CE Specialist DANRIS-X Advisor 2017

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- Webinar recording and PowerPoint will be available online: http://ucanr.edu/sites/anrstaff/divisionwide_planning/program_planning_and_evaluation/danris-x/

Welcome

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Vice Provost of Cooperative Extension

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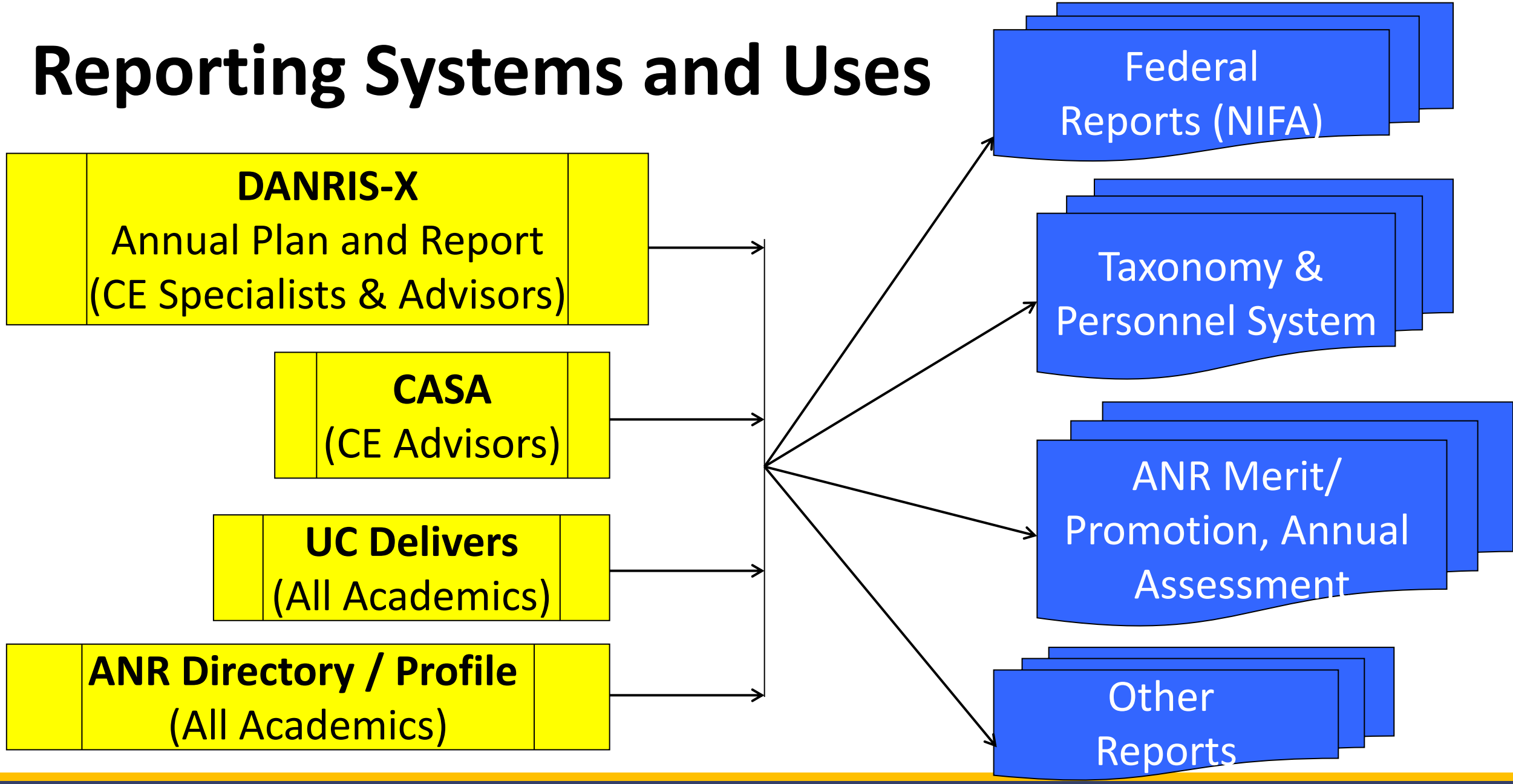
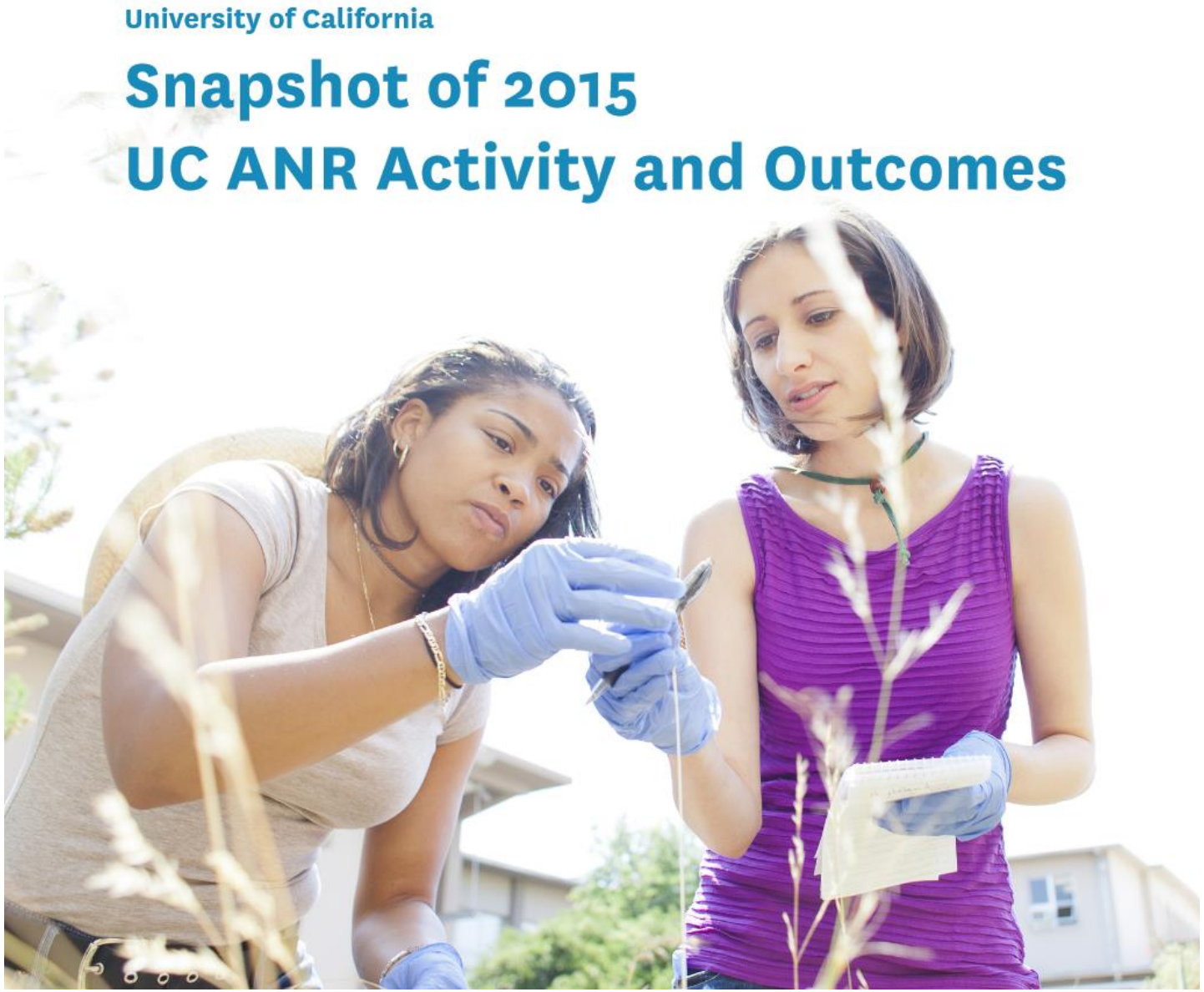
Desired Outcomes

Participants will have:

- Understanding of how information in DANRIS-X and CASA are used
- Understanding of how to use DANRIS-X and CASA
- Understanding of what to expect for the replacement system, Project Board, scheduled to be released in 2018.

Reporting Systems and Uses





2015 Snapshot of UC ANR Activities and Outcomes: http://ucanr.edu/sites/anrstaff/files/253625.pdf

All reports to federal funders: http://ucanr.edu/sites/anrstaff/Divisionwide_Planning/

1,767
peer reviewed articles published

20
novel ideas led to patent applications

RESEARCH

1,360,080
adults and youth were directly reached through extension

1,572
courses, workshops and field days were held

EXTENSION

Help for beginning farmers

In Placer and Nevada counties, there are nearly 2,100 farms, with 32% of them run by beginning farmers. UCCE Placer-Nevada offers a six- week Farm Business Planning class to improve farm practices and profit margins while reducing risk. The percentage of participants that use planning tools increased from 44% before the course to 85% after the course. In total since the program began, 41% of participants have expanded their operations and 39% have seen an increase in profitability. (Cindy Fake)

Science-based method to evaluate groundwater conditions

UCCE introduced a science-based method for evaluating groundwater conditions and how they relate to number and depth of water wells. The methodology predicts the percentage of water wells that may go dry if groundwater levels continue to decline. This methodology is being used to guide groundwater management plans and regulatory restrictions in Glenn County. These efforts, as well as others, have already helped Northern Sacramento Valley water users develop water-resource management plans that leave them in a favorable position to manage and sustain groundwater supplies in the future. (Alan Fulton)

New nutrition policies for preschools

UCCE Alameda partnered with Alameda County to offer teacher education/training and develop wellness policies for 14 low-income state preschools and Head Start sites. The 14 preschool sites implemented childhood obesity-prevention policies during the 2015-2016 school year. Preliminary outcomes are positive, as evidenced by the actions taken by administrators, teachers and parents to promote healthy eating and physical activity. Students are purchasing more fresh fruits and vegetables. (Mary Blackburn)

2,670

farm, ranch, rangeland, and landscape operators learned pest management techniques and the skills to detect, monitor, and treat endemic and invasive pests and diseases.

1,064

farm, ranch, rangeland, and landscape operators adopted best practices and technologies resulting in increased yield, reduced inputs, increased efficiency, increased economic return, and/or conservation of resources.

75

public school staff members went back to their districts across the state equipped to implement integrated pest management practices at their schools.

How does USDA NIFA use DANRIS-X data?

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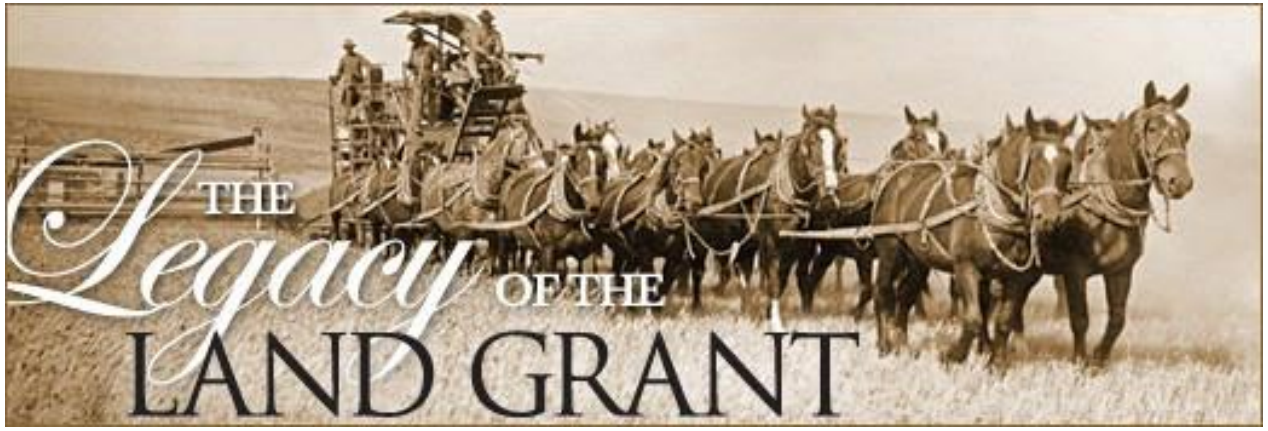
- Demonstrate accountability
- Secure funding/budget cycle
- Policy making
- Generate public support
- Congress!



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Calendar

- FY 2017 Annual Report & CASA and FY 2018 Annual Plan open
- System closes and information is **due by October 30th at midnight**
- Replacement system, “Project Board,” scheduled to open Jan. 2018

CASA / Civil Rights Compliance

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Transition Year

- Aesthetic refresh
- Removed and clarified some data fields
- Identified important features/ changes that need to be included in the new system

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DANRIS-X

- Logging in
- Navigating and using the system
- Help pages
- Explanations of data fields, including any removals or clarifications
- Retrieving data
- Questions

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Summary of Changes

- Reduced fields in Annual Plan (outcomes, methods, anticipated collaborators, all multistate fields)
- Revised activity and outcome/impact types
- Reduced fields in Annual Report (multistate activity description, removed optional data fields)

Name	Position and Program Area	Location
Sheila Barry	County Director and CE Advisor, Livestock and Natural Resources	Santa Clara County
Beth Grafton-Cardwell	REC Director, AES, CE Specialist, Entomology	Lindcove REC
Chris Greer	Vice Provost	ANR
Darren Haver	REC Director , County Director, and CE Advisor (Water resources/ water quality)	Orange County/ South Coast REC
Brent Holtz	CE Advisor and County Director (Plant Pathology, Chair for academic assembly council)	San Joaquin County
Marcel Horowitz	CE Advisor (Youth Development, Nutrition, Family and Consumer Science)	Yolo County
Maggi Kelly	CE GIS Specialist, Director of IGIS (Geographic Information Systems)	UC Berkeley
Anna Martin	CE Advisor (Nutrition and Family Consumer Science)	San Joaquin County
Peggy Mauk	CE Specialist and Director, Agricultural Operations (Subtropical Horticulture)	UC Riverside
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- Use Firefox or Chrome
- Maximize web browser window for the best look
- Report any bugs immediately to Chris or Kit

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Due Date: October 30, 2017 at midnight

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DANRIS-X Replacement Updates

- Have the capacity, funding, approval, mockup designs, and user requirements for a system to replace DANRIS-X
- ANR's Information Technology, Program Planning and Evaluation, and Academic Human Resources are the leading units, getting lots of user input
- More info and dates later!

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