

MYRON G. CROPSEY AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP

Myron G. Cropsey received a B.S. Degree in Mechanical Engineering from the University of California in 1933, a M.S. Degree in Agricultural Engineering from North Dakota State College in 1941, and a Ph.D. in Agricultural Engineering from Michigan State University in 1956. He joined the Department of Agricultural Engineering faculty in 1946 and served in that capacity until his retirement in 1974. Prior to coming to OSU, he had industrial experience with Union Diesel Company, Oakland, CA, and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. During WWII, Myron Cropsey served as Lieutenant, Captain, Major and Lt. Colonel in the Ordnance Department of the U.S. Army. In 1977, Myron Cropsey was awarded the Silver Beaver Award, scouting's highest service award for his significant contribution to the Boy Scouts of America.

PURPOSE

To recognize superior achievement of a graduate or undergraduate student advised or enrolled in the Department of Biological & Ecological Engineering.

NATURE OF AWARD

The award shall consist of a cash award. The amount of the award will depend on the annual income from the Myron G. Cropsey Endowment Fund that resides with the OSU Foundation. The name of the recipient and the year of the award will be inscribed on a plaque displayed in the Department of Biological & Ecological Engineering.

DONOR

Myron G. Cropsey Agricultural Engineering Endowment Fund

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

The recipient must be enrolled in the Department of Biological & Ecological Engineering as their academic major or be advised in BEE. The recipient must be enrolled as a full time student the term in which the award presentation is made and have at least one academic year left at OSU; Sophomore class standing or higher.

SELECTION

The Department of Biological & Ecological Engineering Scholarship Committee will make the selection of the recipient. Selection will be based on scholarship and extracurricular activities.

PROCEDURES

The first award was presented in 1971. The award will be presented at the annual BEE Spring Awards Banquet.

A student may apply for this award or be nominated by a fellow student or faculty member of the Department of Biological & Ecological Engineering.

A nomination will include a resume of the nominee, a letter of support from the major advisor, a listing of grades earned at OSU and no more than two additional letters of support.

ANNOUNCEMENT AND PUBLICITY

Announcement of the award and the name of annual recipient shall be facilitated through the Department of Biological & Ecological Engineering.

MYRON G. CROPSEY AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

2019 Brooke Bennett
2018 Jordan Laundry
2017 Allen Dysart
2016 Cheng Li & Hossein Tabatabaie
2015 Jason Kelley & MacKenzie Pfeifer
2014 Randi Mendes
2013 Sonja Michelsen
2012 Cheng Li & Mark Luterra
2011 Rebecca Miller & Andrew Kearney
2010 Ryan Stewart
2009 Eric Andersen
2008 David Dickson
2007 Michael Collier
2006 David Dickson
2005 Elizabeth Burrows
2003 Andrew Stoeckinger
2002 Becky Starr Metcalf
2001 France Lamy & Ling Zhang (both Grads.)
2000 Theresa Blume (Grad.)
1999 Mark Rockhold (Grad.)
1998 Charla Triplett (Grad.)
1997 Scott Waichler (Grad.)
1996 Patricia Berger (Grad.)
1995 Nilobon Podhipleux (Grad.)
1994 Patrick M. Shelby (Grad.)
1993 Abdellatif Boussaid (Grad.)
1992 Douglas H. Ernst (Grad.)
1991 Jeffrey A. Rear (AE)
1990 David E. Stangel (AE)
1989 Michael F. Madigan (AE)
1988 Daniel S. Axness (AE)
1987 Ronald L. Fehringer (AE)
1986 Eric V. Holtan (AET)
1985 Brett M. Sherer (AE)
1984 Eric V. Newell (AET)
1983 Janet L. Redmond (AE)

1982 Jonathan D. Schriever (AET)
1981 Thomas Vander Plaat (AET)
1980 Paula M. Arsenalut (AE)
1979 Scott H. Robinson (AE)
1978 Curtis W. Hermann (AE)
1977 Glen A. Muilenburg (AET)
1976 Jimmy W. Otta (AE)
1975 Wayne C. Gould (AE)
1974 Roger S. Hirako (AE) and Wesley Wallender (AET)
1971 Roger Ruckers (AET)