

AJAS 2015 Best Reviewer Award

AJAS editorial team is delighted to announce the winners of **AJAS 2015 Best Reviewer Award**, which is given annually to a few reviewers of AJAS in recognition of their outstanding efforts and contributions. We are pleased to recognize three among many invaluable reviewers as AJAS best reviewer of the year: Dr. **Liang Chou Hsia** (Yu Chou Friendly Agriculture Research Institute, Taiwan); Dr. **Yuxi Wang** (Lethbridge Research and Development Centre of Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, Canada); Dr. **Sang-Hyon Oh** (North Carolina A&T State University, USA).

In 2015, AJAS received and reviewed 1,074 manuscripts involving over 300 volunteer reviewers. All reviewers kindly offered their outstanding expertise and professional services to support our journal. Based on both the quality and quantity of the reviews, the final winners were selected by editors and selection committee of the journal.



Dr. Liang Chou Hsia has been an emeritus professor of National Pingtung University of Science and Technology, Taiwan Since 2013. He received PhD degree from Edinburgh University, UK in 1981. He has widely recognized for his dedicated research efforts and professional teaching, and for regional and international contributions to animal science societies. He has served more than 40 years on researches, teaching and international collaboration in the field of animal production and sciences. He has achieved outstanding researches in many disciplines of animal sciences including animal production systems, environmental management, animal welfare and nutritional management. His works and devotions has been widely recognized and honored by many awards from Taiwan and international organizations. His scientific contribution on sustainable animal production has been applied and practiced to the field both domestically and internationally. He builds a new

research institute in 2013 and continues to devote himself in researches, farmer extension, and international collaboration.



Dr. Yuxi Wang is a research scientist at Lethbridge Research and Development Centre of Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada. He received M.S. degree in Shandong Agricultural University, PR China, and PhD degree in Massey University, New Zealand. He was NSERC Visiting Fellowship at Lethbridge Research Centre prior to the current appointment. Dr. Wang is presently conducting research majoring on developing techniques to improve feed utilization and animal performance and to enhance safety of beef production. Dr. Wang has authored more than 120 scientific publications and numerous conference proceedings, abstracts and scientific reports. Dr. Wang has acted as reviewer for Asian-Australasian Journal of Animal Science since 2004. Dr. Wang currently serves as Ruminant Nutrition Section Editor for Journal of Animal Science, and has performed manuscript reviews for more than 20 international journals.



Dr. Sang-Hyon Oh is currently working at North Carolina A&T State University as an assistant professor. He received his M.S. degree from Seoul National University, and his PhD degree from North Carolina State University. He published more than 50 scientific articles and has served as a reviewer for Asian-Australasian Journal of Animal Sciences since 2012. Dr. Oh is also an associate editor in Journal of Animal Science and Technology, and has been appointed as an honorary scientist, Rural Development Administration in South Korea. His research area is statistical animal breeding, especially estimating genetic parameters as well as genomic selection for outdoor pig production.