



AWARDS PRESENTATION



August 4, 2020

Dear AAAP Members and Guests:

Welcome to the AAAP Foundation Awards Presentation – the first virtual awards event in the history of the AAAP! Tonight, we honor students and distinguished AAAP members and their accomplishments, from early career achievement to long-term contributions to our profession.

We recognize and thank Zoetis Global Poultry for generous ongoing sponsorship of the Awards Presentation. Zoetis, CEVA, Boehringer Ingelheim, and Huvepharma are Diamond Level sponsors of the AAAP Scientific Meeting with contributions of \$10,000 and over. Please thank them and the other meeting contributors for their support. Their generosity makes this meeting possible and enables the opportunity for us to gather as colleagues and friends.

We are grateful for the dedication of those who serve on the selection committees, including Awards Committee, and committees for Poultry Scholarship selection, Preceptorship selection, and Avian Biosciences Travel Awards. These AAAP members work hard but also experience the rewards of learning more about our newest members as well as those who are long-serving.

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Thank you for attending our awards presentation. Congratulations in advance to the award recipients!



Frederic J. Hoerr
President, American Association of Avian Pathologists Foundation

Awards Ceremony

Welcome	Eric Jensen AAAP President
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Presentation of Awards

Awards	Presented By
Poultry Scholarship Awards	Francene Van Sambeek
Preceptorship Scholarship Awards	Karen Grogan
L. Dwight Schwartz Travel Scholarship	Rocio Crespo
Avian Biosciences Travel Award	Erica Spackman
A.S. "Rosy" Rosenwald Student Poster Awards	Andrea Zedek
Reed Rumsey Award	David Suarez
Case Report Award	Alexandra Reilley
P.P. Levine Award	Mo Saif
Lasher-Bottorff Award	John Dunn
Phibro Animal Health Excellence in Poultry Research Award	Hector Cervantes
AAAP Mentorship Award	Julie Kelly
Life Member Award	Bill Stanley
Special Service Award	Eric Jensen
Hall of Honor Award	Eric Jensen

The AAAP Foundation encourages excellence and enables opportunity for those dedicated to nourishing the world with a sustainable abundance of healthy poultry.

AAAP Foundation Scholarship Awards

Endowed Poultry Scholarships

AAAP Past Presidents Poultry Scholarship

Myrna Cadena, University of California, Davis

UGA Jack Tumlin MAM Poultry Scholarship

Jason Sousa, Texas A&M University

Arthur Bickford Poultry Scholarship

Nerisa Reidl, The Ohio State University

Riddell-Julian Canadian Poultry Scholarship

Stephanie Bourgon, University of Guelph

G. Yan Ghazikhanian Poultry Scholarship

Sara Fleckenstein, Virginia-Maryland College

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AAAP Foundation Poultry Scholarships

Sabrina Hurst, University of Georgia

Madisyn Murphy, Purdue University

Lindsay Brunet, St. George's University

Olivia Lockyear, Auburn University

Merck Animal Health Poultry Scholarships

Youngkyoung (Isabelle) Kwon, University of Guelph

Elizabeth Davis, Virginia-Maryland College

Hannah Sather, North Carolina State University

Eliza Theis, University of Minnesota

Valeria Johnson, Michigan State University

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2020 Kenneth H. Eskelund Preceptorships

Leah Metzger, Kansas State University
Amanda Wilson, Iowa State University
Andres Castro, Texas A&M University

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2020 Aviagen Preceptorships

Gunnar Dunnam, Mississippi State University
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Miranda Carrisosa, Auburn University

AAAP Hall of Honor



Lisa Kay Nolan
Born: 1953

Lisa was born into a loving family in Rome, GA. She was blessed with her Dad's curiosity and Mom's sense of wonder, which together evolved into a real interest in science. This interest...passion really...led to her to work nights as a telephone operator to pay for her education at Valdosta State College, where she received a B.S. in Biology. After spending time collecting invertebrates in the Florida Keys and teaching high school, she continued her education at the University of Georgia (UGA), where she was recruited into the research laboratory of Richard Wooley, a professor of Medical Microbiology and father of one of her former high school students. Following receipt of her DVM in 1988, she entered graduate school under the mentorship of Dr. Wooley, where she began her lifelong research into *Escherichia coli*-caused diseases. Following graduation with a PhD in 1992, she became an Assistant Professor of Veterinary and Microbiological Sciences at North Dakota State University, where she continued her research, taught pathogenic microbiology to thousands of students, mentored hundreds of preveterinary students, led the development of the Great Plains Institute of Food Safety and rose through the ranks to become a full professor. From there, Lisa relocated to Iowa State University as the Department Chair of Veterinary Microbiology and Preventive Medicine; where later, she became the Associate Dean of Academic and Student Affairs, Associate Dean of Research, and the Dr. Stephen G. Juelsgaard Dean of Veterinary Medicine. Now, Lisa's career has taken her home, where she serves as the Georgia Athletics Association Distinguished Professor and Dean of the UGA's College of Veterinary Medicine. Reflecting back on her career, Lisa feels deep gratitude to her mentors for their guidance and example, students for their enthusiasm and intellectual challenge, and colleagues for their camaraderie. It has been a grand adventure!



Patricia Ann Dunn

Born: 1957

Patty was born in Huntingdon, Pennsylvania (USA). She received a BS in Biology at the Pennsylvania State University in 1979. Her professional education was at University of Wisconsin- Madison, where she completed the DVM degree in 1989 and at the University of Georgia, where she received the MAM degree in 1991. She attained Diplomate status in the American College of Poultry Veterinarians in

1992.

In 1991, Patty joined the faculty at the Pennsylvania State University, Department of Veterinary Science, Animal Diagnostic Lab (ADL) as an avian diagnostic pathologist and field investigator. She initially worked with Dr. David Kradel in the areas of avian influenza and Salmonella enteritidis diagnostics, epidemiology and control, as well as in the poultry diagnostic services. Another early career mentor was Dr. Robert Owen, who was completing his PhD thesis research on ascites syndrome. The unique and diverse nature of the poultry enterprises in the state and region have kept her busy trying to find practical answers to a variety of avian disease dilemmas. Her work includes some of the first descriptions in the US of Muscovy duck parvovirus and reovirus, ascarid larval hepatitis in turkeys, focal duodenal necrosis in layers, cecal brachyspirosis associated with “dirty egg syndrome” in layers and variant reoviruses in broilers. She has collaborated with researchers on hypoglycemia spiking mortality in broilers and molecular epidemiology of Marek’s disease virus in the region. Major efforts include helping the Kosher poultry industry and those supplying the northeast live bird marketing system with problems specific to their production systems. Mentoring undergraduate, graduate and visiting veterinary medical students through the years is another highlight. She has been a continuous participant in the Northeastern Conference on Avian Diseases (NECAD) and was Chair twice. Patty served on numerous AAAP and ACPV standing and ad hoc committees, including chairing the ACPV exam committee, and contributed to AAAP educational materials. She was AAAP President in 2012.

Since 1991, Patty is married to Dr. Art Hattel, a veterinary pathologist. Being trained by their Labrador retrievers is her major pastime. She also enjoys hiking, swimming, and reading mysteries. She looks forward to retirement with plans for returning to the farm and the farming activities of her youth with Shorthorn cattle, a mustang mare and a few goats.



Patricia Wakenell

Born: 1954

PATRICIA WAKENELL, DVM, PhD born in San Antonio, TX is a professor emerita of poultry medicine at Purdue University and worked as Head of Avian Diagnostics at the Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory from 2008-2019. Dr. Wakenell established the endowed Wakenell-Eilenfeldt Avian Diagnostic Residency program at Purdue in 2012 and is the Director, performs diagnostic service including farm

visits, and teaches 4 poultry courses. Her unofficial titles are Poultry Princess and Duck Duchess. Pat carries her poultry work with her everywhere as numerous poultry purses and poultry themed clothes make her a legitimate poultry fashionista. Previously, Pat was a professor at the University of California-Davis since 1990. She served as the Chief of the Poultry Medical Service, taught 7 courses and conducted research in embryo vaccination, genetics, and pathology. Pat received her B.S, in horticulture, and DVM from Michigan State University. She practiced veterinary medicine (all species) in Massachusetts and Michigan and then returned to MSU for a residency in pathology (all species including human) in 1980. Pat received a Ph.D. in pathology from MSU and the USDA Avian Disease and Oncology Laboratory in 1985, writing a doctoral thesis on embryo vaccination (patented by USDA). She became board certified in veterinary clinical pathology and served as Director of Poultry Research and IACOC veterinarian at Sanofi Animal Health. Pat is a past president of both the Western Poultry Disease Conference and the American Association of Avian Pathologists.

Pat is married to Mark Eilenfeldt and they have 2 adult daughters, Alyssa and Kiah and 1 grandchild, Elliott.

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