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**Award Recipients**

**2025**

The ANREP Awards Program fosters high standards within the membership, recognizes significant achievement, and expands 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**

### **Landscape University Annual Webinar Series**

### *Morgan Pinkerton, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Hannah Eason, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Orange County; Brooke Moffis, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Lake County*

### **Silver Award**

### **Final Fridays from the Garden Series**

### *Kaydie Gene McCormick, UF/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Morgan Pinkerton, UF/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Jamielyn Daugherty UF/IFAS Extension Sumter County*

### **Bronze Award**

**Ecotourism Webinar Series**

### *Carolyn Kovacs, UF/IFAS Extension; Kate Rose, UF/IFAS Extension, Mike Sipos, UF/IFAS Extension*

**Websites/Apps/Educational Technology**

### **Gold Award**

### **Florida Well Owner Network Website**

### *Yilin Zhuang, UF/IFAS Extension; Andrea Albertin, UF/IFAS Extension; Stella Canfield, UF/IFAS Extension*

### **Silver Award**

### **Costs and Trends of Southern Forestry Practices Dashboard**

### *Dr. Adam Maggard, Auburn University and Alabama Extension; Jeremy Natzke, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, Dr. Lauren O'Shea, Forest Landowner Foundation; Michelle Cain, Forest Landowner Foundation*

### **Bronze Award**

### **Visualizing Community Conservation with ArcGIS WebApps**

*Shannon Carnevale, University of Florida IFAS Extension Polk County; Lara Milligan, University of Florida IFAS Extension Pinellas County*

**TV/Video**

**Gold Award   
Bees in the Woods**

*Lauren Grand, Oregon State University; Brad Withrow-Robinson, Oregon State University (retired); Jacob Putney, Oregon State University; Stephen Fitzgerald, Oregon State University; Hayley Brazier, High Desert Museum; Pat McAbery, Sight and Sound Services*

**Silver Award**   
**Great American Kestrel Conservation**

### *Sanford Smith, Penn State Extension*

### **Bronze Award**

### **Floridian Flora Fridays: Like, Share, Grow Native**

*Heather Kalaman, UF/IFAS Extension Orange County; Chris Weber, UF/IFAS Extension Orange County*

**Short Publication**

**Gold Award *(tie)*  
Responsible Scalloping: Build Your Own Scallop Sorter**

*Brittany Hall-Scharf, University of Florida; Victor Blanco, University of Florida*

**Gold Award *(tie)***

**Save Your Seedlings for New Jersey's Sake!**

*Jean Epiphan, Rutgers Cooperative Extension*

### **Bronze Award**

### **Stall Talk series: Sustainability**

*Marnie Ward, UF/IFAS Extension Citrus County; and Toni Noaker, UF/IFAS Extension Citrus County*

**Promotional and Marketing Materials (including social media)**

**Gold Award**

### **2024 Seminole County Farm Tour Promotional Kit**

*Morgan Pinkerton, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; JK Yarborough, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Kaydie McCormick, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Bennett Lloyd, Museum of Seminole County History; Shane Michael, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Tina McIntyre, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Karen Henry, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Wanda Adorno, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Kelly Field, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Rachel Rector, Seminole County Government; Ally Lineville, Seminole County Government; Kurt Slafkovsky, Seminole County Government; Meredith Brown, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County*

**Silver Award**

### **Operation TRAP promotional kit**

### *Monica Wilson, University of Florida; Savanna C. Barry, University of Florida; Laura K. Reynolds, University of Florida; Morgan A. Edwards, University of Florida; Michael Loizzo, University of Florida; Hayden Henke, University of Florida; John Polasik, University of Florida; Emily Colson, University of Florida*

### **Bronze Award**

**2024 Garden Festival & Plant Sale**

### *Clarissa Chairez, UF/IFAS Extension Orange County- Residential Horticulture Agent/Master Gardener Volunteer Coordinator; Laynie Yip, UF/IFAS Extension Orange- County Master Gardener Volunteer; Amber Boas, UF/IFAS Extension Orange- County Master Gardener Volunteer*

**Podcast/Radio**

**Gold Award**

### **Marine Science Minute with Florida Sea Grant Radio Spots**

### *Savanna C. Barry, University of Florida; Ana N. Zangroniz, University of Florida; Carolyn J. Kovacs, University of Florida; Donielle N. Nardi, University of Florida; Victor Blanco, University of Florida; Brigid R. Massey, University of Florida; Sarisha S. Boodoo, University of Florida; Maia P. McGuire, University of Florida; Holly A. Abeels, University of Florida; Armando Ubeda, University of Florida; Anna E. Braswell, University of Florida; Joshua T. Patterson, University of Florida; Monica Wilson, University of Florida; Victoria Gambale, University of Florida; Vincent Encomio, University of Florida; Michael J. Sipos, University of Florida; Laura G. Tiu, University of Florida; Nicholas Haddad, University of Florida; Razieh Farzad, University of Florida; Eric J. Cassiano, University of Florida; Lisa Krimsky, University of Florida*

**Silver Award**

**I Want to Know, Have You Ever Smelled the Rain?**

### *Shannon Carnevale, University of Florida IFAS Extension Polk County; Lara Milligan, University of Florida IFAS Extension Pinellas County;* *Hanley Renney, University of Florida College of Agriculture and Life Sciences*

**Bronze Award**

### **Cultivating Curiosity Podcast**

*Alyssa Vinson, UF/IFAS Extension; Dr. Taylor Clem, UF/IFAS Extension*

**Newsletter/Series of Articles/Blogs**

**Gold Award**

**Canopy View News e-newsletter**

*Alicia Christiansen, Oregon State University; Lauren Grand, Oregon State University*

**Silver Award**

**Aquatic Invasive Species Detectors Newsletter**

*Michelle Isaacson, University of Minnesota Extension; Megan Weber, University of Minnesota Extension; Daniel Larkin, University of Minnesota*

**Bronze Award**

**The Spooky Bug Brigade: A Blog Series**

*Jackie Lebouitz, UF/IFAS Extension Sarasota County*

**Long Publication**

**Gold Award**

### **Great Lakes Almanac to Invasive Crayfish**

*Paige Filice, Michigan State University Extension; William Budnick, Michigan State University; Rachel Feagley, Michigan State University; Brian Roth, Michigan State University; Lucas Nathan, Michigan Department of Natural Resources*

**Silver Award**

### **Introduction to Forest Carbon, Offsets and Markets**

*Jacob D. Putney, Oregon State University; Norma Kline, Oregon State University; Stephen Fitzgerald, Oregon State University; Lauren Grand, Oregon State University; Chris Schnepf, University of Idaho; Greg Latta, University of Idaho; Patrick Shults, Washington State University; John Rizza, Oregon State University (former)*

**Bronze Award**

### **Choose Native Booklet**

*Amber Stilwell, Penn State Extension and Sea Grant Pennsylvania; Justin Mansberger, Penn State Extension; Beth Yount, Penn State Extension; Zach Nemec, Penn State Extension and Pennsylvania Sea Grant; Kelly Donaldson, Pennsylvania Sea Grant; Amanda Mullen, Pennsylvania Sea Grant*

**Book or Comprehensive Program Curriculum**

**Gold Award**

**Basics of Landscaping in Florida Bilingual Book**

*Hannah Wooten, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Orange County; Morgan Pinkerton, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Tina McIntyre, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Seminole County; Tatiana Sanchez-Jones, University of Florida/IFAS Extension Alachua County*

**Silver Award**

**Be Septic Safe: A User’s Guide to Taking Care Of Business**

*Susan Lunt, Clemson Extension; Charly Greenthaler, Clemson Extension; Ellen Sturup Comeau, Clemson Extension; Bea Calhoun, Clemson Extension*

**Bronze Award**

**Georgia 4-H Friends Pollinator Magazine**

**Kasey Bozeman, University of Georgia; Becky Griffin, University of Georgia; Tim Welsh, University of Georgia**

**Achievement Awards**

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

**Early Career Leadership**

**Michael Sipos, University of Florida and Florida Sea Grant**

**Innovative Program *(three-way tie)***

**Ecological Landscape Design for Coastal South Carolina**

*Maeve Snyder, North Inlet Winyah Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve; Brooke Saari, South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium; Kaitlyn Dirr, ACE Basin NERR/South Carolina Department of Natural Resources*

**Climate-ready woodlands: A resilience toolbox**

*Emily Dombeck, University of Minnesota Extension; Angela Gupta, University of Minnesota Extension; Anna Stockstad, University of Minnesota Extension*

**The Water Ambassador Program-Connecting Communities to Water**

*Lorna Bravo-UF/IFAS Extension Broward County*

**Outstanding Team**

### **Illinois-Indiana Sea Grant Connects Youth to Local River**

*Ashley Belle, Illinois-Indiana Sea Grant; Janice Milanovich, Illinois-Indiana Sea Grant; Kristin Tepas, Illinois-Indiana Sea Grant; Megan Gunn, Illinois-Indiana Sea Grant; Co-organizers, The Nature Conservancy; Presenters, Dunes Learning Center; Presenters, Fish and Wildlife Service; Presenters, Indiana Department of Natural Resources; Presenters, Shirley Heinze Land Trust; Presenters, Audubon Society*

**Excellence in Natural Resources Extension and Service Award**

***Sanford S. Smith, Penn State University***

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