

PAST SYMPOSIUM WINNERS

Winners from the 2013 Symposium

Proposal Category

1st Place: *A Hierarchical Bayesian Model of Quality Expectations and Reputations in Markets for Experience Goods*, **Allie Gunter**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics

Runner-up: *Harvest plan: Assessing the financial viability and potential economic contribution from a western slope regional food hub for Volunteers of America (VOA)*, **Eyosiyas Tegegne**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics

In Progress Category

1st Place: *An Empirical Analysis of the Relationship between Public Expenditures and Gender Disaggregated Employment*, **Tabitha Knight**, Department of Economics

Runner-up: *The Effects of Information on Consumer Demand under Alternative Pricing Schemes: An experimental analysis*, **Liesel Hans**, Department of Economics

Near Completion Category

1st Place: *The Impact of Demographic Change on Economies of Scale in Household Expenditures and CO2 Emissions*, **Tony Underwood**, Department of Economics

Runner-up: *Towards Optimizing the Health and Well-Being of Retired Thoroughbred Racehorses*, **Michelle Kibler**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics

Winners from the 2012 Symposium

Proposal Category

1st Place (tie): *Estimating the Economic and Social Impacts of the Drought in Southern Colorado*, **Allison Gunter**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

1st Place (tie): *Effects of Cooperatives Working Together: Herd Reduction (Buyout) Program on the Dairy Industry*, **Madilynne McGuire**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

Runner-up: *Making Information More Informative: An Experiment on Behavior Under Uncertainty*, **Liesel Hans**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University

In Progress Category

1st Place: *U.S. Carbon Intensity of Consumption: The Importance of Age Structure and Life-Cycle Consumption in Climate Policy Incidence*, **Anthony Underwood**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University

Runner-up: *An Analysis of Consumer Surplus from Agritourism: Utilizing a Multi-Destination Travel Cost Model of Demand by Region for Colorado Agritourism*, **Rebecca Goldbach**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

Near Completion Category

1st Place: *Cointegration Test and Long-Run Purchasing Power Parity Theory: An Empirical Investigation of Tanzania and its Selected Trading Partners*, **Anthony Mveyange**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University

Runner-up: *Hypothetical Bias and Explicit Contract*, **Maryam Tabatabaei**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

Winners from the 2011 Symposium

Proposal Category

1st Place: *Peer Effects and Obesity: Do Migrants Adopt the Health Lifestyles of Their Destinations*, **Ian Breunig**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University

2nd Place: *Environmental Impact of a Product as Product Differentiation Strategy*, **Oana Deselnicu**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

3rd Place: *U.S. Carbon Intensity of Consumption: Income Inequality and Emulation Effects*, **Anthony Underwood**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University

In Progress Category

1st Place: *Do Public Outdoor Recreation Opportunities Crowd-Out Private Opportunities? Spatial-Econometric Analysis of the Attraction/Repulsion of Private Recreation Provision to Public Provision*, **Rebecca Goldbach**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

2nd Place: *A Look at Boundary Discontinuity in a Local School District*, **Larry Chisesi**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University

3rd Place (tie): *Policies versus Perception: Estimating the Impact of Drought Awareness on Consumer Water Demand*, **Janine Stone**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

3rd Place (tie): *The U.S. Renewable Fuel Standard: Impacts from Cellulosic Biofuel Production*, **Sam Evans**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

Near Completion Category

1st Place: *The Economic Significance of Bioeconomic Feedback Loops: Using the Random Utility Model to Inform a Bioeconomic Model of Fish Stocking*, **Daniel Deisenroth**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

Winners from the 2010 Symposium

Proposal Category

1st Place: *A Cost-Benefit Analysis of Management for Zebra and Quagga Mussels in Colorado*, **Cathy Thomas**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

2nd Place: *Weeding the Garden: Provision of An Impure Public Good When Space Matters*, **Michael Verdone**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

3rd Place: *Localvore Demand: A Consumer Choice Model for Local Beers*, **Megan Phillips** and **Drew Moxon**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

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Public Provision, **Rebecca Goldbach**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

2nd Place: *A Look at Boundary Discontinuity in a Local School District*, **Larry Chisesi**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University

3rd Place (tie): *A Time Series Study of the Relationship Between Energy, Employment, & Personal Income at the State Level*, **Nate Peach**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University

3rd Place (tie): *Not Your Average Gardening Tool: Managing Invasive Plant Species with Dynamic Programming*, **Michael Verdone**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

3rd Place (tie): *A Bioeconomic Approach to Capturing Both the Economic Value and Economic Contribution of Fish Stocking in Colorado Waters*, **Daniel Deisenroth**, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

Near Completion Category

1st Place: *The Linkages between Multiple Equilibrium and Intrinsic Chronic Poverty: The Role of Community and Household Structure*, **Bret Anderson**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University

2nd Place: *Revisiting the Endogenous Human Capital Growth Literature*, **Kuo-Ting Hua (Albert)**, Department of Economics, Colorado State University