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**COLORADO CHAPTER OF THE WILDLIFE SOCIETY
A W A R D S**

DATE:

1977

James E. Morris Award for Professional Achievement

1978

Gilbert Hunter Honorary Chapter Membership

Colorado Division of Highways, U.S. Forest Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Federal Highway Administration, Trout Unlimited, Colorado Division of Wildlife - Certificate of Appreciation, in recognition of their efforts toward improvement of Ten Mile Creek as a trout fishery in conjunction with the construction of Interstate 70 between Frisco and Copper Mountain.

1980

Clait Braun Professional Achievement Award
Ralph Hill Honorary Chapter Membership

1981

Dr. Ron Ryder Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Dave Weber Outstanding Service Award
Carol Boggis Outstanding Paper
Jack R. Grieb Blown Blunderbuss Award

1982

Paul Gilbert Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Glen Rogers Honorary Chapter Membership
John Kendall Run for Wildlife
Jim Olterman Outstanding Support of Chapter Activities
Drew Grainger Newsletter
Colorado Open Space Council Concern for Natural Resources in Colorado
Richard Spowart Blown Blunderbuss Award

1983

Len H. Carpenter Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Robert L. Hoover Honorary Chapter Membership
Ken Giesen Run for Wildlife (1st Place - Chapter Member)
Ralph A. Schmidt, Sr. Chapter Service Award - Riparian Handbook
William R. Lance Chapter Service Award - Annual Meeting Programs
A. William Alldredge Chapter Service Award - CSU Chapter Involvement
Charles H. Wagner Chapter Service Award - Deer Census Techniques Work
Thomas A. Lytle Chapter Service Award - Outstanding Support of Chapter Activities
Donald L. Schrupp Chapter Service Award - Outstanding Support of Chapter Activities
Thomas P. Nestler Blown Blunderbuss Award

1984

Clait E. Braun	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Jack R. Grieb	Honorary Chapter Membership
Wayne W. Sandford	Honorary Chapter Membership
Harold M. Swope	Honorary Chapter Membership
Iola Baker	Chapter Service Award
Eugene Decker	Chapter Service Award
Thomas K. Henry, Jr.	Chapter Service Award
Rick W. Hoffman	Chapter Service Award
Charles W. Loeffler	Professional Achievement
Steve R. Lucero	Professional Achievement
Jim Houston	Professional Achievement
George H. Bock	Professional Achievement
Craig Rupp	Professional Achievement
Larry L. Green	Professional Achievement
Len H. Carpenter	Blown Blunderbuss Award

1985

Charles P. Hibler	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Gustav A. Swanson	Honorary Chapter Membership
Robert K. Rosette	Honorary Chapter Membership
John Smeltzer	Chapter Service Award
Pete Greene	Chapter Service Award
N. Thompson Hobbs	Professional Achievement
Robert L. Holder	Professional Achievement
Steve Emmons	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Rick Hoffman	Richard Denney Outstanding Speaker Award

1986

Wayne Sandfort	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Pete Greenne	Honorary Chapter Membership
Gene Decker	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Education
Ron Velarde	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Management
Bruce Gill	Chapter Service Award
Cynthia Wong	Richard Denney Outstanding Speaker Award
Andre Duvall	Blown Blunderbuss Award

1987

Fritz Knopf	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Richard M. Bartmann	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Research
Paul A. Vohs	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Administration
Ann Hodgson	Chapter Service Award
David Stevens	Chapter Service Award
Paul F. Gilbert	Honorary Chapter Membership
Terrell B. Quick	Honorary Chapter Membership
Mike Schroeder	Richard Denney Outstanding Speaker Award
CSU Student Chapters of the American Fisheries Society and The Wildlife Society	Blown Blunderbuss Award

Past President Pins were awarded to: Pete Greene, Hal Swope, Dale Hein, Farrell Copelin, Dick Pillmore, Joe Artmann, Rick Hoffman, Jack Capp, and Pete Davis. Pete Davis was also presented with the outgoing president

plaque.

1988

Gary C. White	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Gene Byrne	Professional Achievement Award Wildlife Management
Richard (Bud) Smith	Professional Achievement Award Wildlife Education
Bob Davies	Chapter Service Award
Richard Hoffman	Chapter Service Award
Jim Houston	Honorary Chapter Membership
Ron Ryder	Honorary Chapter Membership
Mark Leslie and Don Lewis	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Tom Hobbs	Richard Denney Outstanding Speaker Award

Steve Mighton was presented with a plaque and Past President pin as outgoing president.

1989

Errol Ryland	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Lee Upham	Professional Achievement Award Wildlife Administration
Warren Snyder	Professional Achievement Award Wildlife Research
Mike Grode	Chapter Service Award
Robert Streeter	Chapter Service Award
Bill McKean	Honorary Chapter Membership
Vincent Reid	Honorary Chapter Membership
Bob Hernbrode	Blown Blunderbuss Award
James Bailey	Richard Denney Outstanding Speaker Award
Marianne Hershcopf	Meritorious Service Award

Dave Weber was presented with a plaque and Past President pin as outgoing president.

1990

Gordon East	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Jim Goodyear	Professional Achievement Award Wildlife Management
Cathy Melin	Professional Achievement Award Wildlife Management
Jean Tool	Professional Achievement Award Wildlife Education
Joan Friedlander	Chapter Service Award
Dave Otis	Chapter Service Award
Linda Sikorowski	Chapter Service Award
Dale Shaw	Honorary Chapter Membership
Jean Tool	Honorary Chapter Membership
Rick Sherman	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Jim Ringelman	Richard Denney Outstanding Speaker Award
N. Thompson Hobbs	Richard Denney Outstanding Speaker Award
William Andelt	Best Poster Display
Noreen Walsh	Best Student Paper

Dave Stevens was presented with a plaque and Past President pin as outgoing president.

1991

Dick Hopper	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Bruce Gill	Professional Achievement Award Wildlife Administration
Allen Anderson	Professional Achievement Award Wildlife Research
Bruce Goforth	Chapter Service Award

Lonnie Nelson	Chapter Service Award
Bob Schmidt	Meritorius Service Award
Alex Cringan	Honorary Chapter Membership
Dale Wills	Honorary Chapter Membership
Tom Hobbs	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Tom Hobbs	Richard Denney Outstanding Speaker Award
Paul Stephen Corn and R. Bruce Bury	Best Poster Display
Suzy Danford	Best Poster Display

Dave Freddy was presented with a plaque and Past President pin as outgoing president.

1992

David Anderson	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Park Co. Commissioners	Land Steward Award (First Annual Award)
Dave Weber	Jim McDonough Award
Bob Tulley	Honorary Chapter Membership
Jim Bailey	Honorary Chapter Membership
Carol Bylsma	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Education
Bill Andree	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Management
Francis Pusatari	Chapter Service Award
Donald Whittaker	Chapter Service Award
Gary Gerhardt	Meritorious Service Award
Timothy P. Woolley	Best Student Technical Paper Award
William F. Andelt	Best Technical Paper Award

Bruce Gill	Blown Blunderbuss Award
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Linda Sikorowski was presented with a plaque and Past President pin as outgoing president.

1993

Jerry Craig	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Van Graham	Chapter Service Award
Lisa Langelier	Chapter Service Award
Patricia Mercer	Professional Achievement Award in Administration
Tom Beck	Professional Achievement Award in Research
Mary Cunningham	Meritorious Service Award
Barry Dupire	Meritorious Service Award
Jim Hicks	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Delwin Benson	Richard Denney Best Speaker Award
Natl. Wildlife Refuge Association	Best Poster Award

Gene Byrne was presented with a plaque and Past President pin as outgoing president.

1994

Gene Decker	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Bob Clark	Meritorious Service Award
Joe Frothingham	Meritorious Service Award
Rick Schnaderbeck	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Mike Carter	Professional Achievement Award in Education
Kirk Navo	Chapter Service Award
Kathleen Fagerstone	Chapter Service Award
Wildcat Ranch	Land Steward Award

Tom Remington Blown Blunderbuss Award

Tom Remington was presented with a plaque and Past President pin as outgoing president.

1995

R. Bruce Gill	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Richard Hoffman	Meritorious Service Award
Ralph Morgenweck	Professional Achievement Award in Administration
Susan Skagen	Professional Achievement Award in Research
Van Graham	Chapter Service Award
Dave Lovell	Chapter Service Award
Steve McCall	Chapter Service Award
Summit County	Land Steward Award
Mike McLain	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Lois Webster	Honorary Member
Keith Giezentanner	Richard Denney Public Speaking

Del Benson was presented with a plaque and Past President pin as outgoing president.

1996

Paul A. Vohs, Jr.	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
William Lance	Meritorious Service Award
Dale A. Hein	Professional Achievement Award in Education
Kirk Navo	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Robert Davies	Chapter Service Award
Roxanne Falise	Chapter Service Award
Charles Loeffler	Chapter Service Award
Dale Reed	Chapter Service Award
Eagle County	Land Steward Award
N. Thompson Hobbs	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Perry D. Olson	Honorary Member
John P. Goettl	Richard Denney Public Speaking

Bruce Goforth was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

1997

Warren Snyder	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
David C. Lovell	Meritorious Service Award
Richard Reynolds	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Research
John Smeltzer	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Administration
Rick Schnaderback	Chapter Service Award
Joe Gerrans	Chapter Service Award
Charles Loeffler	Chapter Service Award
Routt County/Mountain Area Land Trust	Land Steward Award
Colorado Chapter of The Wildlife Society	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Tom Lytle	Honorary Membership
Paul A. Vohs, Jr.	Honorary Membership
Dave Freddy	Richard Denney Public Speaking

Lyn Stevens was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

1998

William Adrian	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Rick Hoffman	Meritorious Service Award
Len Carpenter	Meritorious Service Award
Brad Petch	Professional Achievement Award in Education
Rick Kahn	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Jane Griess	Chapter Service Award
Dale Reed	Chapter Service Award
Bruce Goforth	Chapter Service Award
Tom Remington	Chapter Service Award
Steve Porter	Chapter Service Award
Dave Seeber	Chapter Service Award
Lyn Stevens	Chapter Service Award
Mike Szymczak	Chapter Service Award
Tim Davis	Chapter Service Award
Lee Upham	Chapter Service Award
Matthew Judy	Chapter Service Award
Gene Decker	Chapter Service Award
Nancy Ryke	Chapter Service Award
Jennie Slater	Chapter Service Award
Francie Pusateri	Chapter Service Award
Gene Byrne	Chapter Service Award
Rio Grande Water Conservancy District	Land Steward Award
Libbie Miller	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Sara Oyler-McCance	Richard Denney Public Speaking

Gary Skiba was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

JANUARY 1999 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 1998)

Dr. Dale Hein	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Jane Griess	Meritorious Service Award
Michael Albee	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Administration
Mike Miller	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Research
Bob Clark	Honorary Chapter Membership
Carolyn Bryant Holmberg (posthumous)	Land Steward Award
Bob Davies	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Wayne Shepperd	Richard Denney Public Speaking

Kirk Navo was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

JANUARY 2000 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 1999)

Dr. James Fitzgerald	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
	Meritorious Service Award
Mary Taylor Young	Professional Achievement Award in Education

Gene Byrne	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Jim Olterman	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Tanya Shenk	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Dave Kenvin	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Gary Patton	Professional Achievement Award in Management
John Seidel	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Margaret Wild	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Herman & Susan Dieterich	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Scott Wait	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Todd Malmsbury	Professional Achievement Award in Management
Francie Pusateri	Chapter Service Award
Gary Skiba	Chapter Service Award
Clait Braun	Honorary Membership
Dale Hein	Honorary Membership
Steve Bissell	Honorary Membership
Rick Sherman	Honorary Membership
Tom Henry	Honorary Membership
Mike Stone	Honorary Membership
Northern Colo. Water Conservancy District	Land Steward Award
Scott Miller	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Dave Freddy	Richard Denney Public Speaking
Roxanne Falise	National Wildlife Week Contribution
CSU Student Chapter	National Wildlife Week Contribution

Tom Pojar was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

JANUARY 2001 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2000)

Dr. Michael W. Fell	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Lyn Stevens	Meritorious Service Award
Gary Skiba	
John Mumma	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Admin.
Tom Pojar	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Research
Chad Bishop	Chapter Service Award
Bill Alldredge	Honorary Membership
Bruce Gill	Honorary Membership
Colorado Cattleman's Agricultural Land Trust	Land Steward Award
Greg Phillips	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Tanya Shenk	Richard Denney Public Speaking
Michelle Lassige	Best Poster Award

Pam Schnurr was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

JANUARY 2002 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2001)

Dr. Bill Alldredge	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Tom Ingersoll	Meritorious Service Award
Lea Bonewell	
Nancy LaMantia-Olson	
Carole Wilkey	

Toni Piaggio	
Dawn Keating	
Dave Weber	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Education
Bruce Watkins	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Management
Laramie Foothills Project	Land Steward Award
Mike Crosby	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Dave Freddy	Richard Denney Public Speaking

Francie Pusateri was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

JANUARY 2003 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2002)

Mike Miller	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Tanya Shenk	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Research
Russell George	Professional Achievement Award in Wildlife Administration
Lyn Stevens	Meritorious Service Award
Pam Schnurr	Chapter Service Award
Dave Weber, Lee Upham	Honorary Membership
Bats in Mines Project	Land Steward Award
Bill deVergie	Blown Blunderbuss Award
Dr. Hana Van Campen	Richard Denney Public Speaking

Rob Schorr was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

JANUARY 2004 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2003)

Charlie Meyers	Outstanding Journalistic Contributions in Wildlife Conservation
Theo Stein	
Dave Buchanan	
Gary Gerhardt	
Ed Dentry	
Rick Kahn	Jim Olterman Professional Achievement in Wildlife Management
Steve Lucero	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Education
Francie Pusateri	Meritorious Service Award
Lisa Evans	Chapter Service Award
Bob Davies	Chapter Service Award
Carl and Cherry Stogsdill	Land Steward Award
Francie Pusateri	Blown Blunderbuss
Chad Bishop	Richard Denney Best Speaker Award
Matthew Dunfee	Best Poster Award

JANUARY 2005 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2004)

David J. Freddy	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
John Ellenberger	Honorary Membership
Van Graham	Honorary Membership
Lyn Sexton	Chapter Service
Bob Welch	Meritorious Service
Town of Eagle	Land Steward Award
The Uncompahgre Plateau Project	Professional Achievement in Habitat Management
Richard Hoffman	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Research

Rick Kahn	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Administration
Chad Bishop	Blown Blunderbuss
Lance Carpenter	Richard Denney Best Speaker Award

JANUARY 2006 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2005)

Lyn Stevens	Honorary Membership
Danguole Bockus	Chapter Service
Wendy Hanophy	Professional Achievement in Education
Kirk Oldham	Professional Achievement in Law Enforcement
Jerry Apker	Jim Olterman Award for Professional Achievement in Wildlife Management
Wineinger-Davis Ranch	Land Steward Award
Kirk Navo	Blown Blunderbuss
Kurt VerCauteren	Richard Denney Best Speaker Award
Mike Lavelle, Patrick Burke	Best Poster Award
New Belgium Brewing Company	Appreciation Award for Long-term Chapter Support
Heritage Frames and Fine Art	Appreciation Award for Long-term Chapter Support
Colorado Chapter	The Wildlife Society Chapter of the Year Award

JANUARY 2007 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2006)

Ken Burnham	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Rick Hoffman	Honorary Membership
Mike Grode	
Donald Schrupp	
Tom Remington	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Administration
Chad Bishop	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Research
Casey Cooley	Professional Achievement in Habitat Management
John and Andy Welch	Land Steward Award
Chad Morgan	Blown Blunderbuss
Chad Bishop	Richard Denney Best Speaker Award
Tyler Hicks	Best Poster Award
The Nature Conservancy	Appreciation Award for Long-term Chapter Support

Michelle Cowardin was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

JANUARY 2008 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2007)

Jack Capp	Honorary Membership
Eugene Byrne	
Richard Pillmore	
Leslie Elwood	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Administration
Lisa Evans	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Education
Grady Grissom	Land Steward Award
Mead Klavetter	Blown Blunderbuss
Jon Kindler	Chapter Service Award
Bob Davies	
Tyler Hicks	Richard Denney Best Speaker Award
Dan Thompson	Best Poster Award

Fred Cummings

Ron Beane was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

JANUARY 2009 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2008)

Len Carpenter	Honorary Membership
Bruce Goforth	
Tom Martin	Professional Achievement in Law Enforcement
Dave Freddy	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Research
Mike Zeman	Professional Achievement in Habitat Management
Gretchen Holschuh	Blown Blunderbuss
Renee Seidler	Richard Denney Best Speaker Award

Mead Klavetter was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

FEBRUARY 2010 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2009)

Mike Crosby	Professional Achievement in Law Enforcement
Darby Finley	Jim Olterman Award for Professional Achievement in Wildlife Management
Tom Warren	Professional Achievement in Administration
Katy Fitzgerald	Professional Achievement in Education
Michelle Cowardin	Chapter Service Award
Eric O'Dell	Chapter Service Award
Dave Freddy	Honorary Membership
Brett Walker	Richard Denny Best Speaker Award
Eric Bergman	Blown Blunderbuss Award

Jerry Powell was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

FEBRUARY 2011 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2010)

Robert Skorkowsky	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Bruce Rosenlund	Professional Achievement in Administration
Thomas O'Shea	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Research
Ed Gorman	Professional Achievement in Habitat Management
Dan Walsh	Chapter Service Award
Marty Stratman	Chapter Service Award
Gary White	Honorary Membership
Kathryn Bernier	Richard Denny Best Speaker Award (Undergraduate)
Amy Davis	Richard Denny Best Speaker Award (Graduate)
Rick Kahn	Blown Blunderbuss Award

Noe Marymor was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

FEBRUARY 2012 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2011)

Rick Kahn	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Patty Knupp	Jim Olterman Award for Professional Achievement in Wildlife Management
Kelly Crane	Professional Achievement in Law Enforcement
Dr. Pat Magee	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Education
Sky Mountain Park	Land Stewardship Award
Rob Schorr	Chapter Service Award
Rick Krueger	Meritorious Service Award
Carolyn Gunn	Richard Denny Best Speaker Award (Technical Presentation)
Andy Holland	Blown Blunderbuss Award

FEBRUARY 2013 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2012)

Ken Wilson	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievement in Wildlife Sciences
Jim Garner	Jim Olterman Award for Professional Achievement in Wildlife Management
Chuck Anderson	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Research
Gary White	Chapter Service Award
Gary Skiba	Honorary Chapter Membership
Bob Davies	Meritorious Service Award
Jennifer Swanson	Best Student Presentation (Richard Denny Best Speaker Award (Technical Presentation))
Sara Bombaci	Best Poster
Kirk Oldham	Blown Blunderbuss Award

Mindy Rice was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

FEBRUARY 2014 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2013)

Rick Schnaderbeck	Meritorious Service Award
Mindy Rice	Chapter Service Award
Raquel Wertsbaugh	Chapter Service Award
Gary and Georgia Walker	Land Steward Award
Eric Bergman	Blown Blunderbuss
Rebecca Wagner	Best Student Presentation
Kirstie Yeager	Best Student Presentation
Matthew Hopken	Best Student Poster
Rick Hoffman	TWS Fellow

FEBRUARY 2015 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2014)

Ryan Monello	Chapter Service Award
Michelle Gallagher	Meritorious Service Award
Gary White	Honorary Chapter Membership
Mike Crosby	Honorary Chapter Membership
Gary White	Blown Blunderbuss
Jennifer Timmer	Best Student Poster
Kitt Haven	Best Student Poster
Wendy Lanier	Best Student Presentation
Travis Gallo	Best Student Presentation

FEBRUARY 2016 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2015)

Michelle Cowardin	Professional Achievement in Habitat Management
Doreen Sumerlin & Dan Brock	Jim Olterman Award for Professional Achievement in Wildlife Management
Bill DeVergie	Blown Blunderbuss
Ryan Wilbur	Best Poster
Jeremy Dertien	Best Presentation

FEBRUARY 2017 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2016)

Dr. Jake Ivan	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Research
Nathan Seward	Professional Achievement in Habitat Management
Dr. Larissa Bailey	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Jeremy Huntington	Blown Blunderbuss – Darting sharp-shooter
Marina Rodriguez	Best Student Poster
Jessica Shyuers	Best Poster Runner-up
Patrick Lendrum	Best Presentation-Grad
Marcel Such	Best Presentation-Undergrad

Tony Gurzick was presented with a plaque as outgoing president.

FEBRUARY 2018 WINTER MEETING (FOR WORK IN 2017)

Mark Vierra	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Management
Bruce Gill	Professional Achievement in Wildlife Education
Scott Wait	Douglas L. Gilbert Award for Outstanding Achievements in Wildlife Sciences
Michelle Cowardin	Meritorious Service
Chase Taylor	Blown Blunderbuss
Megan Jones	Best Presentation-Grad
James Kelleher	Best Undergraduate Student Poster
Marina Rodriguez	Best Graduate Student Poster

AWARDS BY TITLE:

MERITORIUS SERVICE AWARD

- 1989 MARIANNE HERSHCOPF
- 1991 BOB SCHMIDT
- 1992 GARY GERHARDT
- 1993 MARY CUNNINGHAM
- 1993 BARRY DUPIRE
- 1994 JOE FROTHINGHAM
- 1994 BOB CLARK
- 1995 RICHARD HOFFMAN
- 1996 WILLIAM LANCE
- 1997 DAVID C. LOVELL
- 1998 RICK HOFFMAN / LEN CARPENTER
- 1999 JANE GRIESS
- 2001 LYN STEVENS, GARY SKIBA
- 2002 TOM INGERSOLL, LEA BONEWELL, NANCY LAMANTIA-OLSON, CAROLE WILKEY, TONI PIAGGIO, DAWN KEATING
- 2003 LYN STEVENS
- 2004 FRANCIIE PUSATERI
- 2005 BOB WELCH
- 2012 RICK KRUEGER
- 2013 BOB DAVIES
- 2014 RICK SCHNADERBECK
- 2015 MICHELLE GALLAGHER
- 2018 MICHELLE COWARDIN

BLOWN BLUNDERBUSS AWARD

- 1981 JACK R. GRIEB
- 1982 RICHARD SPOWART
- 1983 THOMAS P. NESLER
- 1984 LEN H. CARPENTER
- 1985 STEVE EMMONS

1986 ANDRE DUVALL
1987 CSU STUDENT CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY
1987 CSU STUDENT CHAPTER OF THE WILDLIFE SOCIETY
1988 MARK LESLIE
1988 DON LEWIS
1989 BOB HERNBRODE
1990 RICK SHERMAN
1991 TOM HOBBS
1992 BRUCE GILL
1993 JIM HICKS
1994 TOM REMINGTON
1995 MIKE MCLAIN
1996 TOM HOBBS
1997 COLORADO CHAPTER OF THE WILDLIFE SOCIETY
1998 LIBBIE MILLER
1999 BOB DAVIES
2000 SCOTT MILLER
2001 GREG PHILLIPS
2002 MIKE CROSBY
2003 BILL DEVERGIE
2004 FRANCIE PUSATERI
2005 CHAD BISHOP
2006 KIRK NAVO
2007 2008 MEAD KLAVETTER
2009 GRETCHEN HOLSCHUH
2010 ERIC BERGMAN
2011 RICK KAHN
2012 ANDY HOLLAND
2013 KIRK OLDHAM
2014 ERIC BERGMAN
2015 GARY WHITE
2016 BILL DEVERGIE
2017 JEREMY HUNTINGTON – DARTING SHARP-SHOOTER
2018 CHASE TAYLOR

CHAPTER SERVICE AWARD

1981 DAVE WEBER
1982 JIM OLTERMAN
1983 A. WILLIAM ALLDREDGE
1983 CHARLES H. WAGNER
1983 WILLIAM R. LANCE
1983 RALPH A. SCHMIDT, SR.
1983 THOMAS A. LYTLER
1983 DONALD L. SCHRUPP
1984 IOLA BAKER
1984 EUGENE DECKER
1984 THOMAS K. HENRY, JR.
1984 RICK W. HOFFMAN
1985 JOHN SMELTZER
1985 PETE GREENE
1986 BRUCE GILL
1987 DAVID STEVENS
1987 ANN HODGSON
1988 BOB DAVIES
1988 RICHARD HOFFMAN
1989 ROBERT STREETER
1989 MIKE GRODE

1990 LINDA SIKOROWSKI
1990 DAVE OTIS
1990 JOAN FRIEDLANDER
1991 LONNIE NELSON
1991 BRUCE GOFORTH
1992 FRANCES PUSATARI
1992 DONALD WHITTAKER
1993 VAN GRAHAM
1993 LISA LANGELIER
1994 KIRK NAVO
1994 KATHY FAGERSTONE
1995 VAN GRAHAM
1995 DAVE LOVELL
1995 STEVE MCCALL
1996 ROBERT DAVIES
1996 ROXANNE FALISE
1996 CHARLES LOEFFLER
1996 DALE REED
1997 RICK SCHNADERBACK, JOE GERRANS
1998 JANE GRIESS, DALE REED, BRUCE GOFORTH, TOM REMINGTON, STEVE PORTER,
DAVE SEEBER, LYN STEVENS, MIKE SZYMCAK, TIM DAVIS, LEE UPHAM, MATTHEW
JUDY, GENE DECKER, NANCY RYKE, JENNIE SLATER, FRANCI PUSATERI, GENE
BYRNE
2000 FRANCI PUSATERI, GARY SKIBA
2001 CHAD BISHOP
2003 PAM SCHNURR
2004 LISA EVANS, BOB DAVIES
2005 LYN SEXTON
2006 DANGUOLE BOCKUS
2008 JON KINDLER, BOB DAVIES
2010 MICHELLE COWARDIN, ERIC O'DELL
2011 DAN WALSH, MARTY STRATMAN
2012 ROB SCHORR
2013 GARY WHITE
2014 MINDY RICE, RAQUEL WERTSBAUGH
2015 RYAN MONELLO

**DOUGLAS L. GILBERT AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS IN WILDLIFE
SCIENCES**

1981 RON RYDER
1982 PAUL GILBERT
1983 LEN H. CARPENTER
1984 CLAIT E. BRAUN
1985 CHARLES P. HIBLER
1986 WAYNE SANDFORT
1987 FRITZ KNOPF
1988 GARY C. WHITE
1989 ERROL RYLAND
1990 GORDON EAST
1991 DICK HOPPER
1992 DAVID ANDERSON
1993 JERRY CRAIG
1994 GENE DECKER
1995 BRUCE GILL
1996 PAUL VOHS
1997 WARREN SNYDER

1998 WILLIAM J. ADRIAN
1999 DR. DALE HEIN
2000 DR. JAMES FITZGERALD
2001 MICHAEL W. FALL
2002 BILL ALDREDGE
2003 MIKE MILLER
2005 DAVID J. FREDDY
2007 KEN BURNHAM2011 ROBERT SKORKOWSKY
2012 RICK KAHN
2013 KEN WILSON
2017 DR LARISSA BAILEY
2018 SCOTT WAIT

HONORARY CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP

1978 GILBERT HUNTER
1980 RALPH HILL
1982 GLEN ROGERS
1983 ROBERT L. HOOVER
1984 HAROLD M. SWOPE
1984 WAYNE W. SANDFORT
1984 JACK R. GRIEB
1985 GUSTAV A. SWANSON
1985 ROBERT K. ROSETTE
1986 PETE GREENE
1987 PAUL F. GILBERT
1987 TERRELL B. QUICK
1988 JIM HOUSTON
1988 RON RYDER
1989 BILL MCKEAN
1989 VINCENT REID
1990 DALE SHAW
1990 JEAN TOOL
1991 DALE WILLS
1991 ALEX CRINGAN
1992 BOB TULLEY
1992 JIM BAILEY
1995 LOIS WEBSTER
1996 PERRY OLSON
1997 PAUL VOHS
1997 TOM LYTLE
1998 BOB CLARK
1999 CLAIT BRAUN, DALE HEIN, STEVE BISSEL, RICK SHERMAN, TOM HENRY, MIKE STONE
2000 ALDREDGE, BRUCE GILL
2003 DAVE WEBER, LEE UPHAM
2005 JOHN ELLENBERGER, VAN GRAHAM
2006 LYN STEVENS
2007 RICK HOFFMAN, MIKE GRODE, DONALD SCHRUPP
2008 JACK CAPP, RICHARD PILLMORE, EUGENE BYRNE
2009 BRUCE GOFORTH, LEN CARPENTER
2010 DAVE FREDDY
2011 GARY WHITE
2013 GARY SKIBA
2015 GARY WHITE, MIKE CROSBY

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

1977 JAMES E. MORRIS
1980 CLAIT BRAUN
1984 LARRY L. GREEN
1984 STEVE R. LUCERO
1984 CHARLES W. LOEFFLER
1984 GEORGE H. BOCK
1984 CRAIG RUPP
1984 LARRY GREEN
1984 JIM HOUSTON
1985 ROBERT L. HOLDER
1985 N. THOMPSON HOBBS

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN HABITAT MANAGEMENT

2005 The Uncompahgre Plateau Project
2007 CASEY COOLEY
2009 MIKE ZEMAN
2011 ED GORMAN
2013 JIM GARNER
2016 MICHELLE COWARDIN
2017 NATHAN SEWARD

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATION

1987 PAUL A. VOHS
1989 LEE UPHAM
1991 BRUCE GILL
1993 PATRICIA MERCER
1995 RALPH MORGENWECK
1997 JOHN SMELTZER
1998 MICHAEL ALBEE
2001 JOHN MUMMA
2003 RUSSELL GEORGE
2005 RICK KAHN
2007 TOM REMINGTON
2010 TOM WARREN
2011 BRUCE ROSENLUND

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN WILDLIFE EDUCATION

1986 GENE DECKER
1988 RICHARD (BUD) SMITH
1990 JEAN TOOL
1992 CAROL BYLSMA
1994 MIKE CARTER
1996 DALE HEIN
1998 BRAD PETCH
2000 MARY TAYLOR YOUNG
2002 DAVE WEBER
2004 STEVE LUCERO
2006 WENDY HANOPHY
2008 LISA EVANS
2010 KATY FITZGERALD
2012 DR PAT MAGEE
2018 BRUCE GILL

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN WILDLIFE LAW ENFORCEMENT

2006 KIRK OLDHAM
2009 TOM MARTIN
2010 MIKE CROSBY
2012 KELLY CRANE

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT

1986 RON VELARDE
1988 GENE BYRNE
1990 JIM GOODYEAR
1990 CATHY MOSER
1992 BILL ANDREE
1994 RICK SCHNADERBACK
1996 KIRK NAVO
1998 RICK KAHN
2000 GENE BYRNE, JIM OLTERMAN, TANYA SHENK, DAVE KENVIN, GARY PATTON, JOHN SEIDEL, MARGARET WILD, HERMAN & SUSAN DIETERICH, SCOTT WAIT, TODD MALMSBURY
2002 BRUCE WATKINS

JIM OLTERMAN PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT IN WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT

2004 RICK KAHN
2006 JERRY APKER
2008 LESLIE ELWOOD
2010 DARBY FINLEY
2012 PATTY KNUPP
2016 DOREEN SUMERLIN AND DAN BROCK
2018 MARK VIERRA

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN WILDLIFE RESEARCH

1987 RICHARD M. BARTMANN
1989 WARREN SNYDER
1991 ALLEN ANDERSON
1993 TOM BECK
1995 SUSAN SKAGEN
1997 RICHARD REYNOLDS
1998 MIKE MILLER
2001 TOM POJAR
2003 TANYA SHENK
2005 RICHARD HOFFMAN
2007 CHAD BISHOP
2009 DAVE FREDDY
2011 THOMAS O'SHEA
2013 CHUCK ANDERSON
2017 JAKE IVAN

NEWSLETTER

1982 DREW GRAINGER

CONCERN FOR NATURAL RESOURCES IN COLORADO

1982 COLORADO OPEN SPACE COUNCIL

RUN FOR WILDLIFE

1982 JOHN KENDALL

1983 KEN GIESEN

SPECIAL COMMENDATION

1975 CLAIT BRAUN

1998 GARY GERHARDT

2004 CHARLIE MEYERS, THEO STEIN, DAVE BUCHANAN, GARY GERHARDT, ED DENTRY

BEST POSTER DISPLAY

1990 WILLIAM ANDELT

1991 PAUL STEPHEN CORN

1991 R. BRUCE BURY

1991 SUZY DANFORD

1993 NATL. WILDLIFE REFUGE ASSOC.

2001 MICHELLE LASSIGE

2004 MATTHEW DUNFEE

2006 MIKE LAVELLE, PATRICK BURKE

2007 TYLER HICKS

2008 DAN THOMPSON, FRED CUMMINGS

2013 SARA BOMBACI

2014 MATTHEW HOPKEN

2015 JENNIFER TIMMER (GRADUATE), KITT HAVEN

2016 RYAN WILBUR

2017 MARINA RODRIGUEZ, JESSICA SHYUERS (RUNNER-UP)

2018 MARINA RODRIGUEZ (GRADUATE), JAMES KELLEHER (UNDERGRADUATE)

BEST STUDENT PAPER

1990 NOREEN WALSH

1992 TIMOTHY P. WOOLLEY

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

1978 COLORADO DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS

1978 U.S. FOREST SERVICE

1978 U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

1978 COLORADO DIVISION OF WILDLIFE

1978 FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

1978 TROUT UNLIMITED

2006 NEW BELGIUM BREWING COMPANY, HERITAGE FRAMES AND FINE ART

2007 THE NATURE CONSERVANCY

OUTSTANDING PAPER

1981 CAROL BOGGIS

1992 WILLIAM F. ANDELT

RICHARD DENNY OUTSTANDING SPEAKER AWARD (BEST PRESENTATION AWARD)

1985 RICK HOFFMAN

1986 CYNTHIA WONG

1987 MIKE SCHROEDER

1988 TOM HOBBS

1989 JAMES BAILEY

1990 N. THOMPSON HOBBS

1990 JIM RINGELMAN

1991 TOM HOBBS

1993 DELWIN BENSON

1995 KEITH GIEZENTANNER

1996 JOHN GOETTL

1997 DAVE FREDDY

1998 SARA OYLER-MCCANCE
1999 WAYNE SHEPPERD
2000 DAVE FREDDY
2001 TANYA SHENK
2002 DAVE FREDDY
2003 DR. HANNA VAN CAMPEN
2004 CHAD BISHOP
2005 LANCE CARPENTER
2006 KURT VERCAUTEREN
2007 CHAD BISHOP
2008 TYLER HICKS
2009 RENEE SEIDLER
2010 BRETT WALKER
2011 KATHRYN BERNIER (UNDERGRADUATE), AMY DAVIS (GRADUATE)
2012 CAROLYN GUNN (TECHNICAL PRESENTATION)
2013 JENNIFER SWANSON (BEST STUDENT PRESENTATION)
2014 REBECCA WAGNER, KIRSTIE YEAGER (BEST STUDENT PRESENTATIONS)
2015 WENDY LANIER, TRAVIS GALLO (BEST STUDENT PRESENTATIONS-GRADUATE)
2016 JEREMY DERTIEN
2017 PATRICK LENDRUM (BEST GRADUATE STUDENT PRESENTATION)
MARCEL SUCH (BEST UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT PRESENTATION)
2018 MEGAN JONES (BEST GRADUATE STUDENT PRESENTATION)

LAND STEWARD AWARD

1992 PARK COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
1994 WILDCAT RANCH
1995 SUMMIT COUNTY
1996 EAGLE COUNTY
1997 ROUTT COUNTY
MOUNTAIN AREA LAND TRUST
1998 RIO GRANDE WATER CONSERVANCY DISTRICT
1999 CAROLYN BRYANT HOLMBERG (POSTHUMOUS)
2000 NORTHERN COLORADO WATER CONSERVANCY DISTRICT
2001 COLORADO CATTLEMEN'S AGRICULTURE LAND TRUST
2002 THE LARAMIE FOOTHILLS PROJECT
2003 BATS IN MINES PROJECT
2004 CARL AND CHERRY STOGSDILL
2005 TOWN OF EAGLE
2006 WINEINGER-DAVIS RANCH
2007 JOHN AND ANDY WELCH
2008 GRADY GRISSOM
2012 SKY MOUNTAIN PARK
2014 GARY AND GEORGIA WALKER

JIM MCDONOUGH AWARD

1992 DAVE WEBER

TWS FELLOW AWARD

2014 RICK HOFFMAN

PAST PRESIDENT PIN

PETE GREENE - 74
HAL SWOPE - 75
DALE HEIN - 76
FARRELL COPELIN - 77

DICK PILLMORE - 78
JOHN SCHMIDT - 79
LEN CARPENTER - 80
JERRY WILSON - 81
JOE ARTMANN - 82
KATHY FAGERSTONE - 83
RICK HOFFMAN - 84
JACK CAPP - 85
PETE DAVIS - 86
STEVE MIGHTON - 87
DAVE WEBER - 88
DAVE STEVENS - 89
DAVE FREDDY - 90
LINDA SIKOROWSKI - 91
GENE BYRNE - 92
TOM REMINGTON - 93
DEL BENSON - 94
BRUCE GOFORTH - 95
LYN STEVENS - 96
GARY SKIBA - 97
KIRK NAVO - 98
TOM POJAR - 99
PAM SCHNURR - 2000
FRANCIE PUSATERI - 2001
ROB SCHORR - 2002
MAX CANESTORP - 2003
CHAD BISHOP - 2004
ERIC ODELL - 2005
MICHELLE COWARDIN - 2006
RON BEANE - 2007
MEAD KLAVETTER - 2008
JERRY POWELL - 2009
NOE MARYMOR - 2010
MINDY RICE - 2011-2012
TONY GURZICK - 2013-2016