

**From the Western Association of Agricultural Experiment Station Directors:**

Dr. Colin Kaltenbach, Dean and Director Emeritus, University of Arizona

- Colin served as a critical thinking and creative force in his 28 years (the longest serving in recent history!) as Director, regional association and ESCOP chair, proposer of the first edition of the Science Roadmap, first ESS representative to the newly constituted Policy Board of Directors, key leadership with Competitive Multistate Programs, support for the current communications and marketing effort and, simply put, straight-talking cowboy wisdom.