



TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY
Davis College

Animal & Food Sciences™

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Davis College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources
Award Selection Committee

Dear Committee,

It is my pleasure to nominate Dr. Dale Woerner for the Barnie E. Rushing, Jr. Faculty Distinguished Research Award (Science, technology, engineering, and math disciplines), presented by the Texas Tech Parents Association. Dr. Woerner is a current faculty member at TTU and holds the rank of Assistant Professor or above.

Dr. Woerner has demonstrated excellence of research through scholarship and publication of outstanding research and creative works in high-quality research journals. Dr. Woerner has been recognized nationally by peers within his field of meat science. Dr. Woerner's robust grantsmanship supports many graduate students under his mentorship. Many of his former students are leaders in industry, government, and academia. Moreover, Dr. Woerner is known for his unique dissemination of his research through an industry funded scientific program hosted on campus every two years, which draws acclaim and attention to the quality research conducted at Texas Tech University.

Please find attached the nominee's vita and summary of student teaching evaluation scores for Davis College nomination. Your consideration of Dr. Woerner for this award is greatly appreciated.

Regards,

Dr. J Chance Brooks, Chair
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