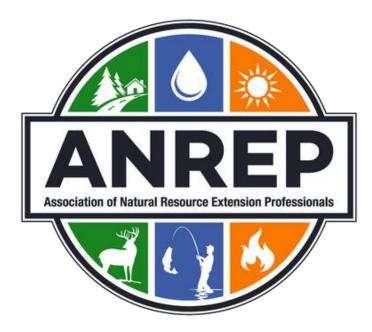
Association of Natural Resources Extension Professionals



Award Recipients 2024

The ANREP Awards Program fosters high standards within the membership, recognize significant achievement, and expand the use of high quality, innovative materials and programs by honoring the outstanding members and partners who developed them.

Outstanding Educational Materials Awards

Webinars

Gold Award Online Forest Stewardship Coached Planning Kevin Zobrist, Washington State University; Grace Garrison, Washington State University; Patrick Shults, Washington State University

Silver Award

Cultural History of Wetlands Webinar Series

Maeve Snyder, North Inlet - Winyah Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve; Brooke Saari, South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium; Amy Scaroni, Ph.D., Clemson Extension; Abigail Locatis Prochaska, Land Trust Alliance; Kaitlyn Dirr, ACE Basin National Estuarine Research Reserve/S.C. Department of Natural Resources

Bronze Award

Rutgers Earth Day Every Day webinar series

Michele Bakacs, Rutgers Cooperative Extension, Jean Epiphan, Rutgers Cooperative Extension, Sal Mangiafico, Rutgers Cooperative Extension, Steve Yergeau, Rutgers Cooperative Extension; Doug Zemeckis, Rutgers Cooperative Extension

Websites/Apps/Educational Technology

Gold Award 2023 Soil Health Tour StoryMap Rachel Cochran, The Ohio State University; Sarah Noggle, The Ohio State University; Matthew Romanko, The Ohio State University

Silver Award

Improving Stormwater Management with Web Based Resources

Bob Simmons, Washington State University; Dr. Anand Jayakaran, WSU and the WA Stormwater Center; Darcy McNamara, WSU; Carly Thompson, WSU; Erica Guttman, WSU; Brandon Boyd, WSU; Andrew Mack, WSU; Darrell Killgore, WSU; Matthew Ziegler, WSU

Bronze Award

Erie PrOH Guide Certification Program

Tory Gabriel, Ohio Sea Grant and Ohio State University; Angela Greene, Ohio Sea Grant and Ohio State University; Chris Winslow, Ohio Sea Grant and Ohio State University; Jill Bartolotta, Ohio Sea Grant and Ohio State University; Scott Hale, Ohio Division of Wildlife; Travis Hartman, Ohio Division of Wildlife; Matt Leibengood, Ohio Division of Wildlife; Eric Weimer, Ohio Division of Wildlife; Abigail Rhodebeck, Ohio Division of Wildlife; Johanna Dart, Ohio Division of Wildlife; Melinda Huntley, Ohio Travel Association

TV/Video

Gold Award

Solar Grounding is Easily Overlooked, but Critical Drew Schiavone, University of Maryland

Silver Award

Fifteen Minutes in the Forest

Jennifer Gagnon, Virginia Tech; Neil Clark, Virginia Cooperative Extension; Adam Downing, Virginia Cooperative Extension; Jason Fisher, Virginia Cooperative Extension; Karen Snape, Virginia Tech; Bill Worrell, Virginia Cooperative Extension

Bronze Award

Educational Video for Fertilizer Retailers and Consumers

Tina McIntyre, UF/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Thomas Sacher, Seminole County; Ally Linville, Seminole County; Kurt Slafkovsky, Seminole County; John McClelland, Seminole County

Short Publication

Gold Award

Tackling A New Invasive Parasite Head On Lara Milligan, University of Florida; Jenna Palmisano, University of Central Florida

Silver Award

Preventing Phytophthoras in Woodland Restoration Plantings Norma Kline, Oregon State University; Dan Stark, Oregon State University; Marianne Elliott, Washington State University; Jennifer Parke, Oregon State University; Beatriz Botello Salgado, Oregon State University; Aaron Groth, Oregon State University; Janet Donnelly, Oregon State University; Diana Reyes, Oregon State University.

Bronze Award

Chainsaw Safety: Ergonomics

Bence Carter, Alabama Extension; Beau Brodbeck, Alabama Extension

Promotional and Marketing Materials (including social media)

Gold Award

Be a Competitor in the Marble Bowl!

Wesley Anderson, Alabama Cooperative Extension System; Kerry Steedley, Alabama Cooperative Extension System; Margaret Barse, Alabama Cooperative Extension System; Cole Sikes, Alabama Cooperative Extension System; Bruce Dupree, Alabama Cooperative Extension System; Joy Scott, Alabama Cooperative Extension System; Anna Katherine Underwood, Alabama Cooperative Extension System

Silver Award

Lend an EAR Virtual Storytime Series

Dr. Karnita Garner, Alabama A&M University; Dr. Roosevelt Robinson, Alabama A&M University; Allyson Shabel, Alabama A&M University; Bronson Lubresky, Alabama A&M University; Joel Potter, Alabama A&M University; Shannon Schmalfeldt, Alabama A&M University; Wendi Williams, Alabama A&M University

Bronze Award

South Carolina Stormwater Awareness Week

Brooke Saari, South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium; Samantha Porzelt, Clemson University Cooperative Extension; Emmi Palenbaum, Coastal Conservation League; Maeve Snyder, North Inlet - Winyah Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve; Kaitlyn Dirr, ACE Basin National Estuarine Research Reserve/SC Department of Natural Resources; Ellen Sturup Comeau, Clemson University Cooperative Extension; Catherine Watts, Clemson University Cooperative Extension

Podcast/Radio

Gold Award Wild Turkey Science *Dr. Marcus Lashley, University of Florida; Dr. Will Gulsby, Auburn University; Charlotte Nowak, University of Florida*

Silver Award

The Garden Thyme Podcast- Backyard Animal Mating Habits Mikaela Boley, University of Maryland Extension; Rachel Rhodes, University of Maryland Extension; Emily Zobel, University of Maryland Extension

Bronze Award

Radio Interview: The Florida-Friendly Landscaping Program Celebrates 30 Years Tina McIntyre, UF/IFAS Extension Seminole County

Newsletter/Series of Articles/Blogs

Gold Award

Climate-ready woodlands: Rewilding your backyard woods? Anna Stockstad, Emily Dombeck, and Angela Gupta – University of Minnesota

Silver Award Grasses at a Glance Blog Erin Garrett, University of Illinois Extension

Bronze Award

The Great Southeast Pollinator Census E-Newsletter *Becky Griffin University of Georgia Extension; Rich Braman University of Georgia Extension; Megan McCoy University of Georgia*

Long Publication

Gold Award Fire-Resistant Plants for Home Landscapes *Amy Jo Detweiler, Oregon State University, Stephen Fitzgerald, Oregon State University, Ariel Cowan, Oregon State University, Neil Bell, Oregon State University, Thomas Stokely, The Nature Conservancy*

Silver Award

Nuestro Futuro en Nuestras Manos/Our Future in Our Hands

Carrie Berger, Oregon State University; Emily Jane Davis, Oregon State University; Aaron Groth, Oregon State University; Kara Baylog, Oregon State University; Dusti Linnell, Oregon State University; Oralia Mendez, Oregon State University Center for Health Innovation; Glenn Ahrens, Oregon State University; Christina Friehauf, Bold Ampersand

Bronze Award

Emerald Ash Borer and Its Implications for Washington State

Kevin W. Zobrist, Washington State University; Rachel A. Bomberger, Washington State University; Molly N. Darr, Washington State University; Jenny R. Glass, Washington State University; Joseph M. Hulbert, Washington State University; Emily S. Roberts, Washington Department of Natural Resources

Book or Comprehensive Program Curriculum

Gold Award

4-H Community Action Projects for the Environment (CAPE)

Sarah Davis, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Sarasota County 4-H; Megan Ennes, University of Florida Museum of Natural History; Grace Carter, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Duval County 4-H; Beth Kerr, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Hamilton County 4-H; Kimberly Davis, Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University Extension 4-H; Sarah Wolking, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Alachua 4-H;Meryl Klein, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Alachua 4-H; Gabby Salazar, University of Florida School of Forest, Fisheries, and Geomatics Sciences; Ailee Odom, University of Florida School of Forest, Fisheries, and Geomatics Sciences; Martha Monroe, School of Forest, Fisheries, and Geomatics Sciences; Shannon Paulin, J & S Design; Eleanor Sommer, University of Florida.

Silver Award

Guidebook for Prescribed Burning in the Southern Region

Leslie Boby, Southern Regional Extension Forestry; Jennifer Fawcett, North Carolina State University; David Clabo, University of Georgia; Hallie Harriman, Piedmont Environmental Council; Adam Maggard, Auburn University; Barry Couilliette, Alachua Conservation Trust; Laurel Kays, The Nature Conservancy; Sarah McNair, University of Georgia Bronze Award Treasure Quest: A Self-Paced Outdoor Education 4-H Program Jackie Lebouitz; Katherine Clements; Sarah Davis; Ashley Ellis; Forest Hecker; Mindy Hanak; Alia Garrett; Armando Ubeda; Lee Hayes Byron; Maria Portelos-Rometo; Carol Wyatt-Evens; Abbey Tyrna; Emma Bittar; Hailey Jones; Nicole Barber

Achievement Awards

Achievement Awards recognize exceptional ANREP members who exhibit outstanding leadership and program excellence individually and in teams.

Early Career Leadership

Danielle Rhea, Penn State Extension

Innovative Program

Family, Forests, Future Dr. Patrick Hiesl, Clemson University; Dr. Molly Darr, Washington State University; Janet Steele, Clemson University

Outstanding Team

The South Carolina Water Chats Program

Brooke Saari, South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium; C. Guinn Wallover, Mount Pleasant Water Works; Matthew Gorstein, South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium; Emmi Palenbaum, South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium; Caitlin Bolger, South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium; Amy Scaroni, Ph.D., Clemson University; Heather Nix, Clemson Cooperative Extension; Jeffery Allen, Ph.D., South Carolina Water Resources Center

Distinguished Career Leadership

Beth Clawson, Michigan State University

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