

Sunday, February 4th

7:00-7:30 a.m. **Breakfast/Check-In,** Augusta 1/2

7:30 - 8:30 a.m. **Business Session,** *Augusta* 1/2

• Welcome & Introductions

 Final Call for officer nominations (Secretary and Student Representative)

• Online officer voting opens

8:30-8:45 a.m. **Break**

8:45 – 10:05 a.m. **DISTINGUISHED PAPER SESSION**, Augusta 1/2

(15 min for presentation, 5 min for Q&A)

Discussant: Katie Sanders Facilitator: Fisher EasleySmith

High School Agricultural Communication Competencies: A High School Agriculture Educator Perspective

Mackenzie Atkins, Ricky Telg, Lauri M. Baker, & Kati Lawson | University of

Florida

Exploring the Determinants of Intentions of Agritourism Businesses to Expand

Lauren Raley, Nellie Hill, Jason Ellis, Raluca Cozma, & McKenna Pavelock | Kansas State University

Quantifying Queer Visibility: A Content Analysis Exploring Queer Representation in Food and Agriculture Magazines

Jarred A. Shellhouse & Lauri M. Baker | University of Florida

From the Ground Up: An Arts-Based Analysis of Online Communication Impacts on Youths' Conceptualizations of Hydroponics and Related Careers

Madison A. Dyment, Mackenzie Atkins, Jamie Loizzo, Katie Stofer & Chris Decubellis | *University of Florida*

10:05-10:20 a.m. **Break**

10:20-11:05 a.m. **CONCURRENT PAPER SESSION I,** Augusta 1/2

(10 min for presentation, 5 min for Q&A)

Discussant: Lauri Baker

Facilitator: Megan Pietruszewski

Overcoming Barriers: Describing Cattle Producers' Motivations & Perceived Barriers Toward Adopting Sustainable Practices to Inform Communication Strategy

Kindle Catching, Ginger Orton, & Laura Fischer | Texas Tech University

Flint Hills Cattle Ranchers' Decision-Making Regarding Herd Productivity And Rangeland Management Practices

Madison Baughman, Katie Starzec, Nellie Hill, KC Olson, & Adrian Sulivant | Kansas State University

'Yellowstone' ... Is this Really Ranching? An Exploratory Qualitative Analysis of Agriculture Priority Areas Featured in 'Yellowstone' TV Trailers

Lauren Chase, Whitney Stone, Cara Lawson, & Laura Fischer | Oregon State University, Ohio State University, & Texas Tech University

CONCURRENT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT I, Augusta H

Facilitator: Shannon Norris-Parrish

10:20 am - Optimizing Online Writing and Discussions through Packback
AI - Jamie Greig | University of Tennessee, Knoxville

10:35 am - Enhancing Online Engagement and Presentation Skills through Virtual Reality Workroom Applications - Jamie Greig | University of Tennessee, Knoxville

11:05 a.m. Lunch (on your own) / Graduate Student Lunch

1:00 – 2:00 p.m. **CONCURRENT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT II,** Augusta 1/2

Facilitator: Abigail Borron

1:00 pm - Communicating across worldviews in agriculture and natural resources, Sadie Hundemer, Stephanie Stoutamire, Cesar Zamora, & Madison Dyment | *University of Florida*



1:30 pm - Using Art to Communicate Agricultural and Environmental
Science - Emily A. Dustman, Allison R. Byrd, & Dr. Alexa J. Lamm
| University of Georgia

CONCURRENT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT III -

ROUNDTABLES, Augusta H

Facilitator: Garrett Steede

- People and Big Data: Embracing the Data Revolution in Agricultural Communications – Sarah A. Bush, Jean A. Parrella, & Carrie N. Baker | University of Florida, Virginia Tech
- 2. **Z is for Zotero: Introduction to Citation Management Software** Fisher EasleySmith | New Mexico State University
- 3. How to Develop, Maintain, and Engage an Industry Advisory Board Jacqueline V. Aenlle, Nellie Hill-Sullins, & Katie Starzec | Kansas State University
- Leveraging Multiple Online Tools to Conduct Synchronous Online Q
 Sorts and Interviews with American Cattle Producers Ginger Orton,
 Laura Fischer, Courtney Meyers, David Doerfert, & Matt Raven | Texas
 Tech University, Michigan State University
- Teaching qualitative methods to student researchers: Accounting for power dynamics and biases when analyzing qualitative data -Jacqueline V. Aenlle, Whitney Stone, & Katie Starzec | Kansas State University, Oregon State University

2:00 p.m. **Poster Set Up** – *Savannah Ballroom*

2:30 p.m. **Poster Session** – *Savannah Ballroom*

4:00 - 5:00 p.m. **SAAS General Business Meeting** – Chastain Room 1/2

- Keynote Speaker Dr. Manjit K. Misra
 - Director, USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture

5:00 p.m. **SAAS Opening Social** – *Grant Loft (Southern Exchange)*



Monday, February 5th

8:00 - 9:00 a.m. CONCURRENT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT IV, Augusta 1/2

Facilitator: Laura Fischer

8:00 am - Communicating and Teaching with Artificial Intelligence -Jazmine Norwood, Kelcey Trewin, & Alyssa Rockers | *Tennessee* State University

8:30 am - Are We Missing Something: A Reflection on the Scholarship of Trust - Fally Masambuka-Kanchewa, Alexa Lamm, Shuyang Qu, Catherine Sanders, Michael Retallick, & Kevan Lamm | Iowa State University, University of Georgia, North Carolina State University

CONCURRENT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT V, Augusta H

Facilitator: Lisa Lundy

8:00 am - A Practical Guide for Reviewing Qualitative Research Journal
Articles - Karli Yarber, Catherine Sanders, & Annie Specht |
University of Arkansas, North Carolina State University, The
Ohio State University

8:30 am - An Introduction to The iVisit Project: Preliminary Lessons
Learned and Shared Best Practices for Development and
Implementation of Interactive Virtual Reality Tours - Gabriel
Spandau, Jamie Loizzo, & Courtney Meyers | University of
Florida, Texas Tech University

9:00 – 9:15 a.m. **Break**

9:15 – 10:15 a.m. **CONCURRENT PAPER SESSION II**, Augusta 1/2

(10 min for presentation, 5 min for Q&A)

Discussant: Jamie Greig Facilitator: Bailey Watson

Message Design Matters: An Experiment on Portrayal of Protective Action Guidance in Warning Messages for Three Hazards

Ginger Orton, Laura Fischer, Jeannette Sutton, & David Huntsman | Texas Tech University, University at Albany, SUNY, & Huntsman Consulting, LLC



Exploring Environmental Frames about Single-Use Plastics to Inform Visual Communication Messages

Kristin E. Gibson, Alexa J. Lamm, Kevan W. Lamm, Jessica Holt, & Kyle Maurice Woosnam | *University of Georgia*

Breaking Down the Sorghum Market: Identifying Target Audience Segments' Benefits for Strategic Communications

Joshue Lewis, Erica Irlbeck, & Laura Fischer | Texas Tech University

Public Engagement in Community Gardens: Communicating to Prepare for Climate Change Impacts on Gardens

Olivia M. Erskine, Alexa J. Lamm, Kevan W. Lamm, Catherine E. Sanders, & Kristin E. Gibson | *University of Georgia & North Carolina State University*

CONCURRENT PAPER SESSION III, Augusta H

Discussant: Nellie Hill-Sullins Facilitator: Kelcey Trewin

An Exploration of Early Career Agricultural and Natural Resource Scientists' Perceptions of Social Responsibility

Gabriel Spandau, Jamie Loizzo, Sadie Hundemer, Samuel Smidt, Alice Akers, Jehangir Bhadha, & Young Gu Her | *University of Florida*

An Enthusiastic But Uncertain Welcome: CRISPR Thematic Coverage In U.S. Agricultural News 2012-2022

Lindsey Middleton, Anqi Shao, Ashley Cate, Jade Haugen, & Nan Li | *University of Wisconsin-Madison*

A Barbie Doll with a Gun: Understanding Women's Motivations and Barriers to Hunting

Sarah A. Cain, Audrey E. H. King, Linnea Harvey, Betsey York, & Kelly M. Adams | Oklahoma State University & Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation

Talking Mental Health: An Assessment Of Oregon Agricultural Stakeholders Discussing Mental Health

Whitney Stone & Lauren Chase | Oregon State University

10:15 – 11:00 a.m. **Break/ Hotel Checkout**



11:00 a.m. **Business Meeting,** Augusta 1/2

Poster awards Paper awards

Business items

• Announcement of Officers

12:00 p.m. Adjourn

Tuesday, February 6th

(optional meeting - not part of NACS)

1:00 pm - 3:30 pm MULTISTATE PROJECT NATIONAL MEETING, Chastain 1/2

S1095: Science Communication in Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources: Human Science Research and Workforce Development

Chair: Jeff Miller Secretary: Taylor Ruth



National Agricultural Communications Symposium Poster Session,

Savannah Ballroom

Sunday, Feb. 4 2:30 – 4:00 pm

RESEARCH POSTERS

*Finalist for Outstanding Research Poster

1. Influence of Visual Branding on Consumers' Purchasing Intent for Beef*

Abigail Durheim, Bailey Watson, and Taylor Ruth | *University of Nebraska-Lincoln; University of Tennessee, Knoxville*

2. Talking Pork: Tailored Communication for a Diverse Consumer Landscape*

Elisabeth Ramsey, Catherine E. Sanders, Alexa Lamm, Shuyang Qu, Fallys Masambuka-Kanchewa, Mike Retallick, & Kevan Lamm | *North Carolina State University; University of Georgia; Iowa State University*

3. From the Inside Out: Exploring the Extension Brand as a Master Brand Within a State Extension System*

Ashley McLeod-Morin, Sandra Anderson, Anissa M. Mattox, Lauri M. Baker, Jason Bolton, and Hannah Carter | *University of Florida*; *University of Maine*

4. Grower Communication Preferences for Water Related Information*

Kristin E. Gibson, Alexa J. Lamm, James Owen Jr., James Altland, Sarah A. White | *University of Georgia; Clemson University; USDA - ARS*

5. "I Don't Even Know What Sustainability Is": Describing West Texas Cotton Farmer
Communication Preferences for Learning about Voluntary Sustainability Programs*

Kylie Kitten, Laura Fischer, Ph.D., Donna McCallister, Ph.D. | Texas Tech University

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6. What's the Beef? Strategies Cattlemen's Organizations Currently Use to Communicate Animal Science and Livestock Production to Policymakers in the United States*

Maci Loving, Rylie Lux, Laura Fischer, Erica Irlbeck, and Ryan Rathman | Texas Tech University

7. Factors Predicting the Cultural Competence Knowledge of Agricultural Communications Students*

Jean A. Parrella, Rafael Landaverde, Holli R. Leggette, Peng Lu, Dara Wald, Karissa Palmer | Virginia Tech; Texas A&M University; University of Georgia

8. Reading Between the Labels: The Influence of Benefits Framing on Consumer Acceptance of a CRISPR-Produced Food*

Jean A. Parrella, Holli R. Leggette, Peng Lu, Gary Wingenbach, Matt Baker | Virginia Tech; Texas A&M University; University of Georgia



9. Source Credibility: Do You Trust Fake People?*

Gigi Gonsalves, Rieley Beauchamp, Jessica Holt, and Abigail Borron | *University of Georgia*

10. Empowering Rural Entrepreneurs in Rural Oklahoma: A Holistic Digital Needs Assessment*

Laney Reasner, Audrey E. H. King, & Linnea Harvey | Oklahoma State University

11. An Exploration into Commodity Board Communication: Social Media Considerations*

Emily A. Dustman, Allison R. Byrd, Alexa J. Lamm, Kevan Lamm, Catherine E.

Sanders, Shuyang Qu, Fallys Masambuka-Kanchewa, Michael S. Retallick

| University of Georgia; North Carolina State University; Iowa State University

12. What's All the Hype? Students' Reflections on the use of Al-Generated Messages to Communicate about Climate Change*

Karissa Palmer, Rafael Landaverde, Emily Fuller, Holli Leggette, Dara M. Wald, Logan Baker, Jean Parrella | Texas A&M University; Virginia Tech University

13. Farmer Mental Health Narratives: A moment-to-moment online dial testing study investigating two video approaches

Lisa K. Lundy, Ashley McLeod-Morin, David R. Buys, Tracy A. Irani, Ricky W. Telg, Angela B. Lindsey, Philip Stokes | *University of Florida; Mississippi State University*

14. Environmental Engagement: A continuous response measurement study of a wildlife documentary

Lisa K. Lundy | *University of Florida*

15. Hogwarts House Insights: Analyzing Team Decision-Making in an Agricultural Communication and Leadership Course

Matthew Gold, Madison A. Dyment, Dr. Laura L. Greenhaw | University of Florida

16. The Readability of Alabama Cooperative Extension System's Technical Publications Clare E. Hancock, Norman E. Youngblood, and D. Adam Cletzer | Auburn University

17. Perceived Source Credibility: Contested expectations and definitions in agri-environmental contexts

Miguel Diaz-Manrique, Dara Wald, Seunguk Shin | Texas A&M University



18. Evaluating *Agriculture Today*: A Quantitative Exploration of an Extension Podcast's Listeners

Kennedy Johnson, Alea Durst, Shelby Spreier and Jacqueline Aenlle | *Kansas State University*

19. A Qualitative Analysis of Industry Stakeholder Perceptions of Undergraduate Certificates and Other Qualifications Received at Kansas State University

Gordon Clark, Sydney Garrett, Kennedy Johnson and Jacqueline Aenlle | Kansas State University

- **20.** University Students' Perceptions of Soybeans and Soy-based Food Products Sadaf Azhar, Kelly Getty, & Jacqueline Aenlle | *Kansas State University*
- 21. Social Media Analysis during Mental Health Awareness Month in Agriculture
 Borges, Michelle; Chase, Lauren; Stone, Whitney | Oregon State University
- **22. Exploring Cognitive and Emotional Reception of News Articles About GMO Food**Megan Pietruszewski Norman, Janine N. Blessing, Jessica G. Myrick | *Penn State University, University of Augsburg*
- 23. Measuring Cattle Producers' Values for Effective Values-Based Communication about Encouraging Adoption of Sustainable Practices

Breely Huguley, Kylie Kitten, Laura Fischer, Ph.D., Kindle Catching, & Ginger Orton, M.S. | *Texas Tech University*

24. ANR Scientists' Communication Experiences: A Case Study of Past Practices and Project-Based Learning Student Collaboration Experiences

Maggie Murphy, Jamie Loizzo, Whitney Stone | *University of Florida; Oregon State University*

25. Communication and Trust: Leverage Points in Innovation Adoption and Discontinuance Experiences of Greenhouse Growers

Carrie N. Baker and Kathleen D. Kelsey | University of Florida

- 26. Framing Agricultural Labor Issues: An Analysis of News Coverage of the H-2A Program
 Erica D. Summerfield, Dr. Cara Lawson, Finn Garrison, & Lauren Chase | The Ohio
 State University
- 27. A Systematic Literature Review of U.S. Consumers' Concerns Regarding the Pork Industry

Fally Masambuka-Kanchewa, Jessica Rodman, Alexa J. Lamm, Shuyang Qu, Catherine Sanders, Mike Retallick & Kevan Lamm | *Iowa State University, University of Georgia; North Carolina State University*



INNOVATIVE POSTERS

*Finalist for Outstanding Innovative Idea Poster

- 28. BEEFF with the News: Using Multiple Communication Channels to Teach Information*
 Fisher EasleySmith, Taylor Scott, Lacey Roberts-Hill | New Mexico State University
- 29. Connecting States, Creating Collaboration: Multistate Website Peer Review Exchange*

 Lacey Roberts-Hill, Kylie Kitten, & Laura Fischer | New Mexico State; Texas Tech

 University
- **30. Class Activity: How Students Can Turn Jargon into Messages the Public Understands**Shayne White, Dr. Laura Fischer | *Texas Tech University*
- **31. Digital Media Detox: Using a Social Media Cleanse in a Digital Media Class**Reagan Skow and Audrey E. H. King | *Oklahoma State University*
- 32. Leveraging 'Q Method Software' for Synchronous Online Card Sorting with American Cattle Producers

Ginger Orton, Dr. Laura Fischer, Dr. Courtney Meyers, Dr. David Doerfert, Dr. Matt Raven | *Texas Tech University; Michigan State University*

33. Empowering Interviews: Establishing Confidence in Sharing Personal Stories in Professional Interviews

Anne Hodnett, Shannon L. Norris-Parish | New Mexico State



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