

2011 ESS Excellence in Multistate Research Award



NORTH CENTRAL REGION

NC-1030

***FAMILY FIRMS AND POLICY IN
TIMES OF DISRUPTION***

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NORTHEAST REGION

NE-1025

***BIOLOGY, ECOLOGY AND
MANAGEMENT OF EMERGING
PESTS OF ANNUAL BLUEGRASS
ON GOLF COURSES***

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SOUTHERN REGION

S-1032

***IMPROVING THE
SUSTAINABILITY OF
LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY
PRODUCTION IN THE UNITED
STATES***

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WESTERN REGION

W-2188

***CHARACTERIZING MASS AND
ENERGY TRANSPORT AT DIFFERENT
VADOSE ZONE SCALES***

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NATIONAL AWARD

S-1032

***IMPROVING THE
SUSTAINABILITY OF
LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY
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BACKGROUND

- **USE OF \$15,000 OF OFF-THE-TOP MRF AS AWARD TO NATIONAL WINNER**
- **UP TO \$5000 FOR TRAVEL TO AWARD CEREMONY**
- **BALANCE OF FUNDS TO SUPPORT ACTIVITIES WHICH ENHANCE & CONTRIBUTE TO RESEARCH AND/OR OUTREACH OBJECTIVES OF PROJECT**

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ACTION REQUESTED:

**APPROVAL OF \$15,000 OF HATCH MRF FOR
2011 EXCELLENCE IN MULTISTATE
RESEARCH AWARD**

**(WILL BE INCLUDED ON THE BALLOT WITH
NRSP BUDGETS & PROPOSALS)**