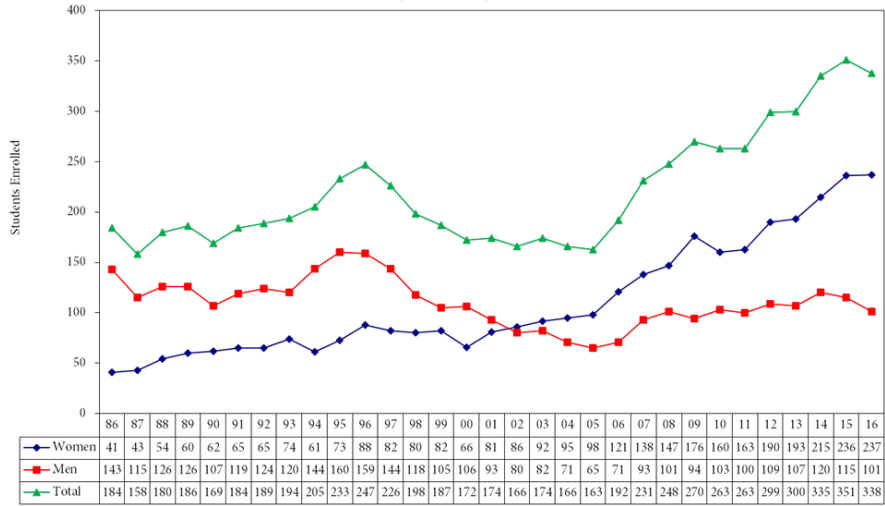


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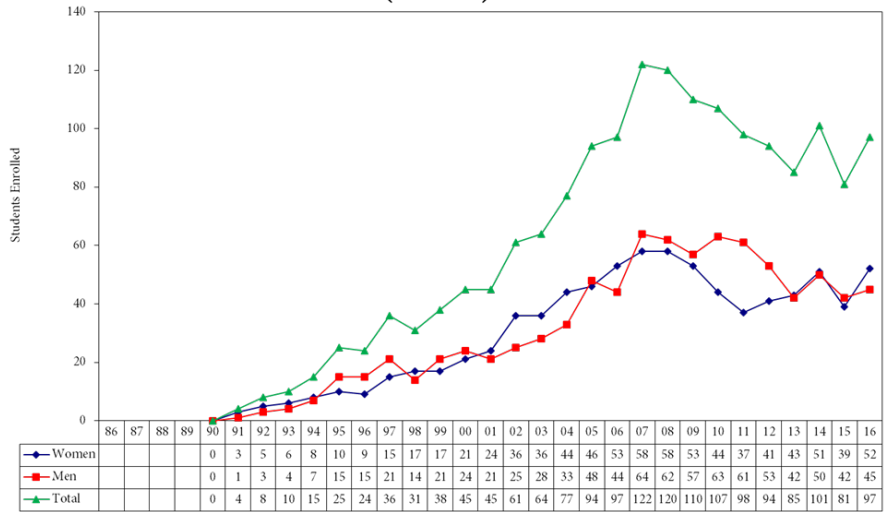
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Animal Science (ASCI)

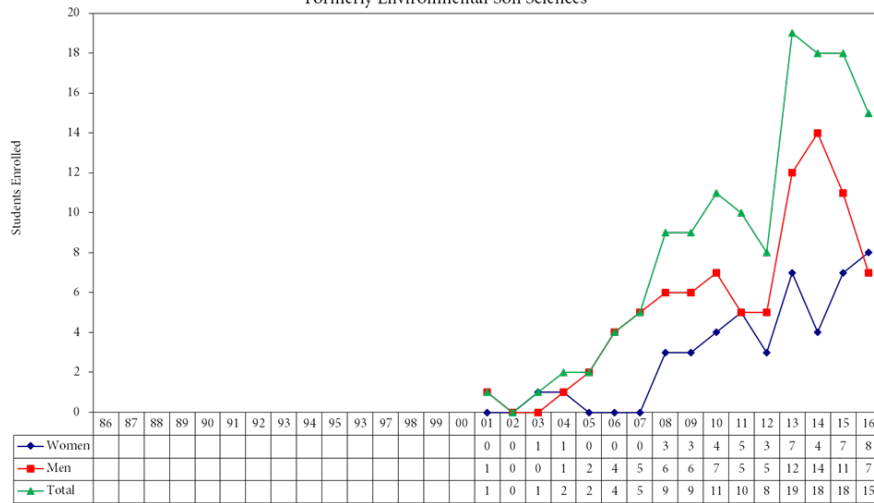


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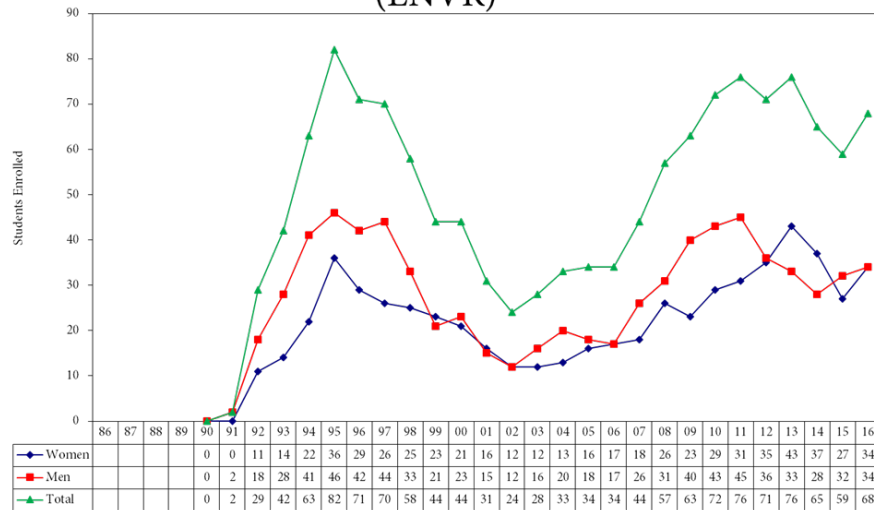


Environmental Restoration Science (ENRS)

Formerly Environmental Soil Sciences



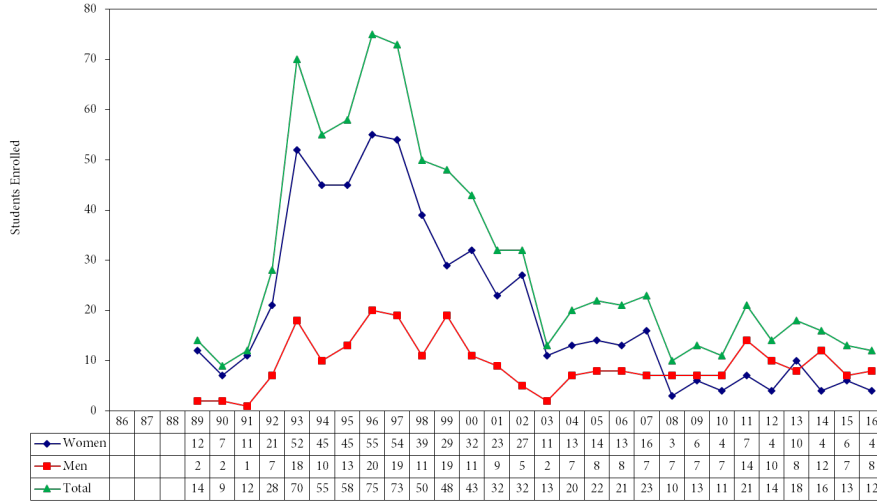
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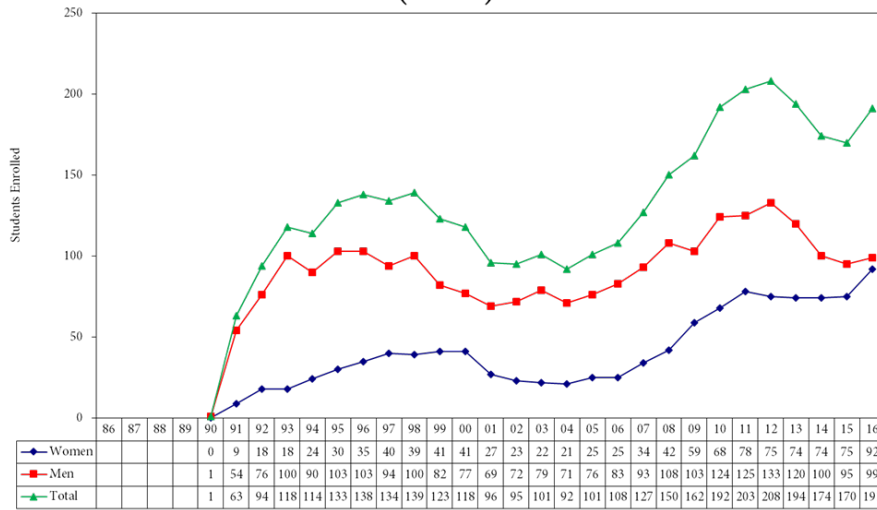
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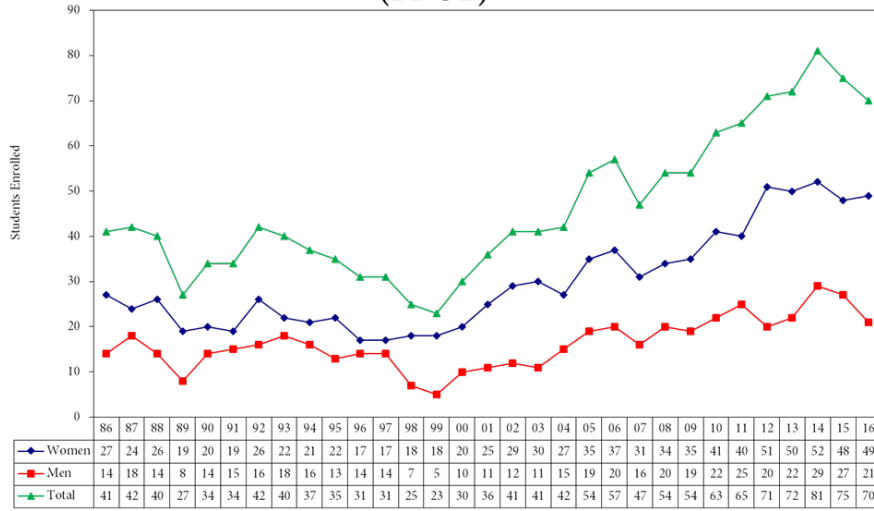


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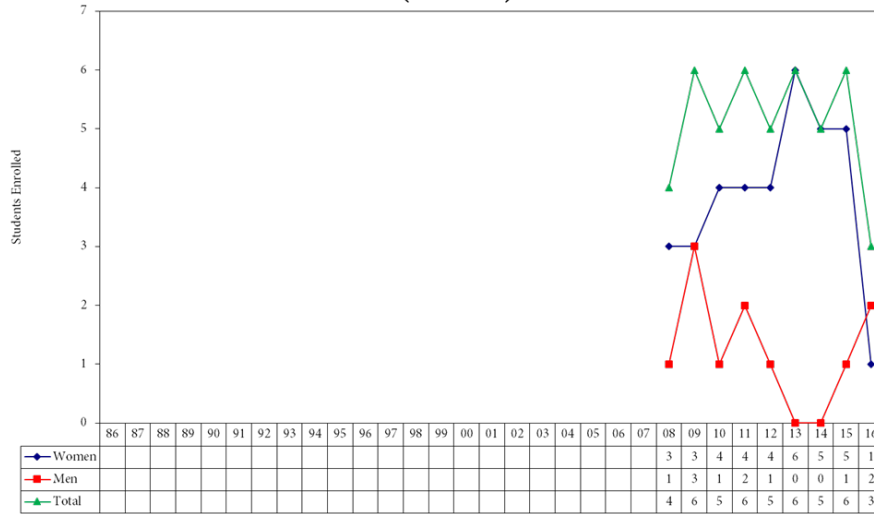
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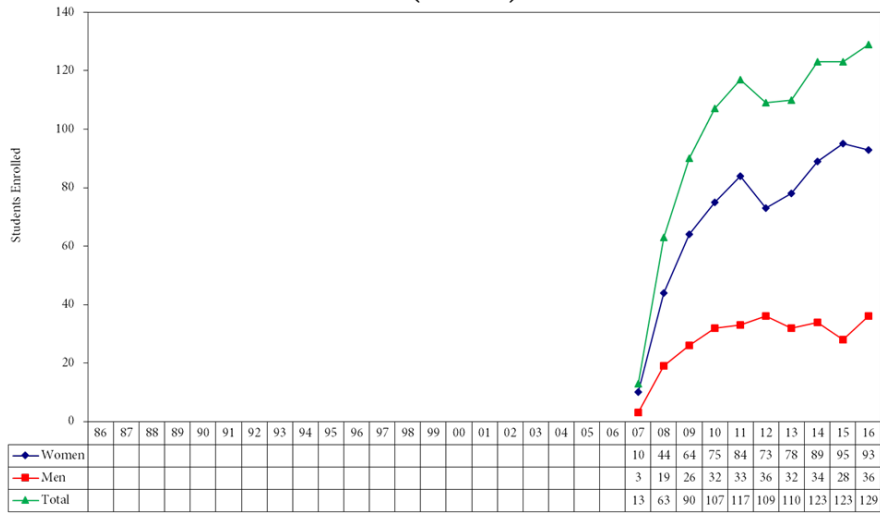
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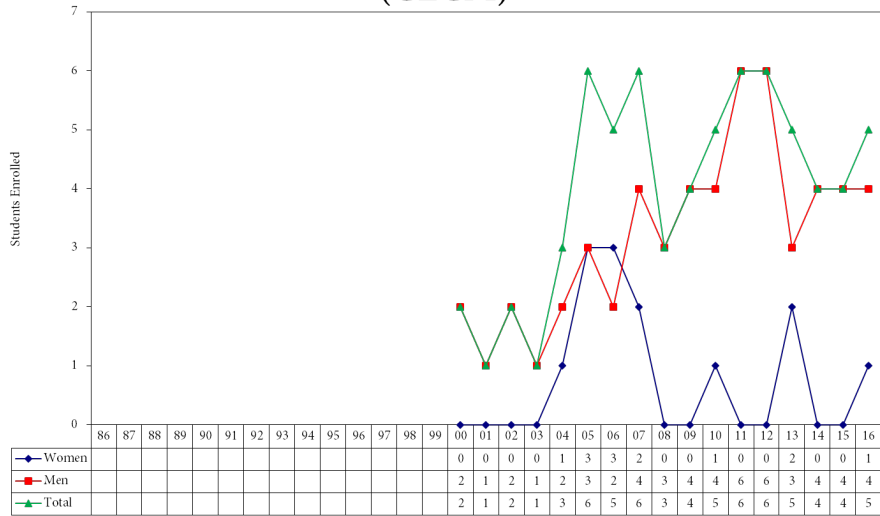
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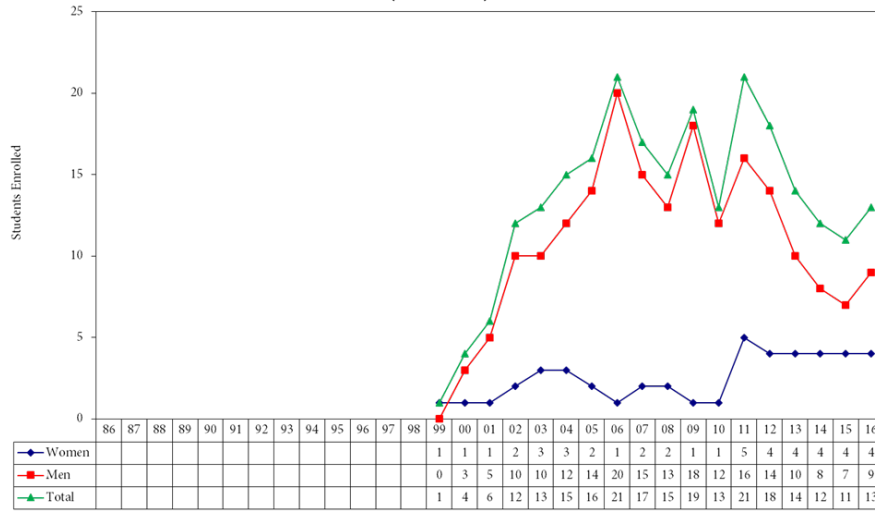
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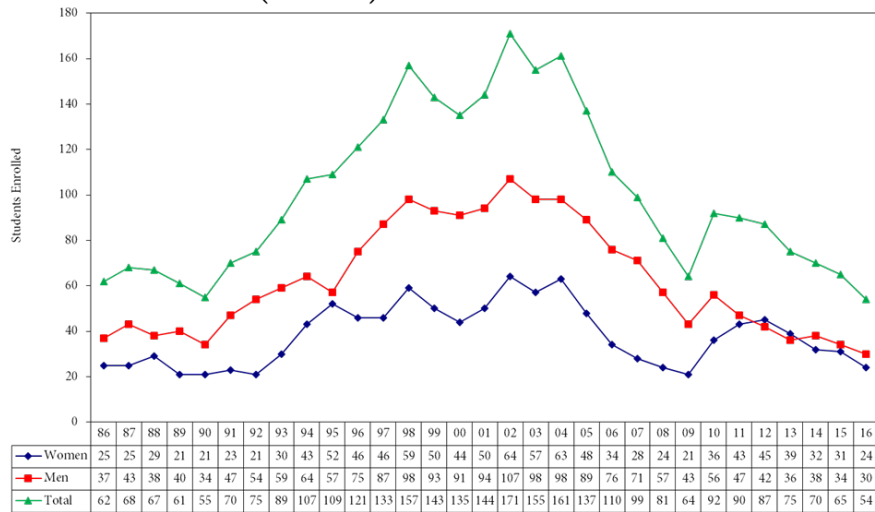
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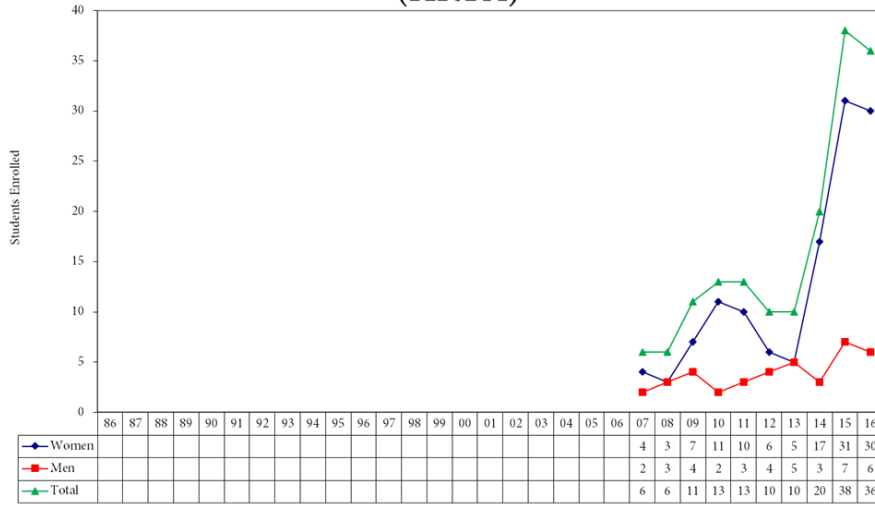
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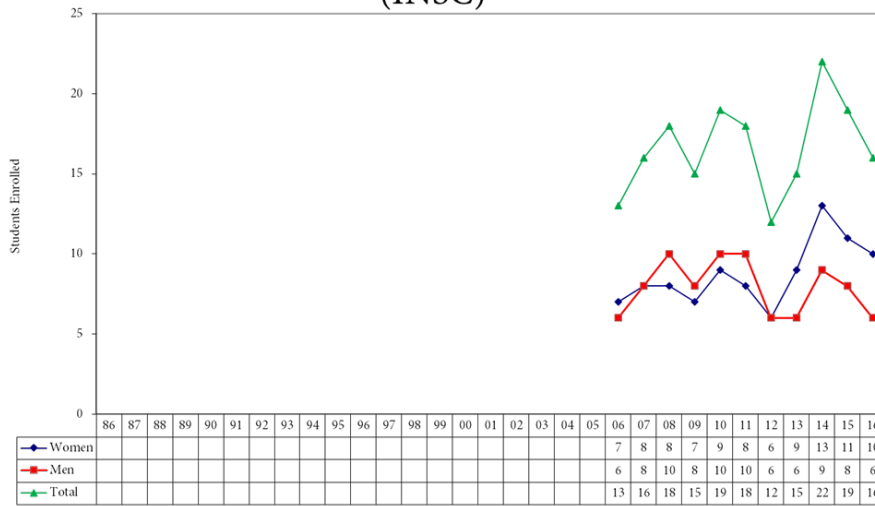
Horticulture (HORT) includes UNO



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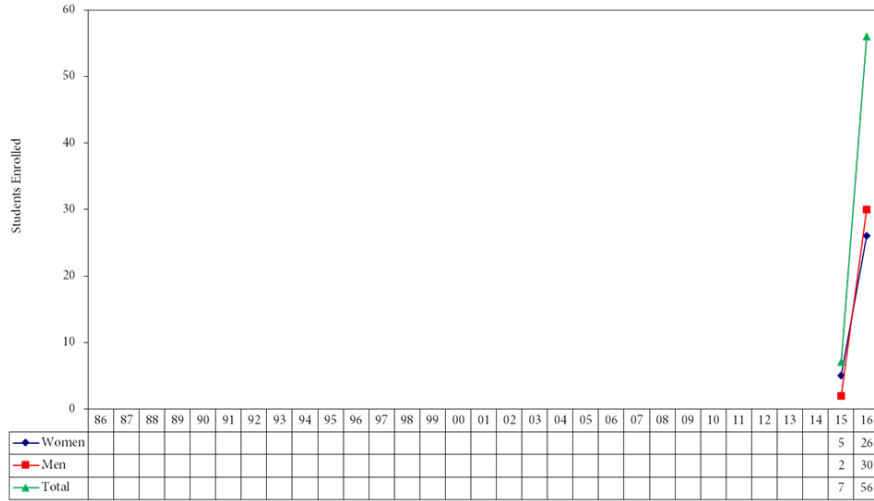


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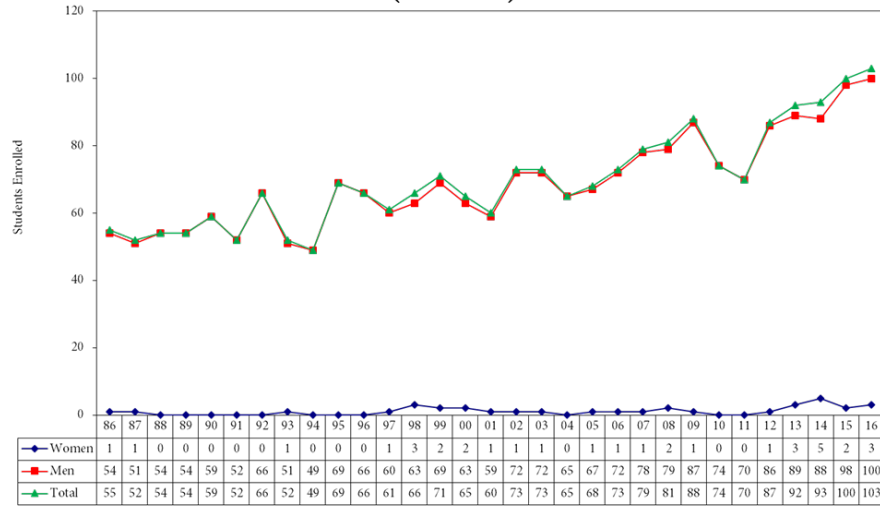


Integrated Science

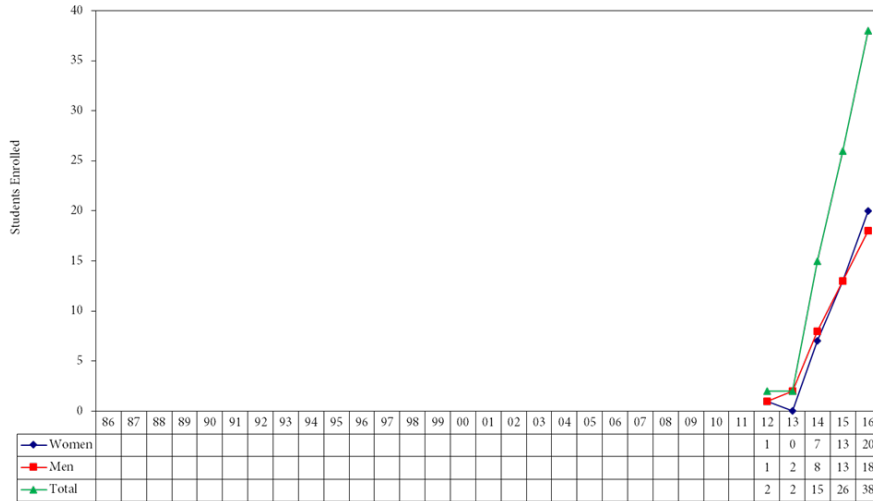
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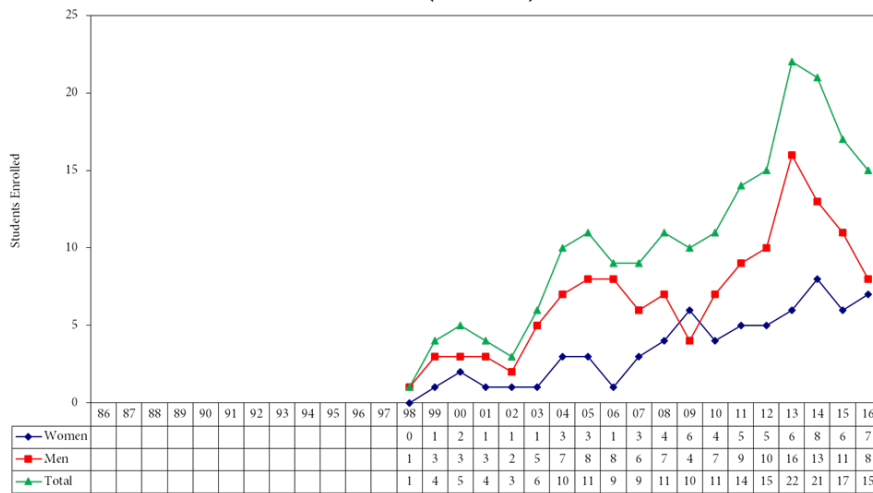
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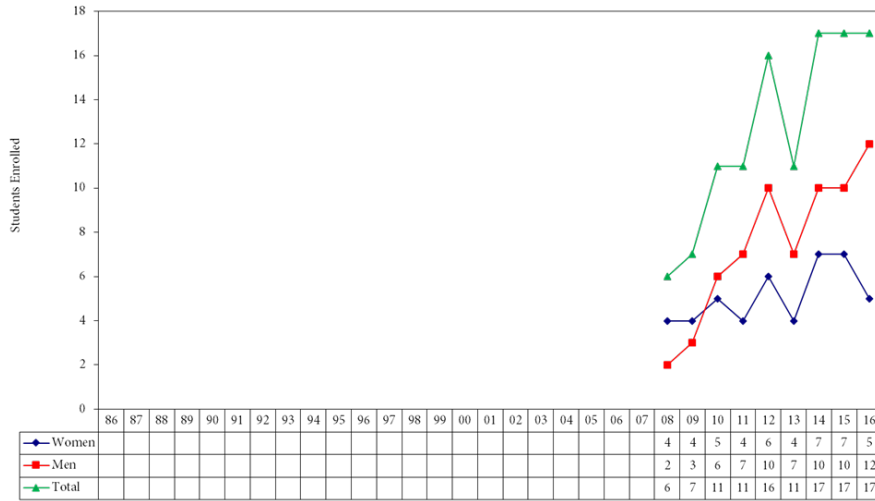
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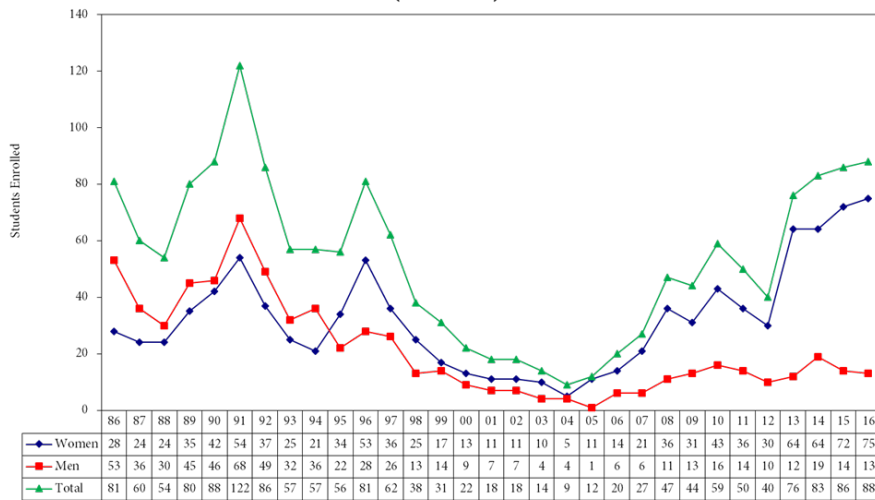
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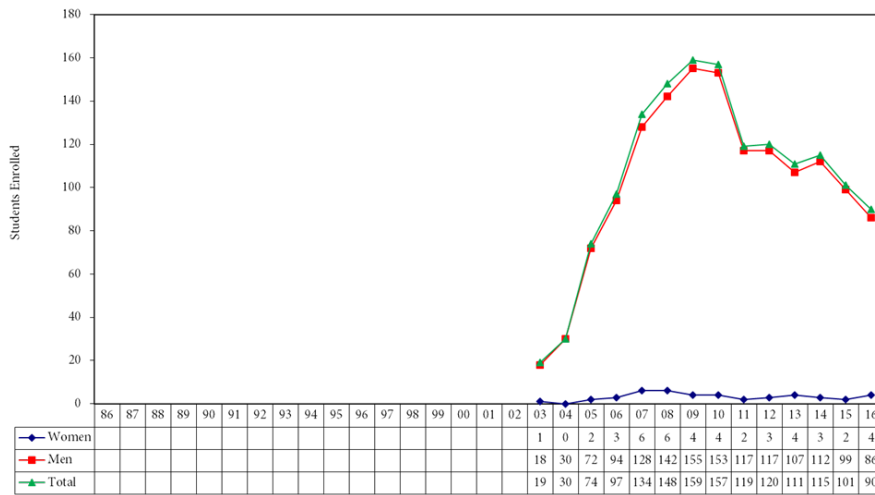
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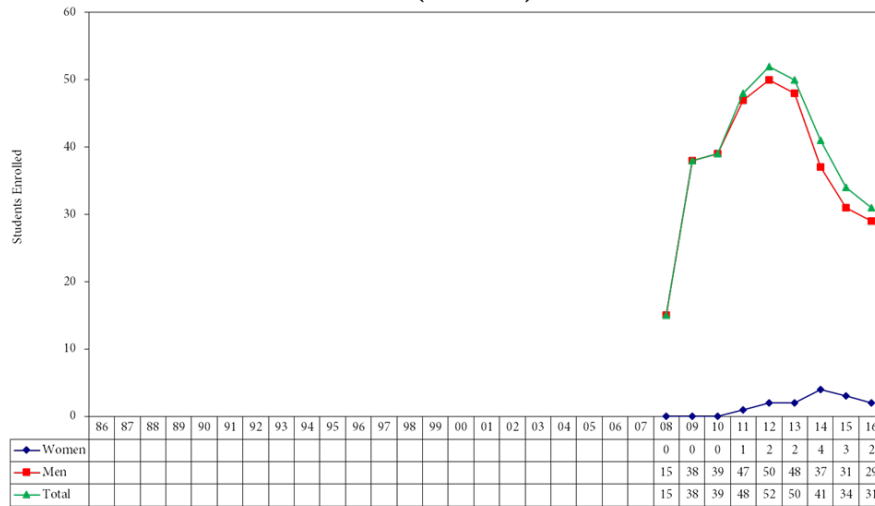
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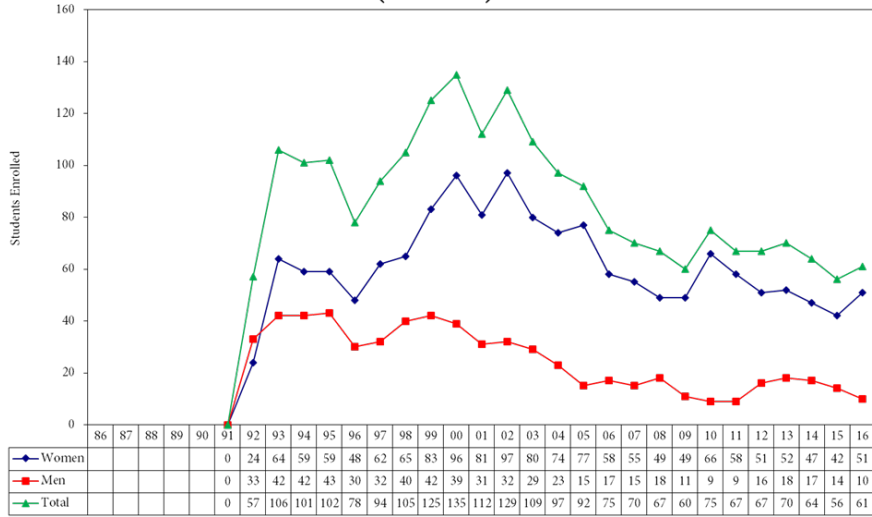
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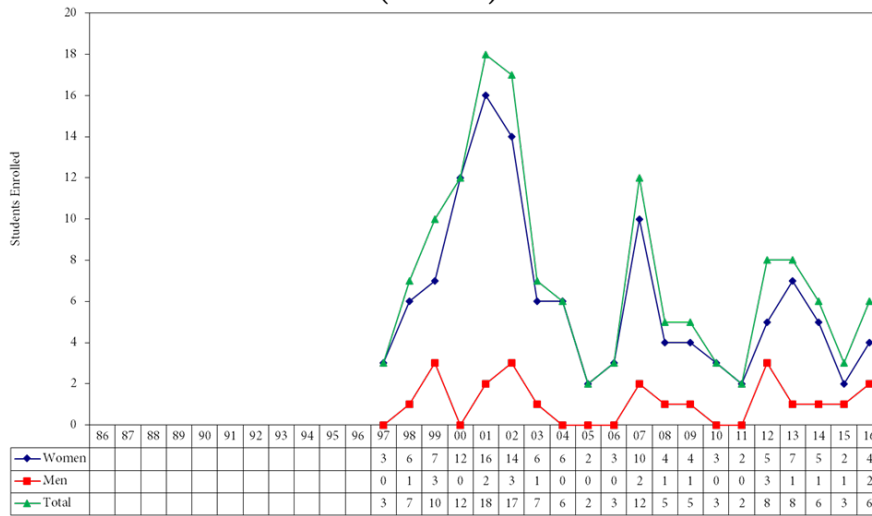
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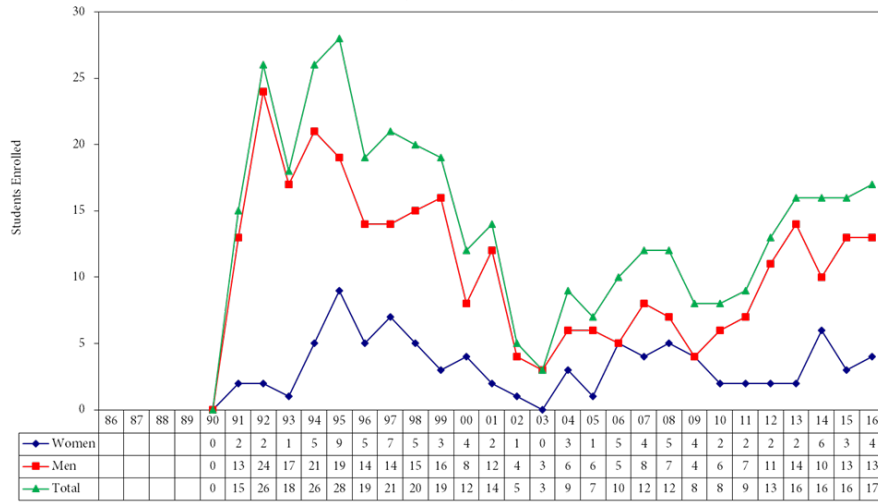
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Water Science (WATR)



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