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Welcome from: Joel Lemley, CES, CAGA TAA 2020 President



A big welcome to everyone to the Texas Auctioneers Association 2020 Annual Convention & State Contest!

It has been an interesting year and I want to thank the TAA Board of Directors and the Convention Task Force for their commitment to rescheduling the convention from May to August.

I want to especially welcome all our 1st Timers to Convention and look forward to meeting you. Thank you to everyone for their support and patience to attend the convention and follow safe protocols during this challenging time. Let's have a wonderful convention!



August 13, 2020

Respected Members of the Texas Auctioneers Association:

On behalf of the residents and City Council of the City of San Marcos, I am proud to welcome the Texas Auctioneers Association Annual Convention to our vibrant city!

I'm inspired by your commitment to continuing education and expanding opportunities in your field. Your industry's exceptional ability to design creative marketing and presentation practices is admirable. I thank you all for your service and dedication to your industries.

I invite each of you to explore some of the exciting opportunities unique to San Marcos! About ten minutes from the conference location, you'll find the growing campus of Texas State University. Notable alumni include Texas royals President Lyndon B. Johnson and George Strait.

Near the University, the pristine, park-lined San Marcos River runs through the middle of San Marcos. Its steady 72-degree temperature is perfect for swimming, fishing or kayaking during the summer.

Just a few blocks from there, between the river and the University, is our vibrant Downtown Square, full of local restaurants, watering holes and shops that are great to visit with new conference friends. And just a short drive on IH-35 will take you to our bustling outlet malls where luxury and name-brand shopping abounds.

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Important Information



TAA REGISTRATION HOURS

Thursday: 4PM-7PM ♦ Friday: 7AM-6PM ♦ Saturday: 8AM-6:30PM

CE INFORMATION

TDLR AUCTIONEER CE CREDITS & COURSE CODES

You must sign in and turn in evaluation for each course for CREDIT. TAA will report to TDLR within 5 days. Contact TAA for questions.

Friday, August 14, 2020

TEXAS CERTIFIED AUCTION PROFESSIONAL COURSES

- BUSINESS FUNDAMENTALS INTENSIVE: COURSE #22371, 8 HRS
- AUCTION LOGISTICS: COURSE #22372, 8 HRS

PLANNING & INVESTING THE AUCTION BUSINESS, COURSE #22381, 2 HRS

SUCCESS W/SIMULCAST AUCTIONS, COURSE #22382, 2 HRS

MAX PRESENT SKILLS FRONT & CENTER, COURSE #22377, 2 HRS

Saturday, August 15, 2020

AUCTION LAW: AUCTION CASE LAW & VERDICTS, COURSE #22373, 2 HRS

BODY LANGUAGE & PUBLIC SPEAKING, COURSE #22379, 2 HRS

AUCTION PUBLIC RELATIONS PRO, COURSE #22378, 2 HRS

AUCTION TERMS, CONDITIONS, DISCLOSURES

1. You must be registered and have received a bid number before bidding on any auction item.
2. All winning bids are binding, and all sales are final.
3. Payment by the successful bidder must be made immediately following each night's auction by cash, check, Visa, MasterCard, American Express, or Discover. Prepayment forms will be available at registration to expedite checkout after the auction(s).
4. Items must be picked up each night after the auction. The Texas Auctioneers Association is not liable for any items not picked up. Shipping can be arranged at an additional fee.
5. Descriptions of the items have been made with every reasonable effort to describe each one correctly, but all items are sold "where is" and "as is" and without warranty or representation of any kind as to the correctness of description, genuineness, authenticity, quality, or fitness for any purpose. The Texas Auctioneers Association does not assume any liability for the authenticity or the authorship of any property offered.
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7. All items have been donated to the Texas Auctioneers Association and are sold by it and not by the donors. Purchasers may not ask for refunds or exchanges from the donor.
8. All items are non-transferable.
9. All bids are subject to a 10% buyer's premium which is in addition to the placed successful bid.

Disclosures: For Fun Auction & Contest Auctions, you MUST have a bidder number. Get bidder number at TAA registration. Bidders MAY pre-qualify with credit card payment and expedite check out each evening. Ask TAA Registration how to get "PRE-QUALIFIED". 10 % premium added to all auction items. ALL items MUST be PAID for and COLLECTED at the end of EACH AUCTION. TAA is NOT liable for ANY items left in the auction area overnight or unclaimed. Shipping arrangements can be made for an additional fee.

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TAA Hospitality Room: Chataqua Room

Thursday - Saturday | Open after contest until - 1AM | Cash bar provided

Speakers



MIKE BRANDLY, CAI, AARE

National Speaker, NAA Faculty, Auctioneer since 1979, Real Estate Appraiser, and approved Continuing Legal Education instructor for attorneys by Ohio Supreme Court and serves as Adjunct Faculty for Hondros College of Business. Mike maintains offices in Groveport, Ohio. He holds year-round auctions (every Wednesday) plus twice-monthly car auctions in addition to special event auctions around the United States and periodic contract auctioneer work in the Midwest.

TCAP COURSE INSTRUCTOR AND CONVENTION SPEAKER



JACK CHRISTY, JR., CAI, ATS, BAS, GPPA

Jack became a commercial aircraft mechanic after attending the ATA Training Academy. After seven years in the airline business, Jack decided to change his career and enter the auction industry. Jack is a graduate of Professional Ringman's Institute, Benefit Auction Specialist, Auction Technology Specialist, Certified Auctioneer Institute and Personal Property Appraisal. In 2006, Jack earned his auctioneering license after graduating Reppert Auction School. His specialization is in automobiles, tooling and electronics and currently assists in the instruction at Reppert Auction School.

TCAP COURSE INSTRUCTOR



WADE FISHER

Wade started out on a small ranch where cattle grow on limestone rock and goat weed. He went to Texas A&M University to pursue a career in Meat Science. A very long story later, he found his niche in the video productions and auction broadcast sector.

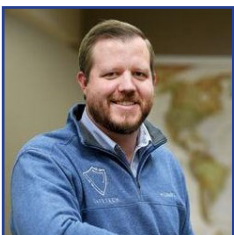
CONVENTION SPEAKER



HEATH GROVES

Heath is an insurance account executive for Program Insurance Group and a brand manager for EZ CERT Management. In 2010, he graduated from Texas A&M with a degree in Marketing. His degree led him to Austin to work in sales at a local TV station for 3 years. Heath owned and operated a local restaurant franchise for a number of years. With that experience, Heath gained the knowledge of the franchise industry and the ability to connect with other franchise owners regarding their insurance needs. Heath is actively involved in the local community, regularly attends ribbon cuttings for local businesses, is a former board member of the Young Professionals of Aggieland, and the Brazos Valley Restaurant Association.

TCAP COURSE INSTRUCTOR



CALEB HOLT

Caleb Holt moved to College Station to attend Texas A&M University in 2005 and made the city his permanent home. Since then, his work has focused on technological advancements for the safety of his community and beyond. Holt is from Smyer, TX, and he started his educational journey at a junior college in Oklahoma before transferring to A&M on a livestock judging scholarship. He graduated with a degree in animal science in 2007 and then earned a master's degree in agribusiness in 2009. In 2019, Holt left TEEX to start the nonprofit Make Safe Tech Inc. and the for-profit Axle Box.

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MORGAN HOPSON, CAI

Morgan is an auction professional, licensed in both Texas and Oklahoma. She is a real estate associate with United Country Buford Resources Real Estate & Auction specializing in selling farm and ranch land, hunting properties and luxury real estate at auction. Hopson also specializes in consulting with nonprofits and associations to help them meet their fundraising goals through live auction and special appeals. She is the 2019 Texas State Auctioneer Champion and the 2019 International Auctioneer Champion.

CONVENTION SPEAKER

Speakers



JOSEPH MAST, CAI

Joseph Mast grew up as a 7th generation dairy farmer and began his auction career in Amish Country of rural Holmes County, Ohio. Since that time, he has become a champion auctioneer, industry icon and recognized authority on leadership. Today, Joseph Mast and Mast Auctioneers provide preeminent auction talent serving the world's finest auction markets. As a 15-year veteran, Joseph has become a sought-after speaker and thought leader on general business leadership and auctioneering.

CONVENTION SPEAKER



TREY MORRIS, CAI, BAS, CAS

Morris is a first-generation auctioneer and real estate sales associate based in Western Kentucky. He also works for Barrett-Jackson, as well as not-for-profit organizations including St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Juvenile Diabetes, American Heart Association, and the Ronald McDonald House. Morris has partnered with various music artists, professional athletes, and organizations with a shared vision to raise money for various causes. Notable names that Morris has partnered with include former Nashville Predator Mike Fisher, Grammy award-winning artist Carrie Underwood, nine-time MLB All-Star Albert Pujols, Darius Rucker, Luke Combs, among other professionals.

CONVENTION SPEAKER and JUDGE



JOHN SCHULTZ, AMM

As a 20-year marketing veteran, John has experienced first-hand the impact of changing consumer trends. John leverages this experience daily as the Chief Marketing and Technology Officer for Grafe Auction. In this role, he specializes in maximizing prices using data-driven, predictive marketing campaigns that appeal to a wide range of consumers. He is a lead instructor for the NAA of the AMM designation. John's service to the auction industry includes serving as a current Director of the NAA, Past President of the Minnesota State Auctioneers Association, and Past President of the Minnesota State Auctioneers Foundation. He is also a recipient of the Golden Gavel Award for outstanding service to the auction industry in Minnesota.

CONVENTION SPEAKER



AARON TRAFFAS, CAI, ATS, CES

Aaron is an auctioneer from Medicine Lodge, KS. He currently generates content at HeavyWorth and, before that, spent 18 years with Purple Wave in Manhattan, Kansas. Aaron served as president of the Kansas Auctioneers Association in 2017 and on the National Auctioneers Association Education Institute Board of Trustees from 2009 through 2013. He is a past instructor at CAI and co-wrote the AMM designation course from NAA.

TCAP COURSE INSTRUCTOR

TCAP Business Panel:

- Jim Swigert
- Scott Swenson, CAI, GPPA
- Walt Cade, CAI, ATS, BAS, CES
- Heather Kaspar, CAI, GRI, BAS, SRES - Moderator

TCAP Logistics Panel:

- Lori Lemons Campbell, CAI, GPPA, PRI
- Liz Drake, CAI, ATS, GPPA
- Jackie Lemons-Shillingburg, CAI, AMM, PRI - Moderator

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Schedule

***All events will held at held Embassy hotel. See room locations onsite.*

Note: Some speakers may be live remote.



THURSDAY, AUGUST 13

- 4:00PM Registration Open and Fun Auction Item Check-In
- 5:30PM-6:00PM TAA Board Meeting - Meeting Assignments
- 7:30PM-9:30PM President's Welcome Cowboy Luau & Fun Auction
Hawaiian attire!
- Enjoy lite bites, drink and fun auction!
 - Prizes for best attire.
 - All attendees are encouraged to help auction items.
 - Exchange of wedding vows for:
Renee Sample and Kenny Bohot



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FRIDAY, AUGUST 14

- 6:00AM-8:00AM Display Setup & Vendor Check-In
- 7:00AM Registration Open
- 7:30AM-8:30AM First Timer Welcome Gathering * *Guests may take lobby breakfast to Spring Lake A room (just off lobby)*
Hosted by: TAA Hall of Fame
- 8:00AM-6:00PM Exhibit Displays Open

TCAP COURSES: *Additional fee and pre-registration required*

- Lunch is provided for TCAP attendees.

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- Headshots provided during lunch & break by: **Myers Jackson**

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- 8:30AM-5:00PM **TEXAS CERTIFIED AUCTION PROFESSIONAL (TCAP) COURSE 1 [8HRS]**
Business Fundamentals Intensive
Course Moderator: Heather Kaspar, CAI, GRI, BAS, SRES
- Business Plan, Business Setup, Contracting, Negotiation, Labor & Insurance Overview - Mike Brandly, CAI, AARE
 - Start Up Financial Expectations & Trends - Caleb Holt, Axle Box Inc.
 - Technology Boot Camp for Start Ups and Q&A - Aaron Traffas, CAI, ATS, CES
 - Hard Knocks Panel: Auctioneers Share Insights
- Scott Swenson, CAI, GPPA, Jim Swigert, and Walt Cade, CAI, ATS, BAS, CES
- 8:30AM-5:00PM **TEXAS CERTIFIED AUCTION PROFESSIONAL (TCAP) COURSE 3 [8HRS]**
Auction Logistics from the Ground Up
Course Moderator: Jackie Lemons-Shillingburg, CAI, AMM, PRI
BONUS: *Attendees that complete Logistics class will have access to TAA auctioneer mentors for 6 months to intern or advise.*
- Auction Logistics Intro: Identifying Needs & Audience - Jack Christy, Jr., CAI, ATS, BAS, GPPA
 - Logistics Basics: Physical Setups, Clerking/Cataloguing, Using Checklists, Online vs Live Needs, Distribution & Future Trends - Jack Christy, Jr., CAI, ATS, BAS, GPPA
 - Audio Visual & Sound Tips - Aaron Traffas, CAI, ATS, CES
 - Live Set Mini Auction - Jack Christy, Jr., CAI, ATS, BAS, GPPA & Volunteers
 - Insurance Trends - Heath Groves
 - Logistics Panel: Differences in Auction Types, Safety Cautions, Labor Tips, Q&A
- Lori Campbell, CAI, GPPA, PRI and Liz Drake, CAI, ATS, GPPA

Congratulations TCAP Graduates! 2020 Attendees that complete all 3 tracks will be the FIRST TCAP designees and will be recognized during the Awards Dinner Saturday evening and receive a pin.

Schedule

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 14 *continued*

- 8:30AM-10:30AM **GENERAL SESSION CE LECTURE** [2 hrs CE]
Class: **PLANNING AND INVESTING BEYOND THE BLOCK**
Speaker: **JOSEPH MAST, CAI**
- 10:30AM-10:00PM Auction Item Check-In, Viewing & Pick-Up **Room: Veramendi A**
All items must be checked in with Clerk
Deadline for Contest Items is 2pm.
- 10:30AM-10:45AM Break with Exhibitors
- 10:45AM- 12:45PM **GENERAL SESSION CE LECTURE** [2 hrs CE]
Class: **SUCCESS WITH SIMULCAST AUCTIONS**
Speaker: **WADE FISHER**
- 12:45PM-2:00PM Lunch On Your Own
- 2:00PM **Contestant Deadline to turn items in and sign up for contests** **Room: Veramendi A**
- 2:00PM-4:00PM **GENERAL SESSION CE LECTURE** [2 hrs CE]
Class: **FRONT & CENTER and MAXIMIZING PRESENTATION SKILLS**
Speakers: **MORGAN HOPSON, CAI**
Q&A: **PAST AUCTIONEER CHAMPIONS**
- 5:10PM Contestant Meeting - **MANDATORY** **Verify Room Onsite**
Must arrive promptly by 5:10pm or cannot compete.
- 5:45PM Judges Meeting
- 6:30PM Dinner & State Contest Preliminary Auction *Bid on great items & support your contestants!*

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

- 8:00AM-6:30PM Registration Open
- 8:00AM-4:00PM Exhibit Displays Open
- 8:30AM-10:30AM **GENERAL SESSION CE LECTURE** [2 hrs CE **Meets TDLR law CE requirements*]
Class: **AUCTION CASE LAW & FORUM WITH TIPS FOR SURVIVING COVID IMPACT**
Speaker: **MIKE BRANDLY, CAI, AARE**
- 10:30AM-10:45AM Break with Exhibitors
- 10:45AM-12:45PM **GENERAL SESSION CE LECTURES** [2 hrs CE] *select 1 to attend*
Class 1: **BODY LANGUAGE & PUBLIC SPEAKING: THINKING PAST THE BLOCK & SETTING GOALS**
Speaker: **TREY MORRIS, CAI, BAS, CAS**
Class 2: **AUCTION PUBLIC RELATIONS PRO: MARKETING BEFORE & AFTER ECONOMIC CHALLENGES**
Speaker: **JOHN SCHULTZ, AMM**
- 12:45PM-2:00PM **Grab & Go Lunch with Exhibitors** **Room: Main Foyer**
Visit all vendors & thank them for their support! **Free light lunch for registered attendees.*
***Auction Item room open to pickup items** **Room: Veramendi A**
- 12:45PM-2:00PM Hall of Fame Meeting
- 2:00PM-4:00PM **TAA Annual Membership Meeting & Elections**
-Elections & President's Annual Report
-Contest Semi-Finalists Announced

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 15 *continued*

4:30PM- 5:30PM

MEMBER FORUM - INPUT ON FUTURE NEEDS, RULE CHANGES & DIRECTION FOR TEXAS AUCTION INDUSTRY

Moderators: Joel Lemley, CES, CAGA, Jim Swigert and TAA Lobbyist, Todd Kercheval

4:30PM-6:30PM

Semi-Finalist Interviews

**open to all attendees*

7:00PM-10:00PM

State Champion Finals, Awards Dinner & Scholarships

Emcee: *Joel Lemley, CES, CAGA*

- Hall of Fame & Scholarship Recipients Awarded
- New Board of Directors Inducted
- First TCAP Graduates Recognized



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SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

8:30AM-10:00AM

FCAI Memorial Service & Auction

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10:15AM-12:00PM

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Tear Down: Saturday, 4:00PM-6:00PM

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Make sure you visit the display area! All coffee breaks and Friday "Grab & Go" will be provided in this area.

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W. J. Wendelin (Charter Member)*
Ken Espensen, Sr. (Charter Member)*
Henry Storey (Charter Member)*
Bob Goree, CAI (99)*
Dudley Althaus, CAI (90)*
Joe Small, CAI (97)*
Dusty Adams, CAI (2002)*
Miles Autry, CAI (2003)*

Charles Connour (2003)
James A. "Jim" Sample (2004)*
Mike Jones, CAI (2005)
Paul Henry (2005)*
Jim Swigert (2006)
Tommy "Spanky" Assiter, CAI (2007)
Jack Van Hauen (2007)
Jeffrey Dunning, Sr. (2008)
Laudious V. (Del) Lemons, Jr. (2009)*
Bob Manning, CAI (2010)*
Jack V. Ogle, CAI (2010)*
Rene' Bates (2011)*
John Sisk, CAI (2012)
Alvin Kaddatz (2012)
Forres Meadows, CAI (2013)
Scott Swenson, CAI (2014)
Ernie Croucher, CAI (2015)*
Lori Lemons-Campbell, CAI, GPPA, PRI (2017)
Montie Davis, PRI (2018)

HOF Members Lost This Year



René Bates - July 10, 1942 - February 27, 2020

René was the first in his family to go to college and earn a bachelor's degree and master's degree in Education. He married Sheryl Lynn Darcey on July 10, 2002 in McKinney, Texas. Among the many hats he wore, René was an ordained minister, schoolteacher, a rodeo clown, pick-up man and producer, a cowboy-for-hire, unlicensed pilot, a ranch manager, and general rabble-rouser. He piloted, then crashed and walked away from an airplane that he had no license to fly (as the FAA noted in their resulting Cease and Desist letter). He was a successful auctioneer and land broker, a rancher, and he raised Texas longhorns for well over 30 years.

He established René Bates Auctioneers in 1966. René Bates Auctioneers was an early adopter of internet sales, and in 1997 became the country's first municipal online auction company while never losing the "boots on the ground" business practices that defined René Bates Auctioneers from the beginning.

René was a lifetime member of the National Auctioneers Association; a member of the Texas Auctioneers Association. In 2011, he was formally inducted into the Texas Auctioneers Hall of Fame.

René is survived by his wife Sheryl Bates of McKinney, Texas; two daughters, Haley Renee Bates and Brad Rhoda, and Michelle Renee Bates and Donovan Arwood; 2 grandchildren and numerous other loving family members and friends.



Henry Storey - October 17, 1932 - May 31, 2020

Henry was born October 17, 1932 in Brown County to Henry and Valeria (Smith) Storey. He lived until his death on the farm & ranch his grandfather bought in 1870 after returning from the service in the Civil War. Henry graduated from Early High School, attended Daniel Baker College and the Reid Auction School in Matson City, IA which was the beginning of a long career of diverse occupations. He farmed and ranched all of his life, played in a country & western band, performed custom grain harvesting, served 8 years as a Brown County commissioner at the age of 27, and was a real estate broker for over 40 years. Henry's primary passion was auctioning. It was truly a family business as all six family members worked together. Henry was selected as a charter member of the Texas Auctioneer Hall of Fame and was a past president of the Texas Auctioneer Association which granted lifetime membership to he and Patsy.

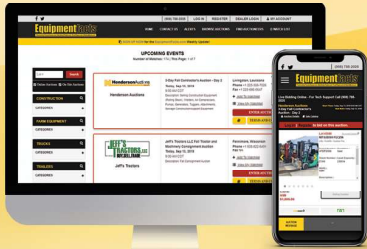
Henry was a member of Salt Creek Baptist Church where he served as a deacon for over 60 years.

Henry is survived by his beloved wife, Pat Storey of Early; children, Tommy and wife Patricia Storey of Early, Cindy Storey Finney and husband Paul of Arvada, CO and Victor Storey of Brownwood; sister, Bobbie Morris of Abilene; 12 grandchildren, and many great grandchildren & friends.

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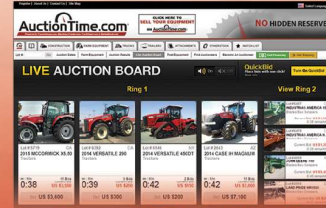
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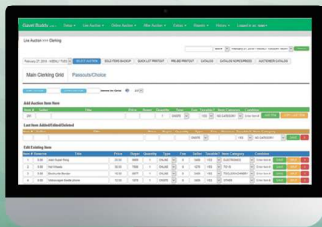
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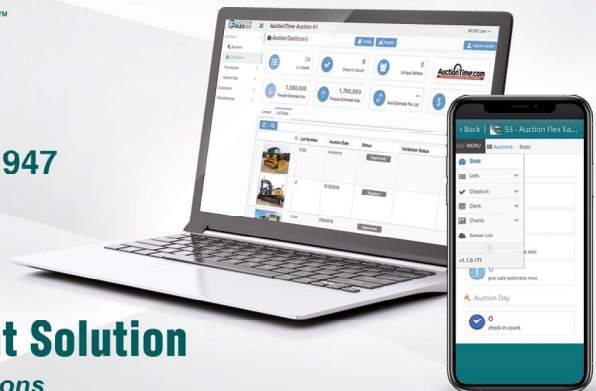


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1977 Bob Goree, CAI*	1988 Bob Emley*	1999 Renee Jones, CAI	2010 Trey Galloway
1978 Roland Reese	1989 Doak Lambert	2000 Rick Montgomery	2011 Angie Meier
1979 Gary Fingleman*	1990 Tommy Carson	2001 Tony Langdon	2012 Clay Golden
1980 Dudley Althaus, CAI*	1991 "Spanky" Assiter, CAI	2002 Brady Hansen	2013 Wendy Lambert
1981 Charles Sanders*	1992 Scott Swenson, CAI	2003 Craig Meier	2014 Troy Robinett, PRI
1982 Larry Waddle	1993 Wayne Wheat	2004 Brent Graves	2015 Logan Thomas, CAI, BAS
1983 Danny Green	1994 Pat Long	2005 Tim Assiter	2016 Jarod Hamm
1984 Jack Van Hauen	1995 Mike Jones, CAI	2006 Terrell Coleman	2017 Kyle Dykes
1985 Miles Autry, CAI *	1996 R. L. Bordovsky	2007 Bret Richards, CAI	2018 Toya McLeod
1986 Rocky Walker, Jr. *	1997 Andy Dunning	2008 Luther Davis, CAI	2019 Morgan Hopson, CAI
1987 "Ronnie" Wylie	1998 Bob Dickerson	2009 John Sisk, CAI	

SENIOR

1991 Henry R. Storey*	2001 Jim Sample*	2011 No Entries
1992 Ronald Reese	2002 Dwight Toney	2012 Mack Cornet
1993 Jack V. Ogle, CAI*	2003 George Vaught	2013 Ernie Croucher, CAI*
1994 Paul N. Henry*	2004 Shorty Yeaman, CAI	2015 Alvin Kaddatz
1995 Dudley Althaus, CAI*	2005 Robert Oliver, CAI	2016 Wade Bartley
1996 William J. Wade*	2006 Mark Riley	2017 Forres Meadows
1997 Jack Van Hauen	2007 Dusty Adams, CAI8	2018 Bear Hebert
1998 Charles Connour	2008 Jim Clater, Sr.	2019 Scott Droddy
1999 Bob Goree, CAI*	2009 Bob Dickerson	
2000 Lyle Bond	2010 Del Lemons, Sr.*	

RINGMAN

2003 B. J. Lewis	2009 Ed Brooks	2015 Kate Phillips
2004 Jeff Dunning, Jr.	2010 Wesley Pool	2016 Doug Bradford, CAI
2005 Lex Forgerson	2011 Traci Yeaman	2017 Si Harbottle, CAI
2006 Bandy Assiter	2012 Tom Lester	2018 Steve Hopson
2007 Angie Meier	2013 Montie Davis, PRI	2019 Monica Higdon
2008 Bradley O'Leary	2014 Logan Thomas, CAI, BAS	

ROOKIE

2000 George L. Vaught	2007 Austin Fullingim	2014 Logan Thomas, CAI, BAS
2001 Toya McLeod	2008 Tommy Russell	2015 Kate Phillips
2002 Chad Hodges, PRI	2009 Travis Kaddatz, CAI	2016 Nolan Cade Hall
2003 B. J. Lewis	2010 Tom Lester	2017 Tyler Rankin
2004 Bret Richards, CAI	2011 Jarod Hamm	2018 Jacob Long
2005 Angie Meier	2012 Audri Murihead	2019 Landon Waddle
2006 Jed Trice	2013 Kyle Dykes	

TEAM

2019 Trey Galloway & Wes Pool

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2020 Scholarship Recipients



Jim Sample Scholarship for America's Auction Academy Recipient *Austin Moore, Plainview, TX*

Congratulations to Austin Moore from Plainview, Texas. Austin is a sophomore at Hale Center High School. He is very active in FFA, track, and football. Currently in FFA, Austin shows market swine, judges' livestock, has been a chapter officer, was president of his Chapter Conducting team, and has an auction industry SAE (Supervised Agricultural Experience) where he works auctions with his father. Austin has been working auctions since he was in the second grade. Once in elementary school, he was asked what he wanted to be when he grew up. He responded, "I want to be a better auctioneer than my Dad." Congratulations Austin!



TAA Scholastic Scholarship Recipient *Rody Meier, Ennis, TX*

Congratulations Rody Meier of Ennis, Texas. Rody is the son of Craig & Angie Meier and has helped in the auction business from a young age. He is active in FFA and the Cowboy Church of Ennis. He graduated in the top 155 of his class, as well as being a member of the National Honor Society & drama club at Ennis High School. Rody plans to attend the University of North Texas and double major in marketing and theater. Best of luck to Rody!

1st Timer Grant *In Memory of Henry Storey*

The TAA Hall of Fame has provided a grant for a 1st timer drawn from all the 1st timers who early registered. This grant is in memory of Henry Storey, of Early Tx who was a charter member of the Hall of Fame and never missed a TAA convention until last year due to health. He passed away in May of this year and will be missed.



2020 Recipient *Robert Welch, Arlington, TX*

The 2020 1st Timer Recipient is Mr. Robert Welch of Arlington, Texas. He graduated the America's Auction Academy in 2019 to start his own auction house. He opened RLW Auctions, Liquidation & Estate Sale Services in January 2020 in Alvarado, TX. He had been around auctions for over 15 years and met people who influenced him to go into auctioneering. He previously was in the transportation business for 30 years but liked going to auctions and felt it was his niche. He has been married to Becky for 30 years and they have 2 children and 3 grandchildren. Welcome to TAA Robert!

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