

**MICHIGAN STATE**  
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College of Agriculture  
and Natural Resources

# *Farm Lane Society*

**Inaugural Event**



**Kellogg Center**  
**March 8, 2016**



## *Farm Lane Society*

### **Program**

- 7:15-7:45 a.m. **Registration**
- 7:45 a.m. **Welcome**  
Kathryn Reed, CANR director of alumni relations and special events, and Tonia Ritter, CANRAA president
- 7:50 a.m. **Breakfast served**
- 8:30 a.m. **Induction of Farm Lane Society Charter Members**
- 9:30 a.m. **Spartan Advocates Program**  
Understand how the state budget affects MSU programs and initiatives, and learn how your opinion can help protect them.  
Monique Field Foster, assistant vice president for strategic initiatives
- 10 a.m. **Curriculum Review and Workforce Development – College Update**  
Learn about curriculum changes at the CANR and why the changes are important for preparing students.  
Kelly Millenbah, associate dean and director, academic and student affairs
- 10:30 a.m. **Closing**  
Tonia Ritter



## Farm Lane Society Overview

### Mission

The mission of the Farm Lane Society is to honor individuals who have demonstrated a commitment to the Michigan State University College of Agriculture and Natural Resources and to foster their continuing involvement in the college and its alumni association.

### Membership

Membership is granted to alumni who have served in an appointed position on the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources Alumni Association Board of Directors, or who have received a College of Agriculture and Natural Resources Alumni Association Award, a Distinguished Service Award or the College of Human Ecology Outstanding Alumni Award.\*

The Farm Lane Society has no membership dues or other conditions of membership.

### Benefits:

Benefits of the society will continue to develop. Current plans include:

- Special recognition of members with a Farm Lane Society lapel pin.
- Annual program during ANR Week on campus.
- Special behind-the-scenes tour of campus locations.
- Special periodic programming on MSU properties and research centers.

### Name of Society

Farm Lane is the primary artery of Michigan State University's road map. Running north and south through central campus, it reminds us of our foundation as the original land-grant institution. To the Farm Lane Society, it represents the continuum of those who came before us and their accomplishments; a great foundation for future generations to continue to build the Michigan State University College of Agriculture and Natural Resources legacy.



## 2016 Farm Lane Society Charter Members

- <sup>1</sup> Retired CANRAA Board member (RBM)
- <sup>2</sup> Distinguished Service Award (DSA)
- <sup>3</sup> Outstanding Alumni Award (OAA)
- <sup>4</sup> Outstanding Young Alumni Award (OYAA)
- <sup>5</sup> Distinguished Faculty Award (DFA)
- <sup>6</sup> College of Human Ecology Outstanding Alumni Awards (CHEAA)\*
- <sup>7</sup> Alumni Service Award (ASA)
- <sup>8</sup> Honorary Alumni Award (HAA)

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\* When the College of Human Ecology closed in 2006, the CANRAA resolved to continue to recognize all CHE Outstanding Alumni Award recipients whose majors are now part of CANR in its Alumni Award winners list.



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## Programs

To nominate individuals for the Distinguished Service, Outstanding Alumni, Alumni Service, Distinguished Faculty, Outstanding Young Alumni or Honorary Alumni award, please visit [http://www.canr.msu.edu/alumni\\_donors/alumni/alumni\\_association\\_awards](http://www.canr.msu.edu/alumni_donors/alumni/alumni_association_awards).

To make a nomination for the CANR Alumni Association Board of Directors, please visit [http://www.canr.msu.edu/alumni\\_donors/alumni/alumni\\_board](http://www.canr.msu.edu/alumni_donors/alumni/alumni_board). Nominations are currently being accepted for the following spots: Horticulture, Food Science and Human Nutrition, and Young Alumni.

The College of Agriculture and Natural Resource Alumni Association (CANRAA) was chartered in March of 1975. Since that time more than 300 individuals have served on its board of directors. In 1976, it presented its first Honorary Alumni Award, and in 1978, its first Outstanding Alumnus Award. The Distinguished Faculty Award was added in 1982, and the Alumni Service Award in 2007. The college has awarded the Distinguished Service Award since 1954.

In 1989, the CANRAA established the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources Alumni Association Endowed Scholarship. The endowment is now valued at just over \$600,000 and earns roughly \$40,000 annually that is awarded in scholarships. This year four Institute of Agricultural Technology students, eight CANR juniors and four CANR graduate students were granted scholarships from this fund. To date 376 students have been awarded scholarships from this fund.

In addition to the scholarship support, the CANRAA cultivates student leadership through a Student Club Grant program begun in the fall of 2007. The grants help student organizations to host or participate in activities relevant to their academic disciplines. These funds have enabled students to participate in industry trade shows, competitions, training seminars, award presentations and other activities. To date 138 grants totaling over \$100,000 have been awarded. The funds for these grants are raised through AutumnFest, Golfing for Scholarships and individual donations.



## Mark Your Calendars

**Golfing for Scholarships . . . . . June 7**

**Ag Innovation Day . . . . . August 26**

**AutumnFest . . . . . November 12**

**Farm Lane Society Breakfast  
and ANR Week Luncheon . . . . . March 2017**

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