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Congratulations to three members of our IFAS Citrus Mechanical Harvesting Program for winning the 2010 Florida State Horticulture Society Best Paper Award in the Handling and Processing section. Drs. Timothy Spann, Bob Ebel, and Michelle Danyluk were co-authors of “Influence of Mechanical Harvesting System and Abscission Agent on Microflora of Citrus Fruit. “ The paper presented during the 2009 FSHS Annual Meeting, discussed the results of a study evaluating the microbiology of the surface and citrus juice collected by various mechanical harvesting systems. This paper is available to read on our website at <http://citrusMH.ifas.ufl.edu>.