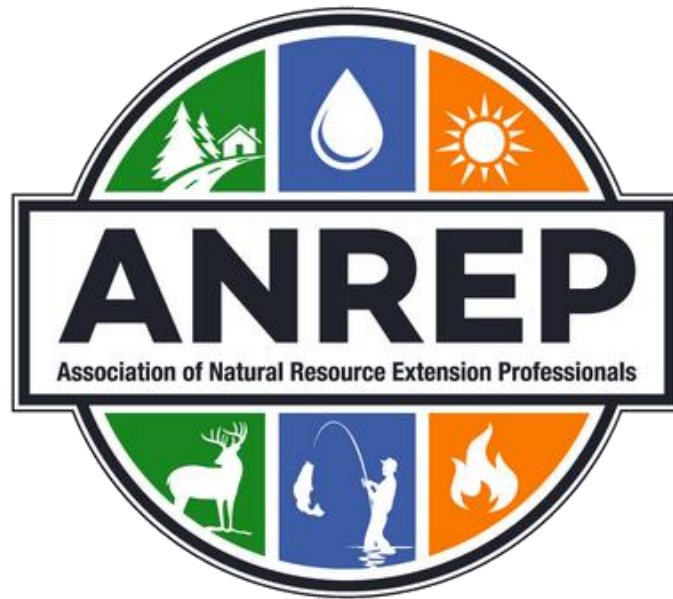


Association of Natural Resources Extension Professionals



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 Kalamann, UF/IFAS Extension Orange County; Chris Weber, UF/IFAS Extension Orange County

Short Publication

Gold Award (tie)

Responsible Scallop: 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 Krinsky, 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

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 Leboutitz, 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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