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Laurie Jacobson receives 2006 College of Agriculture, Food and Environmental Sciences Staff Award

At its 2006 Winter reception, Assoc. Dean Mark Shelton announced that Laurie Jacobson was the 2006 recipient of the “Rain for Rent” Staff Award of the College. A 1994 graduate of Cal Poly’s Food Science and Nutrition Department, Laurie has served the DPTC continuously for the last 10 years as the DPTC’s Outreach Specialist. In this capacity, Laurie provides leadership for the DPTC industry educational short courses and symposia.



“In large part, the continued success, tremendous industry support, and growing reputation of the DPTC is in part due to the single efforts of Laurie Jacobson and her commitment to Cal Poly and to excellence in her job performance” wrote DPTC Director, Phil Tong in his nomination of Laurie for this award.. The DPTC and the thousands of industry attendees to our programs will be happy to learn Laurie has been recognized formally for her work. In addition to this work, Laurie performs other communication duties for the benefit of the students, staff, faculty and industry involved in dairy foods and related fields.

The Dairy Products Technology Center (DPTC), established in 1986, is a program within the College of Agriculture at Cal Poly State University that conducts education, research, and outreach activities to provide solutions to help manage risk, facilitate innovation, and defend equity in the dairy foods industry and related business sectors. For further information visit our website at www.calpoly.edu/~dptc.