2022 North Central Branch of the Entomological Society of America Annual Committee Report

Committee Name: Professional Awards Committee

Committee Members:

Chair Kevin Rice

Kayla Perry (Chair 2022-2023)

Josie Dillon (student representative)

Ashley Stewart

Henry Chung

Janet Knodel

Kim Nemeth

Committee Objective(s):

Review award applications and determine the best candidate for each award category

Committee Activities:

Each member of the committee reviewed and scored applications. We then met as a group to discuss candidates and vote for each category

Suggestions for Improvement:

There were some issues with the automated scoring tabulation software. Initial scores were not added correctly. This issue was observed by a committee member and reported to ESA.