

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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#### **Education**

- 1985 Master of Agriculture, State University  
(Animal Science and Agriculture Economics) Colorado
- 1983 Bachelor of Science, Colorado State University  
(Animal Science)

#### **Training**

Commercial Pesticide Applicator, currently certified since 1989  
Mediation and Arbitration Facilitation for Agriculture and Rural Communities, USDA  
Colorado Mountain College Rocky Mountain Leadership Program Alumni, 1990s  
Colorado Agricultural Leadership Program, Class Seven  
OEO Sensitivity/Diversity training

#### **Positions**

- \*December, 2021 - present : Colorado State University Extension Emeritus
- \*January- December, 2021 : Colorado State University Extension Interim Director of Field Operations
- \*January, 2011- present: Colorado State University Extension Western Regional Director (Interim for 9 months)
- \*July, 1989 – September, 2011: Colorado State University Extension Director and Agriculture Agent, Routt County, Colorado
- \*March, 1986 to July, 1989: Colorado State University Cooperative Extension, Agriculture and 4-H Agent, Elbert County, Colorado

## **Published Works**

### **Publications**

Seidl, A., L. Ellingson and C.J. Mucklow, 2010. *Castles or Cattle? A regional analysis of working lands policies*. In Stephan J. Goetz and Floor Brouwer (editors), *New Perspectives on Agri-environmental Policies, A multidisciplinary and transatlantic approach* (pp. 156-174). New York, New York: Routledge.

Ellingson, L., Seidl, A and Mucklow, C.J. , 2007. *Tourists' Value of Ranch Open Space Over Time: A Panel Data Estimation*, Selected Paper for presentation at the American Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, July 29 – August 1, 2007.

Ellingson, L., Seidl, A and Mucklow, C.J. May 2006 *Tourists' Value of Routt County's Working Landscape, 2005*. EDR 06-05.

Magnan, N., A. Seidl, Mucklow, C.J. and Alpe, D. October 2005. *The Societal Value of Ranchlands to Routt County Residents, 1995-2005*. EDR- 05-01.

Mucklow, C.J. and R.B. LeValley, 2003. *Direct Marketing Beef Do's and Don'ts Pros and Cons*. University of Nebraska – Lincoln, Animal Science Department, Range Beef Cow Symposium.

Hoag, D., A. Marshall, A. Seidl and C.J. Mucklow. 2002. *What Landowners Should Know When Considering Conservation Easements: Insights from Colorado Landowners*. Extension Bulletin XCM-226, Colorado State University Extension, Colorado State University, Fort Collins. 19 pp.

Mucklow, C.J. and R.B. LeValley. 2002. *Niche Beef Marketing*. American Society of Animal Science Western Section.

Rosenberger, R.S., R.G. Walsh, J.R. McKean and C.J. Mucklow. 1996. *Benefits of Ranch Open Space to Local Residents*. Extension Bulletin XCM-201. Fort Collins, CO: Colorado State University, Cooperative Extension, Agricultural Experiment Station. 43pp.

Mucklow, C.J., Young, R.B, and LeValley, R.B. 1995. *Establishing a Lamb Pool*. Fact Sheet. Colorado State University.

Walsh, R.G., J.R. McKean, R.S. Rosenberger and C.J. Mucklow. 1994. *Recreation Value of Ranch Open Space*. Extension Bulletin XCM-167. Fort Collins, CO: Colorado State University, Cooperative Extension, Agricultural Experiment Station. 43pp.

Toombs, D., R.B. LeValley, C.J. Mucklow, A.S. Volt, L. Weddle, G. Niswender, C.V. Kimberling, and R. Glock, 1994. *Establishing Baseline Copper Liver Levels in Northwestern Colorado*. Colorado State University Beef Report.

### **Books**

Mucklow, C.J., J.A. Altman, S. Hope. 1992 reprints 1996, 2001 and 2008. *A Guide to Rural Living and Small Scale Agriculture*.

Meiman, Paul, Cathy Neelan, and C.J. Mucklow. November 2001. *Rivers Range and Change*. A repeat photography book of ecological change to riparian areas and rangelands in Routt and Moffat Counties.

Babcock, Deb, and C.J. Mucklow, et al. 1995. *59 Days*. Gardening book for Northwest Colorado.

### **Videos Produced**

*Forest Management for Colorado Ranchers*. 2016. Presented by C.J. Mucklow, Western Region Extension Director and John Twitchell, District Forester, Colorado State Forest Service.

*Routt County Roots*, 2013. Sustainability of a Food System. Produced in connection with Colorado Mountain College Students for Sustainability.

### **Colorado State University Courses assisted with**

A300 Issues in Agriculture

Animal Science Graduate Student Forum

Agriculture Experiment Station and Extension Joint Works Panel Discussion

### **Research Grants**

Funded projects as Primary Investigator or Co-Primary Investigator

1994 – Establishment of Western Colorado Lamb Pool. Colorado State University Cooperative Extension, \$4,000.

1995 – Feasibility Study for marketing locally grown agricultural products in a tourist economy. Colorado State University Extension and U.S. Department of Agriculture, \$3000.

1996 – Grant to study niche marketing of local beef for project Yampa Valley Beef. The Nature Conservancy and Steamboat Springs Economic Development Council, \$5000.

1997 – Grant to study agriculture and agriculture policy via facilitation of local roundtable discussions. Henry A. Wallace Foundation.

1998 – Development of repeat photographs to show rangeland change over time. Colorado State University Cooperative Extension, \$10,000.

2000- Preservation of Little Snake River Valley. National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, \$50,000.

2005 – Study of Economic Benefits of Open Space. Colorado Conservation Trust, \$6,000.

2006 – Animal Premise Registration in Routt County. Colorado State University Cooperative Extension, \$4,000.

2011 – Improving Soil Health and Wheat Fallow Rotation in Northwest Colorado. Sustainable Agriculture Research Education Grant, (Technical Advisor) \$30,000.

2013 - Colorado 4-H STEM Kits for Educators, Colorado State University System Venture Capital Grant, CSU Board of Governors, \$36,200

2014 – Ranching and a West That Works, Conservation and Ranching Conference. Sustainable Agriculture Research Education Grant, (Technical Advisor) \$10,000.

2019 – Climate Related Disaster: Drought/Wildfire Disaster Professional Development Training, Colorado State University/New Mexico State University, \$6000.

### **Professional Affiliations and Activities**

- Colorado Cattlemen’s Agricultural Land Trust (Board Member, 2007-2014)
- Yampa Valley Community Foundation (Board Member, 2005-2010)
- Routt County Cattlemen’s Association (2000- 2014 including positions of Board Member, Secretary, Vice-President, President)
- Colorado Cattlemen’s Association (2000-2014)
- Community Agriculture Alliance (1999-2011), Community Ag Tour Guide
- Society for Range Management (1995-2011)
- Steamboat Springs Rotary Club (1991-2010)
- Ski Town USA Rotary Club (2011-present; President 2017-2018)
- National Association of County Agricultural Agents (1986-2009)
- Colorado Farm Bureau (1989-present)
- Colorado County Agricultural Agents (1986-2009)

### **Professional Committees**

- Pest Management Work Team, Colorado State University Extension (2005 – 2011)
- Beef Education Work Team, Colorado State University Extension (2005 – 2011)
- South Routt North Eagle Sage Grouse Habitat Restoration Committee (2003- 2010)

- Community Agricultural Alliance Stewardship Committee (2000 - 2011)
- Texas A& M Food and Ag Policy Center Representative, Colorado Ranch Panel Chair (1993-2012)
- Routt County 4-H Scholarship Foundation, Ex-Officio Member, Secretary (1991-Present)
- Colorado Cattlemen's Association Resource Stewardship Committee Chair (2009-2011)
- State of Colorado Weed Advisory Board (2003-2006)
- Steamboat Springs Economic Development Committee (1999-2009)
- Routt County Purchase of Development Rights Advisory Committee Chair (1997-2003). Co-writer of PDR criteria used in over 30 counties nationwide.

### **Major Invited Papers/Lectures/Addresses**

2021 – *Tell Me More. . . series*. Invited guest with Colorado State University President Joyce McConnell

2021 – Sand County Foundation invited speaker, *Innovations on the Land: Resilient Farms and Ranches*, Steamboat Springs, Colorado.

2018 - *Colorado State University Western Colorado Agriculture Futuring Workshop* organizer. Knapp Ranch in Edwards, Colorado

2017 – *Colorado Farmers & Ranchers: Land, Sustainability and Bridges to Urban Communities*. Panel Discussion hosted by The Public Lands History Center, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado.

2014 - *Ranching and a West That Works*. Conference exploring ranching's connections to water, food, sustainable grazing, public-private partnerships, livelihoods, rural economies. Colorado State University, Colorado Cattlemen's Agricultural Land Trust.

2013 - SoRoCo FFA Banquet Address. Invited Speaker, SoRoCo High School, Oak Creek, Colorado.

2009 -2010 - Facilitator for Strategic Planning Sessions, Yampa Valley Recycles.

2009 – *Ranching Conservation and Conservation Easements: Now and The Future*, Bridging The Gap: Collaborative Conservation from the Ground Up Conference co-hosted by Colorado State University Extension, Colorado State University, et al., Fort Collins, Colorado.

2009: *Contributions Ranching Makes to Tourism in Colorado*. Ranching and Tourism conference. Sponsored by the Western Center for Integrated Resource Management at Colorado State University.

2007 – *The Top Ten Ways to Be A Great Extension Agent*, Animal Science Graduate Student Forum, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado.

2006 – *Who Are These New Landowners and What Should I Do About It? An Emerging Audience on a Changing Landscape: Arizona's Open Spaces and the New Exurban Clientele*. Tucson, Arizona.

2004 – *Direct Marketing Beef*. Washington State University Cooperative Extension. Okanogan County, Washington.

2004 – *Noxious Weeds*, Colorado Bar Association, 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Ag and Rural Law Roundup, Steamboat Springs, Colorado.

2003 – *Direct Marketing Beef*. Range Beef Cow Symposium, Scottsbluff, Nebraska.

2002 – *Niche Beef Marketing*. American Society of Animal Science, Western Section, Fort Collins, Colorado.

2001 – *How National Policy Affects Agriculture in Routt County*, US House and Senate Agricultural Committee Staff, Wallace Foundation, Washington, D.C.

2000 – *Routt County Role in Agricultural Land Preservation*, Sonoran Institute, Westcliffe, Colorado.

2000 – *Routt County Purchase of Development Rights Program*. Arizona Round Table, Tucson, Arizona.

1998 – *How Tourists Value Viewing Agricultural Lands*. Northwest Tourism Bureau, Tacoma, Washington.

1993 – *Haying versus Grazing Intermountain Hay*. Society of Range Management Practical Applications Report. Colorado Springs, Colorado.

1990-1995 – *Ranch Management School*. CSU Cooperative Extension. Colorado Springs, Pagosa Springs, Buena Vista, and Kremmling, Colorado.

### **Honors And Awards**

- 2022 Colorado Agriculture Leadership Excellence Award, CALP, Governors Forum on Agriculture
- 2020 Distinguished Administrative Professional Award, Colorado State University.
- 2020 Who's Who in Agriculture, Denver Business Journal.
- 2019 Grand Marshall, Rout County Fair.

- 2017 Friend of CCAA Award, Colorado County Agents Association.
- 2010 Outstanding and Dedicated Service Award, Routt County Cattlemen's Association.
- 2007 Alton Scofield Distinguished Service Award, Colorado State University Extension.
- 2006-2007 Distinguished Alumni Cooperative Extension Award. Colorado State University Alumni Association.
- 2006 Meritorious Service Award, Colorado State Noxious Weed Advisory Committee.
- 2001 Recognition for dedication and expertise in providing information about Bark Beetle infestation. United States Forest Service.
- 1999 Award for Outstanding Dedication to Routt County Purchase of Development Rights. Routt County.
- 1999 Grand Marshall, Steamboat Springs 4<sup>th</sup> of July Cowboys Roundup Days Parade
- 1998 Leadership Award, Steamboat Springs Rotary Club.
- 1996 Colorado County Agents Association Distinguished Service Award. Colorado County Agents Association.
- 1995 Routt County CattleWomen's Friend of Beef, recognizing outstanding support and promotion of the Beef Industry.
- 1994 National Winner for Excellence. National County Agricultural Agents Association.
- 1994 Outstanding Extension Agent in Colorado, presented to the Outstanding Extension Agent with less than ten years experience. Epsilon Sigma Phi.
- 1988 Tyro Award, presented to the Outstanding 4-H Agent in Colorado with less than two years experience.
- 1986 Outstanding Contribution to 4-H, Elbert County 4-H Council.