

# Awards & Fellows

2017 INTERNATIONAL ANNUAL MEETING

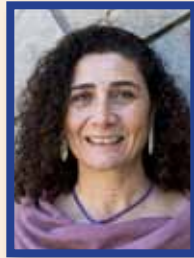


The Societies recognize award recipients at Awards Ceremonies held during the Annual Meeting in Tampa, FL, Oct. 22–25, 2017.





**Jimmy Zumba**  
Congressional  
Science Fellow  
**A-C-S Award**



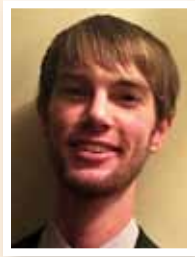
**M. Francesca  
Cotrufo**  
Mentoring Award  
**A-C-S Award**



**Taylor B. Berkshire**  
Agronomic Travel  
Study Scholarship



**Katelyn Fritz**  
Agronomic Travel  
Study Scholarship



**Kolby Grint**  
Agronomic Travel  
Study Scholarship



**Samantha Teten**  
Agronomic Travel  
Study Scholarship



**Nick Theisen**  
J. Fielding Reed  
Scholarship



**Nicholas L. Hurdle**  
Frank D. Keim Gradu-  
ate Fellowship



**Taylor A. Young**  
Frank D. Keim Gradu-  
ate Fellowship



**Martin Battaglia**  
Nelson Yield-Limiting  
Factors Graduate  
Scholarship



**Lee Briese**  
International Certified  
Crop Adviser of the  
Year Award



**Hardev Sandhu**  
ASA Early Career  
Professional Award



**Jorge A. Delgado**  
Environmental Quality  
Research Award



**Quirine M. Ketterings**  
Carl Sprengel  
Agronomic Research  
Award



**Rajiv Khosla**  
Werner L. Nelson  
Award for Diagnosis of  
Yield-Limiting Factors



**Roger W. Elmore**  
Agronomic Education  
& Extension Award



**Fredrick F. Vocasek**  
Agronomic Industry  
Award



**Zhenli He**  
Kingenta Agricultural  
Science Award



**Yanqi Wu**  
Tengtou Agricultural  
Science Award



**Charles W. Rice**  
International  
Agronomy Award



**Clifford S. Snyder**  
ASA Distinguished  
Service Award



**Women Farmers**  
ASA Presidential  
Award



A program within the Golden Opportunity Scholars Institute, sponsored by ASA and ICCA, supporting outstanding undergraduates in a B.S. or A.S. program who plan to enter the workforce upon graduation.



**Keely Overmyer**  
Ohio State Univ.



**Georgina Erandi Reyes Solorio**  
California State Univ.-Fresno



**Nancy Alexis Valdez**  
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**Sarah Zerger**  
Kansas State Univ.



**Anju Giri**  
Crop Science Graduate Scholarship



**Hannah Schneider**  
Crop Science Graduate Scholarship



**Clinton J. Steketeer**  
Crop Science Graduate Scholarship



**Jay McCurdy**  
CSSA Early Career Award



**Peter Bretting**  
Frank N. Meyer Medal for Plant Genetic Resources



**Carol Baskin**  
Seed Science Award



**Jerry Baskin**  
Seed Science Award



**Alexey Morgunov**  
International Crop Science Award



**Craig Roberts**  
Crop Science Extension Education Award



**Tom Elmo Clemente**  
Crop Science Research Award



**Samuel Bruce Martin**  
Fred V. Grau Turfgrass Science Award



**Edward S. Buckler IV**  
CSSA Presidential Award



**Soil  
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Hubert J. Byrd Sr.  
Scholarship



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Simon**  
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Scholarship



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Clark Soil Biology  
Scholarship



**Jonathan Alexander**  
Soil & Water  
Conservation  
Scholarship



**Joseph A. Burke**  
Gary "Pete" Peterson  
Dryland Soil Manage-  
ment Scholarship



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Award



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Award



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Award



**Charles W. Rice**  
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Member



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Award



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The Golden Opportunity Scholars Institute matches undergraduates with scientist-mentors. The program encourages students to pursue careers in the agronomic, crop, and soil sciences. It is supported through the Agronomic Science Foundation.



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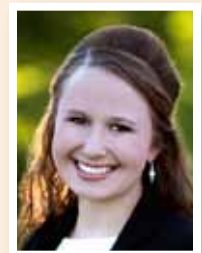
**Hunt Walne**  
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**Ciera Ware**  
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## 2017 Award Programs

Marriott Tampa Waterside, Grand Ballroom E-F

### CSSA Breakfast, Awards, and Plenary

*Betty Klepper Endowed Lectureship*

Monday, Oct. 23 7:00-9:00 am

### SSSA Breakfast, Awards, and Plenary

*Nyle C. Brady Frontiers of Soil Science Lectureship*

Tuesday, Oct. 24 7:00-9:00 am

### ASA Breakfast, Awards and Plenary

*E.T. & Vam York Distinguished ASA Lectureship*

Wednesday, Oct. 25 7:00-9:00 am



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*Nominate in 2018*

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