SOUTHEASTERN BRANCH-ESA
OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES
2019-2020

Executive Committee
Yasmin Cardoza, NC (2020), President
John Adamczyk, MS, (2021) President-Elect
Oscar Liburd, FL (2019) Past-President
Amanda Hodges FL (2021), Secretary-Treasurer-Elect
Karla Addesso, TN, (2021) Gov. Board Representative
Juang (JC) Chong, SC (2021) Member-at-Large
Jason Oliver, TN (2020), Member-at-Large

Program Committee (Atlanta, GA, 2020)
Rajagopalbabu (Babu) Srinivasan, UGA, Chair
Rodrigo Diaz, LSU
Rachel Mallinger, UF
David Coyle, Clemson
Jason Schmidt, UGA

Membership Committee
Tolulope Agunbiade, FL (2021), Chair (it is a 3-year term)
Manoj Pandey, LA (2021)
Marianne Shockley, GA (2021)
Nick Seiter, AR (2020)
Rizana Mahroof, SC (2020)
Karla Addesso, TN (2020)
Rosa Franqui, PR (2020)
Hannah Burrack, NC (2020)
Christopher Werle, MS (2020)
Savannah Duke, AL (2020)

Member Awards Committee
Juan Luis Jurat-Fuentes, TN (2020) Chair
Teresia Nyoike, NC (2021)
Dennis Ring, LA (2020)
Gregory Wiggins, TN (2020)
Carey Minteer, FL (2020)
Cindy McKenzie, USDA FL (2020)

Archives Committee
Jim Harper, NC (2020)

Resolutions Committee (2019)
Courtney Jackson, AK, Chair (2020)
Jason Schmidt, GA (2017), Ex Officio

Student Awards Committee
Esmaiel Amiri UNC, Chair
Stormy Sparks UGA
Justin George, FL USDA Ft Pierce
Nannan Liu, AL Auburn
Kristen Healy, LSU
Mohamed Alburaki, USM
Hugh Smith, UF, Ex-Officio

Local Arrangements Committee (GA, 2020)
SEB-Brett Blaaau, GA Chair
SEB-Chelle Hartzler, Rollins, GA
SEB-David Shapiro-Ilan, USDA
SEB-Jordan Breidlove, Grad St, GA
SEB-David Held, FL Ex-Officio
SEB-Amanda Hodges, Sec-Treas
EB-Lindsay Iglesias, Cornell
EB-David Owens, Delaware

Student Affairs Committee
Zhou Chen, AL (2020), Chair
Rebecca Zimler, FL (2020)
Conor Fair, GA (2020)
Ying Niu, LA (2020)
Darsy Smith, PR (2020)
Hillary Fisher, AR (2020)
Gabe Zilnik, NC (2020)
Peng Zhang, SC (2020)
Dawson Kerns, KY (2020)
Tyler Towles, MS (2020)
Casey Parker, FL, (2020) Ex Officio

Student Affairs Subcommittees:
Insect Photo Salon/Job Placement
Hillary Fisher, Chair (2020)
Tyler Towles, Co-Chair (2020)
Peng Zhang, Member (2020)

Linnaean Games
Darsy Smith, Chair (2020)
Dawson Kerns (2020)
Ying Niu (2020)

Student Symposium
Zhou Chen, Chair (2020)
Rebecca Zimler, Co-Chair (2020)
Conor Fair (2020)
Gabe Zilnik (2020)
Public Relations Committee (2019)
Alejandro Calixto, FL (2020) Chair
Adam Dale, UF (2020)
Marianne Shockley, GA (2020), Ex-Officio

Audit Committee
Adam Dale, FL (2020) Chair
Amanda Hodges, FL, Secretary-Treasurer
Mark Abney, GA, Ex-Officio

Meeting Location/Time: GA (2020)
Brett Blaauw, GA, Chair
David Shapiro-Ilan, GA
Amanda Hodges, Sec-Treas, Ex-Officio

Meeting Location/Time: (2022)
Jose Carlos Verle Rodriguez, Chair
Oscar Liburd, FL
Amanda Hodges, Sec-Treas, Ex-Officio
Brett Blaauw, GA, Ex Officio

Board Certification Committee
Dennis Ring, LA, (2020) Chair
Baldwin, Rebecca, FL (2021)
Jeffrey Brown, MS

Education Committee (2019)
Eric Riddick, MS (2020), Chair
Michelle Samuel-Foo, MS (2020)
Eric Butler, NC, Ex Officio

Linnaean Games
Mike Williams, AL, Chair
Jerome Grant, TN
David Jenkins, SC

Nominating Committee (2020)
Industry, Scott Croxton, Chair
Gov. Katherine Parys, MS
NC State Jim Walgenbach
State Joseph Shimat
Gov. Stephen D. Hight
Industry, Brett Highland

Early Career Professional Committee (2020)
Lina Bernaola, Chair (LSU)
Tolulope Morawo, Vice-Chair, (Auburn)

Ad hoc Annual Meeting Sponsorship Committee (2019-2020)
Alejandro Arevalo, NC (2020), Chair

Ad hoc National Offices Nominating Committee (2020)
John Adamczyk, President-Elect, Chair
Yasmin Cardoza, President
Oscar Liburd, FL, Past-President
ESA National Committee Reps

(Terms expire at national meeting)

ESA Central Student Affairs Committee
Patricia Prade, FL (2020)

ESA Central Education & Outreach Committee
Rebecca Baldwin, FL (2020)

SEB Representative on the ESA Awards & Honors Committee
G. David Buntin, GA (2019)
Neelendra Joshi, AR (2020)

SEB Student Representative on the ESA Governing Board
Lina Bernaola, LA (2020)

SEB Representative on the ESA Finance Committee
Amanda Hodges, FL (2020)

SEB Rep (nominated)
Karla Addesso, TN (2021)

SEB Representative on the Science Policy Committee
Lauren Diepenbrock, NC (2020)

SEB Representative on the ESA Certification Board
Dennis Ring, LA (2020)

STEP Travel Awards Judging Panel
SEB President-Elect (2020)

SEB Representative on the ESA Committee on Diversity and Inclusion
Faith Oi, FL (2020)

SEB Representative on the ESA Early Career Professionals Committee
Katelyn Kesheimer, AL (2020)