# USDA-ARS
# Mid South Area

## SOUTHERN INSECT MANAGEMENT RESEARCH UNIT

## Mission

*The mission of the Southern Insect Management Research Unit (SIMRU) is to generate new knowledge of arthropod pest biology, ecology and management and integrate this knowledge into contemporary farming systems that will promote economical and environmentally stable pest management practices for the southern U.S.*

*The vision of SIMRU is to be a recognized center of innovation for negating agricultural pest problem through deployed scientific knowledge of pest biology, ecology and management options.*

## CRIS PROJECT

**Insecticide Resistance Management and New Control Strategies for Pests of Corn, Cotton, Sorghum, Soybean, and Sweetpotato**

**PROJECT INVESTIGATORS**

**Clint Allen (Project Leader)**
Randall Luttrell
Katherine Parys
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## CRIS PROJECT

**Control of Tarnished Plant Bugs by Biocontrol and Other Methods**

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Randall Luttrell
**Maribel Portilla (Project Leader)**

# CRIS PROJECT

Effect of Resistance on Insect Pest Management in Transgenic Cotton

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*Farewell Goodbye Celebration*
*Honoring*
*Leslie "Les" Price & Julian Henry*

*When: Thursday, October 16, 2014*
*Where: SIMRU Visual Aid Room (Rm#305)*
*Time: 11:30 a.m.*

# OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATION

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