

CURRICULUM VITAE

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DAUGHTERS: Sydney Pearl Johnson
Charley Ries Johnson

DEGREES: Ph.D., Kansas State University, 1992
Animal Breeding and Genetics

M.S., Oklahoma State University, 1988
Ruminant Nutrition

B.S., Oklahoma State University, 1986
Animal Science

A.S., Northeastern Oklahoma A&M, 1984
Agriculture

PRESENT TITLE: Associate Professor

TEACHING ASSIGNMENT: 100%

COURSES TAUGHT: ANSI 1124 Introduction to Animal Science
ANSI 2112 Live Animal Evaluation
ANSI 3210 Animal and Product Evaluation
ANSI 3242 Advanced Live Animal Evaluation
ANSI 4900 Work Experience-Purebred Beef Cattle Center
ANSI 5010 Special Problems in Applied Animal Breeding

ADDITIONAL DEPARTMENT, COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY RESPONSIBILITIES:

Coach, OSU Livestock Judging Team
Supervisor, OSU Purebred Beef Cattle Center
Conduct Annual OSU Livestock Judging Camp
Judging Contests at Animal Science Field Days
Superintendent, State FFA Interscholastic Livestock Judging Contest
Academic Advisor to Undergraduate Students
Animal Science Beef Cattle Committee
Animal Science Teaching Committee

PROFESSIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

Coached 2007 American Royal Champion Livestock Judging Team which set record for all-time highest score in the history of the contest.

Coached 2005 National Champion Livestock Judging Team which set record for all-time highest score in 105 year history of the contest.

Coach of the Year Award, National Intercollegiate Livestock Judging, 1993,1996, 2001, 2005 and 2007.

HONORS:

Exemplary Faculty Award, OSU CANSR, 2004.

Tyler Award, Oklahoma State University Department of Animal Science, 2006.

Don Pinney Award, Oklahoma State University Department of Animal Science, 1986.

BOTAR High Individual Overall Scholarship at the American Royal Livestock Judging Contest, 1985.

EXTRAMURAL FUNDING GENERATED:

Averaged \$3,000 profit per year from conducting annual OSU Livestock Judging Camp, money has been used to reimburse members of the Livestock Judging Team for expenses incurred in travel to national contests. 1992 - 2007.

Averaged \$7,000 per year in donations to the OSU Livestock Judging Team Foundation Account to establish an endowment and reimburse members of the Livestock Judging Team for expenses incurred in travel to national contests. 1992 - 2007.

Oklahoma State University Livestock Judging Manual written and copyrighted in the name of the OSU Livestock Judging Team. Profits from sales will be used to support members of the Livestock Judging Team. 1995.

Over \$8,000 in student scholarships earned by OSU Livestock judging teams in national contests from 1993 - 2007.

EXPERIENCE:

1997-present Associate Professor, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater

1995-present Co-Owner/Manager of J&J Cattle Company, LLC, Orlando, Ok

1992 – 1997 Assistant Professor, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater

1988 – 1991 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Kansas State University, Manhattan

1986 – 1988 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater

1970 – 1986 Worked with father in diversified family farm and ranch operation, Deerfield, Mo

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

American Angus Association

National Cattlemen's Beef Association

Oklahoma Angus Association

Oklahoma Cattlemen's Association

Senior College Livestock Judging Coaches Association

- President 1993-95

- Eligibility Committee 1995 - 1998

JOURNAL ARTICLES, TEXTBOOKS, ABSTRACTS AND PROCEEDINGS:

- Johnson, M.Z. 1999. Giving oral livestock judging reasons. Oklahoma Cooperative Extension Service. Publication No. 120.
- Johnson, M.Z. 1997. Objectives, methods and benefits of the Oklahoma State University livestock judging program. Proc. Midwest. Sect. Anim. Sci.
- Johnson, M.Z. 1996. Oklahoma State University Livestock Judging Manual. Oklahoma State University, 141 pages.
- Johnson, M.Z., and J. Hughes. 1995. Generating financial support, facilitating student recruitment and improving critical thinking and oral communication skills by means of a livestock judging camp. J. Anim. Sci. 73 (Suppl. 1): 292 (Abstr.)
- Johnson, M.Z. 1994. Matching cow size and productivity to resources and markets. Proc. Oklahoma Cattlemen's Association Annual Convention and Trade Show.
- Johnson, M.Z., R.R. Schalles, M.E. Dikeman, and B.L. Golden. 1993. Genetic parameter estimates of ultrasound-measured longissimus muscle area and 12th rib fat thickness in Brangus cattle. J. Anim. Sci. 71:2623.
- Johnson, M.Z., J.R. Kropp, D.S. Buchanan, and C.A. McPeake. 1988. Relationships among traits measured in a beef performance testing program and their effect on sale price. Animal Science Research Report. Oklahoma State Univ. Agric. Exp. Sta. Rep. MP-127.