

2018 ASSCT PRESIDENT'S MEDALS AND BURSARY AWARDS

2018 PRESIDENT'S MEDALS

President's medal for the best **Research Paper**:

Rob Magarey, Kathy Braithwaite, Lastus Kuniata, Nicole Thompson, Kaile Korowi, Peter Samson, Leka Tom, Nader Sallam, Lisa Derby

for their paper titled: Biosecurity research in PNG: 2015–2017

The President's medal for the best **Industry Paper** this year goes to:

Stephen Crouther, Danny Ferraris, Brendan Rich

for their paper titled: The use of simulation for design and implementation of a pan station control system

POSTER AWARDS

The best poster paper in the **Agricultural** section goes to:

Matt Kealley, MF Quirk, Burn Ashburner

for their poster: A nitrogen roadmap—better alignment of N inputs to crop requirements

The best poster paper in the **Manufacturing** section goes to:

Tim Diringer, Bjarne Christian Nielsen

for their poster: Optimising the performance of continuous centrifugals by online monitoring of the sugar colour

BURSARY AWARDS

Rod Rookwood Design Award:

The award is to: **Scott Simson, Alex Lautenschlager, Roy Flanders**

for their paper titled: BK49 improved sugar cane wagon coupling. The recipients received a plaque and a \$500 cheque.

Paul Quagliata Engineering Award - Donated by SEW-Eurodrive - TAFE level

The award is to: **Michael Ferraris, Wilmar Sugar**

This bursary was donated by SEW Eurodrive and included a plaque, a \$250 cheque and a trip to SEW's Engineering works in Melbourne to experience the scope of the facilities.

Norman Bennett Engineering Award - Tertiary Level:

The award is to: **Cole Claxton.**

who was the senior author for the paper titled: Influence of ethanol and sulphite dosing on oxygen scavenging in sugar mill boiler feedwater. The recipient received a plaque and a \$400 cheque.

Denis Foster Chemistry Award - Tertiary level:

The award is to: **Giles Bezzina.**

who was the senior author for the paper titled: The influence of gas velocity and fibre density on the drying kinetics of bagasse. The recipient received a plaque and a \$400 cheque.

LIFE MEMBERS

Appointed Life Members at this Conference: **Rob Magarey**

ATTENDANCE AT THE MACKAY CONFERENCE

Members and delegates (which includes day registrations)	381
Partners	16