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Dr. Geoffrey Zanton Receives Alltech, Inc. Graduate Student Paper Publication Award

Champaign, IL – The American Dairy Science Association is proud to announce Dr. Geoffrey Zanton as the 2009 recipient of the Alltech, Inc. Graduate Student Paper Publication Award. The award was presented on Tuesday, July 14, 2009, during the awards ceremony at the ADSA Annual Meeting in Montreal, QC, Canada.

The Alltech, Inc. Graduate Student Paper Publication Award recognizes a graduate student who has published a paper in the Journal of Dairy Science. The manuscript must be based on research conducted by the student before his or her final oral examination and must list the student as senior author.

Geoffrey I. Zanton has been awarded the 2009 Alltech, Inc. Graduate Student Paper Publication Award for his PhD research at Penn State University. His paper titled “Analysis of nitrogen utilization and excretion in growing dairy cattle” was published in the April 2008 issue of the Journal of Dairy Science. Zanton received two bachelor’s degrees from the University of Wisconsin–Madison and his PhD in dairy and animal science from Penn State University under the direction of A. J. Heinrichs. His PhD research focused on novel high-concentrate, limit-feeding strategies for dairy heifers and spanned investigations of nutrition, growth and development, and milk production. Zanton is currently a postdoctoral fellow at Penn State University.

It is with great pleasure that ADSA and Alltech Biotechnology Center present Dr. Geoffrey Zanton with the 2009 Alltech, Inc. Graduate Student Paper Publication Award.

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