



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
For more information contact: Cara Tharp
217-356-5146 ext. 41

**Robert F. Roberts Receives
Milk Industry Foundation Teaching Award in Dairy Manufacturing**

Savoy, IL — The American Dairy Science Association is proud to announce Robert F. Roberts of Penn State University as the 2007 recipient of the Milk Industry Foundation Teaching Award in Dairy Manufacturing. The award was presented on Tuesday, July 10, 2007, during the awards ceremony at the ADSA Annual Meeting in San Antonio, Texas.

The Milk Industry Foundation Teaching Award in Dairy Manufacturing was created to recognize outstanding teaching of undergraduate students in dairy foods. The winner must have demonstrated outstanding ability as a teacher of undergraduate students in dairy foods at an accredited college or university. The winner must have been an active teacher when nominated with no less than ten total years of active teaching preceding. The winner must be a member of the American Dairy Science Association, and be a resident of the United States, Canada, or Mexico.

Robert F. Roberts' influence as a teacher is evident in his students' comments that repeatedly refer to his enthusiasm for teaching, his ability to make the material interesting and relevant, and his use of examples to relate class material to real-world situations. Roberts provides opportunities for students to apply knowledge learned in basic courses to dairy, and to develop skills to prepare them for careers as food scientists. Roberts takes every opportunity to introduce students to industry personnel. His impact is best summarized by one student's comment: "Of all my undergraduate courses, Dairy Science and Technology was the class that best prepared me for my career."

It is with great pleasure that ADSA and the Milk Industry Foundation present Robert F. Roberts with the 2007 Milk Industry Foundation Teaching Award in Dairy Manufacturing.

###