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CURRENT TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES:

PO 4523/6523	Commercial Broiler Processing Techniques Distance Learning Version online
PO 3834	Microbiology of Food Animal Production
NTR 8123	Methods in Nutrition Research
PO 4513/6513/FNH 4513	Poultry Processing
PO 3021	Seminar, HACCP certification

EDUCATION:

Mississippi University for Women, Columbus, Mississippi
B.S., 1968 Bacteriology
M.S., 1971 Biological Sciences
Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama
Ph.D., 1990 Poultry Pathology

CONTINUING EDUCATION

U.S.E.P.A. Perrine Primate Laboratory, Gas Chromatography Electron Capture Analysis of Pesticide Residues, Certificate, 1971
American Association of Feed Microscopists, Feed Microscopy, Certificate, 1975
Dun & Bradstreet Companies, Inc., Accounting I - Certificate, 1975
Dun & Bradstreet Companies, Inc., Credit & Financial Analysis - Certificate, 1976
Massachusetts Institutes of Technology, Advances in Food Microbiology, Certificate, 1978
University of Alabama, Time Management by Objectives, 1980
University of Alabama, Leadership for Performance, 1981
University of Santa Clara, Practical Food Law, Certificate, 1981
American Institute of Baking, Food Processing Sanitation, Certificate, 1984
University of Wisconsin, Advanced Corrugated Container Workshop, Certificate 1985
KFC – Quality Leadership Workshop, 1993
Mississippi State University, Excellence in Teaching Fall Symposium, 1999
Mississippi State University, Advanced Power Point Workshop, 1999
Mississippi State University, 12 Keys to Successful Grant Writing, 1999
Mississippi State University, New Faculty Research Orientation Workshop, 1999
USDA/CRESS Competitive Grants Workshop, 1999
Mississippi State University, GroupWise Workshop, 1999
Mississippi State University, Accessing the Libraries' Electronic Journals, 1999
Mississippi State University, Identifying Grants and Funding Resources, 2000
Mississippi State University, Excellence in Teaching Fall Symposium, 2000
Mississippi State University, Faculty Instructional Technology Series, 2001
International HACCP Alliance, Train-the-Trainer HACCP Course, 2004
Mississippi State University, Web CT Jumpstart Workshop, 2005

EMPLOYMENT:

1999 – present Professor, Poultry Science, Mississippi State University
 1997 - 1999 Full time Consultant to Novus International, Inc., St. Louis, MO
 1992 – 1999 Adjunct Professor, Poultry Science, Mississippi State University
 1983 - 1996 Vice President, Science & Quality Assurance, Marshall Durbin Food Corporation, Birmingham, AL
 1981 - 1983 Assistant Vice President, Marshall Durbin Food Corporation
 1975 - 1981 Director, Laboratory Services, Marshall Durbin Food Corporation
 1974 - 1975 Manager, Marshall Durbin Laboratory
 1971 - 1974 Manager, Food Products Laboratory, MFC. Services (AAL), Jackson, MS
 1969 - 1971 Microbiologist, MFC Services (AAL)

CONSULTING ACTIVITIES:

KFC Poultry Advisory Board, Yum Foods, Inc., Lexington, Ky 2007
 Executive Editor, POULTRY Magazine, Marketing & Technology Group, Chicago, IL
 August, 2001 – present
 Consulting Food Technologist/Microbiologist, GenSpec Foods, Baldwin, GA 2002
 Full time Consultant to Novus International, Inc., St. Louis, MO, 1997 - 1999

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Food Safety through the relationship of the environment to bird microflora, development of immunity and subsequently the finished food product.

GRADUATE STUDENT TRAINING:**Major Professor**

Michael E. Chaloupka, M.S. 2001, Agribusiness Management
 Montika Putsakum, Ph.D., candidate in Nutrition
 Ryn McDonald, Ph.D., candidate in Food Science
 Zachery Williams, M. S. Candidate, Poultry Science

Graduate Advisory Committee

1. Sirilag Puvadolpirod, Ph.D., 1996 Animal Physiology
2. Jeanette Tankson, Ph.D., 2001 Animal Physiology
3. Becky Fiorillo, M.S, 2002, Food Technology
4. Davis E. Wilbourn, M.S. candidate in Poultry Science
5. Jane Odhiambo, Ph.D., Nutrition, 2005
6. Tucker Bielman, M. S. Candidate in Food Science
7. Scott Virden, Ph.D., Nutrition 2006
8. Vijayakumar Radhakrishnan, M. S. Food Science, 2007
9. Vamsidhar Battula, M.S. Candidate in Food Science
10. Karen Christensen, Ph.D. Candidate in Animal Physiology

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

1985 Institut National Agronomique and the Guinea Industry of France

1985, Selected to tour the guinea industry in the Loire Valley of France and discuss the feasibility of establishing cooperative guinea processing operations with the U.S. Broiler Industry

- 1989** Served as a Delegate to review the USDA-Pollos Picu Inspection Activities, Coamo, Puerto Rico
- 1995** Invited to address the Taiwan National Poultry Association on "Management Philosophy of Vertically Integrated Broiler Production in the USA"
- 1996** Taiwan National Poultry Association. Management of Farmers Cooperatives for Vertically Integrated Broiler Production in the USA
- 1998** Avicol La Guasima, C.A, Technical Seminar: Sanitation in the Commercial Hatchery, Antigua, Guatemala
- 2003** World's Poultry Science Association, U.K. Branch Symposium on Laying Hen Welfare, Bristol, England, July 16 - 20
- VIV International Trade Show, Utrecht, The Netherlands and tour poultry processing plants in England, Holland, Germany and Denmark representing Poultry magazine, October 28 – November 4

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

Southern Poultry Science Society, Member, 1978-present

1999 - 2001 Executive Secretary

1989, President

1988, 1st Vice President

1987, 2nd Vice President

Poultry Science Association, Member, 1975-present

1987-1991, Committee on Drugs & Chemicals 1991, Chairman

1992, 1993, Representative to Southern Poultry Science Society

2003 2005– Maurice Stein Research Award Committee, Chairman, 2005

2007 – present – Section Editor, Processing, Products & Food Safety, Poultry Science Journal

American Poultry Historical Society, 1990-present, Life Member

1995, Chairman Nominating Committee

1992 – present, Membership Committee, Chair, 1994

1997-2000, 2nd Vice President

2000-2001; 1st Vice President

2002-2004; President

2004-2005, Past President

2007 – present, Editor Newsletter

World Poultry Association, Member, 1988-present

Institute of Food Technologists, Member, 1982-present

American Society of Microbiology, Member, 1971-present

American Association of Avian Pathologists, 1990-2003

American Association of Feed Microscopists, 1975-1994

Council for Agricultural Science and Technology, 1989-1996

Mississippi Poultry Association, Member, 1976-1998

1976-1997, Board of Directors

1992, Chairman of Board

1991, Vice Chairman
 1990, Treasurer
 1990-1994, Executive Committee
 Research Committee, 1981-1997, 2000- present
 Poultry Management School Committee, 1984-1997, 2000 – 2006. Chair, 1987-1988
 Membership Committee, 1985-1997
 Convention Finance Committee, 1985
 Education and Promotion Committee, 1985-1997
 Convention Program & Entertainment Committee, 1987, Chairman, 1992
 Convention Business Program, 1986-1997, Chairman, 1992
 Environmental Committee, 1994 – 1997, 1999- 2006

American Chemical Society, Member, 1976-1996

Board of Directors, Central Industries, Inc., 1977 to 1997; Secretary & Chairman of Laboratory Committee

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

1985-1989

PO 4303 -Lectures on "Principles of Sanitation in Commercial Hatcheries"

1983

University of Alabama Department of Nutrition, Food Science and Institutional Management - Regulation of the Broiler Industry and How the Consumer is Affected

1992

Served on Advisory Committee for Curriculum Evaluation for the Division of Math and Sciences, Mississippi University for Women
 Appointed Adjunct Professor, Poultry Science, Mississippi State University

1993

Admitted to graduate faculty of Mississippi State University

1993-1994

Developed and taught PO 4523, Commercial Broiler Processing Techniques

1993, 1994 & 1997

Poultry Physiology Lectures on "Opportunities in the Mississippi Poultry Industry"

1994

Animal Physiology Seminar Series, Mississippi State University: "MSU's Interaction with the Mississippi Poultry Industry"

1995

Participated in CSRS Review of Poultry Programs at Mississippi State University as Industry Representative

1998-1999

Member, Problem Statement Subcommittee of MSU Nutrient Management and Water Quality Task Force; Chairman, Sanderson Farms-Mississippi Chemical Special Project Committee
 Presented Food Quality Control Laboratory for NTR 8253, 3 sections

1999

Member MSU Nutrient Management and Water Quality Task Force
 Member of Poultry Committee

2002

Member MSU Nutrient Management and Water Quality Task Force, Member of Poultry Committee
 Member MSU Food Science Institute

- 2003-** Member MSU Nutrient Management and Water Quality Task Force, Member of Poultry Committee
Member MSU Food Science Institute
- 2004-** Member MSU Nutrient Management and Water Quality Task Force, Member of Poultry Committee
Member MSU Food Science Institute
- 2005-** Member MSU Nutrient Management and Water Quality Task Force. Member of Poultry Committee
Member MSU Food Science Institute
Member CALS Teaching Evaluation Committee
Member CALS Excellence in Teaching Committee
Member of Faculty Senate Teaching Evaluation Committee
- 2006** Member MSU Food Science Institute
Member CALS Teaching Evaluation Committee
Member CALS Excellence in Teaching Committee
Member of Faculty Senate Teaching Evaluation Committee
- 2007** Member MSU Food Science Institute
Member CALS Teaching Evaluation Committee
Member of Faculty Senate Teaching Evaluation Committee
Chair, Poultry Science Department Award Committee
Member CALS Promotion & Tenure Committee
Department Representative on MSU Biosafety Officer Search Committee

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS:

U.S. Congress

1988, Agriculture Committee: Testified in Field Hearing on Programs Mandated Under the Food Security Act of 1985; Tuscaloosa, AL

U.S. Department of Agriculture

1981-1986; 1988; 1990-1992, Appointments by Secretary of Agriculture to the USDA Advisory Committee on Meat and Poultry Inspection

National Broiler Council, Washington, DC

1976-1997, Scientific Advisory Committee

1989, Served as a Delegate to review the USDA-Pollos Picu Inspection Activities, Coamo, Puerto Rico

1982-1986, Ex-Officio Member of Processing Committee

1986-1989, Salmonella Committee

1983, Chairman, Processing Committee Subcommittee to Review GAO Recommendations for Improvement in Water Safety, Facility and Blueprint Review Regulations

Southeastern Poultry & Egg Association, Atlanta, GA

1979-1989, Feed Mill Management Seminar Planning Committee, 1985, Chairman

1979-1984, Processing Committee, 1982-1983, Co-Chairman

1986, Escort for Secretary of Agriculture, Dr. Earl Butz and Assistant Secretary, C. W. McMillian through International Exposition, Atlanta, GA

Poultry & Egg Institute of America, Chicago, IL

1974, Committee on Chlorine in Poultry Processing

1974, USDA-FDA - Industry Task Force on Salmonella

National Broiler Marketing Association

1973, Advisor for FDA regulations to NBMA Foreign Investors on Regulatory issues for importation of Peruvian Fish Meal

INVITED LECTURES**1975**

Chromatography Discussion Group Annual Meeting, Pesticide Residue Detection in Private Laboratories, New Orleans, LA

1978

Laboratory Discussion Group, Annual Meeting, Quality Control in the Laboratory, Jackson, MS

1983

SP&EA Processors Workshop - Update on Activities of USDA National Advisory Committee on Meat and Poultry Inspection, Atlanta, GA

1985

SP&EA Processors Workshop - QC Cut-up to Further Processing, Atlanta, GA

MPA Poultry Management School - Testing Water Quality, Jackson, MS

1987

SP&EA Feed Mill Management Seminar - Microbiological Concerns, Atlanta, GA

Delmarva Poultry Health and Condemnation Schools - Reducing Downgrades Through a Preventative Quality Assurance Program, Salisbury, MD

Watkins, Ludlam & Stennis, P.A., Recruiting Seminar - Introduction to the Mississippi Poultry Industry

Mississippi University for Women, Division of Science & Mathematics Honors Day Guest Lecturer: Foodborne Diseases and Poultry, Columbus, MS

1990

Mississippi Quail Producers Association, Principles of Sanitation, Jackson, MS

The Mississippi State Department of Education, Educational Equity Program, The Office of Vocational, Technical and Adult Education and the Miami Desegregation Assistance Center, New Horizons for Women, Creative Uses of Technology in Business

1991

SP&EA, Feed Mill Management Seminar, New Tools for Quality Control, Atlanta, GA

1993

Southeastern Poultry & Egg Association, Women in Management Seminar, Featured Speaker, A Career in the Poultry Industry, Atlanta, GA

1998

Mississippi Poultry Association Management School. Processing: Equipment Adjustment for Zero Tolerance, Jackson, MS.

Novus International, Product Development Seminar, Poultry Processing 101, Sonoma, CA

Novus International Sales Development Seminar, Microbial Interventions and HACCP in Broiler Processing, ST. Louis, MO

Novus Farm Workers Seminar, Microbial Interventions in the Hatchery, St. Louis, MO

Omnus, Inc. Technical Seminar: Process Control in commercial Processing Plants, ST. Louis, MO

1999

Mississippi Poultry Association Management School. Salmonella Control in Broiler Operations.

Mississippi Poultry Association Management School. Salmonella Control in Breeder Operations.

Mississippi Poultry Association Management School. Processing Issues: A Panel Discussion.

- U.S. Poultry & Egg Association Feed Mill Management Seminar. Feed Ingredient Handling and Quality Control
- 2000** Mississippi Poultry Association Management School. Nutrient Management Regulations
- Cochran Fellow Program Lecturer for delegates from Cote d'Ivoire, 2 lectures
- 2001** Seminar, Jackson State University, Research Collaboration Opportunities, Jackson Heart & Lung Institute
- Seminar, Jackson State University - Hinds Community College Bridges Program
- Cochran Fellow Program Lecturer for delegates from South Africa, 2 lectures
Mississippi Broiler Roundtable – Forest, Mississippi
- 2006** Mississippi Poultry Association, Poultry Management School, May 16, Mississippi State University. Pre-Slaughter Salmonella Control and Avian Influenza Update

SERVICE

- 1999** Organized a week long Hatchery Management Workshop for members of the Moroccan Poultry Industry. Presented a lecture on hatchery sanitation.
Served on Mississippi Poultry Industry Environmental Committee
Chairman, Poultry Science Department Recruiting Committee
U.S. Poultry & Egg Association Feed Mill Management Seminar Planning Committee
- 2000** Nutrient Management with Phosphorous Index Extension Outreach Program, 10 Mississippi Locations
Chairman, Poultry Science Department Recruiting Committee
Cochran Fellow Program Lecturer for delegates from Cote D'Ivoire, 3 lectures
- 2001** Seminar, Jackson State University, Research Collaboration Opportunities, Jackson Heart & Lung Institute
Seminar, Jackson State University - Hinds Community College Bridges Program
Cochran Fellow Program Lecturer for delegates from South Africa, 2 lectures
Mississippi Broiler Roundtable – Forest, Mississippi
- 2005** Mississippi Poultry Association, Summer Poultry Camp, Planning Committee
- 2006** U. S. Poultry & Egg Association International Exposition. Presided over 3 sessions in InfoMart, January 26.
Presided over Marketing & Technology Group, Poultry Processing Educational Session, January 23
Presided at Alltech Quality Meat Summit, February 22, Lexington, Ky
Cochran Fellow Program Lecturer, 1 lecture
- 2007** Presided over 2 Educational Sessions for Marketing & Technology Group, Poultry Processing, January 24 & 25

GRANTS AND FUNDING SOURCES

Characterization of Mississippi Poultry Litter, \$18,000, 2000 SRI Grant

Poultry Waste Demonstration – RC&D; Funded October, 2000 - \$200,000: Yvonne Vizzier Thaxton, Chairman, Funding Committee & PI

\$10,000 Hamid Borazjani, S.V. Diehl, H.A. Stewart, Y.Vizzier-Thaxton, T.N. Chamblee, Use of Breeder Litter for Composting of Furniture Wood Waste

\$ 8,000 Y. Vizzier-Thaxton, Assessment of Litter Quantities on Mississippi Poultry Farms

\$17,500 Hasan M. Jamil & Y Vizzier Thaxton, Development of a Web-based Information/Publication Database

\$17,500 Hasan M. Jamil & Y Vizzier Thaxton, Development of a Web-based Clearinghouse to match litter producers with users of litter

Characterization of Mississippi Poultry Litter, \$9,000, 2001 SRI Grant, Y Vizzier-Thaxton PI

U.S. Poultry & Egg Association - \$20,540; Funded December, 2001, Broiler Litter Compost as Soil Amendment for Truck Crops; Y. Vizzier Thaxton, PI

SRI Alternative Crops and Value Added Products, Poultry Litter as an Organic Means of Plant Parasitic Nematode Management on Cotton, 2002, 2003 , 2004 \$45,000, Gary Lawrence and Y. Vizzier Thaxton, Co-PI's

Research completed to reduce the time of sampling, control the variables and increase accuracy of taking environmental samples for poultry production facility sanitation using the BioScience International SAS Super 180 Microbial Air Sampler as a way. The company supplied all of the equipment and expendables for the work valued at \$3,000.

Collaboration with USDA, ARS, Russell Research Center on Attachment of Campylobacter and Salmonella to Avian Spermatozoa. Y. Vizzier is senior author on the project. All work was conducted at RRC at value of \$15,000.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Gamma Sigma Delta

Historian 2004, Secretary 2005, Vice-President, 2006

Alpha Epsilon Delta

Beta, Beta, Beta

1968 - 69, Graduate Assistantship

1980-1981, Graduate Assistantship

1984, Selected as one of 25 outstanding alumnae of MUW by the Hinds County Association

1990-present, Listed in Who's Who of American Women

1992-1999, Adjunct Professor, Poultry Science, Mississippi State University

1993-present, Member of Graduate Faculty, Mississippi State University

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Member Bulldog Club 1996 – present

Member Starkville Civic League, 1999 – present

Chairman, Projects Committee, 2001 – 2002

Chairman, International Affairs Committee, 2003

Chairman, Fund Raising, 2000 - 2002

Second Vice President, 2002 – 2004

Member Magnolia Garden Club, 2003 - present

Member, St. Joseph Catholic Church, 1999 – 2006t

Chairman, Vocations Committee, 1999 – 2003
 Member, Regional Planning Committee, 1999 – 2002
 Chairman, Arts & Environment Committee, 2002 – present
 Lector, 1999 – present
 Member Liturgy Committee, 2002 – present
 Cook for Catholic Student Association
 Member of Equestrian Order of Holy Sepulcher of Jerusalem, 2003-present
 Knight of Columbus Auxiliary, 2000 - present

Member Catholic Foundation, Catholic Diocese of Jackson, MS 1996 – present.
 Board of Directors, 2006 - present
 Elected to Executive Committee, 1998 – present
 Membership Committee, Member 2000 – present
 Chairman, 2005 - present

PUBLICATONS:

- 1968 M.S. Thesis – Leptospirosis in Syrian Golden Hamsters (*Mesocricetus aurtus aurtus*), Mississippi University for Women, Columbus, MS
- 1976 Hatchery Sanitation and Operating Procedures, Marshall Durbin Companies, Birmingham, AL
- 1977 Feed Mill Operating and Good Manufacturing Procedures, Marshall Durbin Companies, Birmingham, AL
- 1979 Evaporative Condensor and Steam Boiler Maintenance and Treatment Manual, Marshall Durbin Companies, Birmingham, AL
 Product Recall Procedures, Marshall Durbin Companies, Birmingham, AL
- 1982 Processing Plant Sanitation Procedures, Marshall Durbin Companies, Birmingham, AL
 Broiler Processing Manual, Marshall Durbin Companies, Birmingham, AL
- 1992 Emergency Response Procedures Manual, Marshall Durbin Companies, Birmingham, AL
 Ph.D. Thesis – Differentiation of Inflamed Feather Follicles and Marek's Disease in Broilers, Auburn University,
- 1995 Thaxton, J.P., Y. Vizzier, S. Puvadolpirod. White Muscle Syndrome as Related to Bone Marrow Integrity in Processed Leg Quarters. *Poultry Science* 74 (Suppl. 1):220.
 Vizzier-Thaxton, Y., BROILER PROCESSING, Pinnacle Publishing Co., Raleigh, NC pp 1-79
 Tankson, J.T., Y. Vizzier-Thaxton and J.P. Thaxton, Possible Microbial Involvement in Cardiopulmonary Conditions in Broilers, *Poultry Science* 78(Suppl.):S48. (Abstr.)
 Tankson, J.T., Y. Vizzier-Thaxton and J.P. Thaxton, *Enterococcus faecalis* and Cardiovascular Anomalies in Broilers. *Poultry Sci.* 78(Suppl.):211. (Abstr.)
 Tankson, J.T., Y. V. Thaxton and J.P. Thaxton and J.D. Wilbourn, Biochemical Identification of Essential Pulmonary Hypertension Syndrome in Broilers Following a bacterial Challenge. 79(Suppl.1):S66. (Abstr.)
 Tankson, J.T., J.P. Thaxton, Y. Vizzier-Thaxton and J.D. May, Stress and Meat Quality in Broilers. 79(Suppl.1):S91. (Abstr.)
 Vizzier-Thaxton, Y., J.D. Tankson, J.H. Faison and A.R. Messersmith, Comparative Identification of Microorganisms from Commercial Poultry Operations by API20E and BBL Crystal Enteric/Nonfermenter Systems. 79(Suppl.1):102. (Abstr.)

- 2001** Oldham, L., K. Crouse, and Y. Vizzier-Thaxton. Soil and broiler litter testing basics. Mississippi State University Extension Service Information Sheet 1614.
- Tankson, J.D., Y. Vizzier-Thaxton, J.P. Thaxton, J.D. May and J.A. Cameron. Stress and Meat Quality in Broilers. *Poultry Science*. 80:1384-1389.
- Tankson, J.D., J. P. Thaxton and Y.Vizzier-Thaxton. Pulmonary Hypertension Syndrome in Broilers Caused by *Enterococcus faecalis*. *Infection and Immunity*, 69:6318-6322.
- Vizzier-Thaxton, Y. Poultry's New Perspective, Editorial, *Poultry*, 9(5):4
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Spotting, Solving Evisceration Problems, *Poultry*, 9(6):26-30
- 2002** Tankson, J.D., J. P. Thaxton and Y.Vizzier-Thaxton. Bacteria in Heart and Lungs of Broilers. *J. Applied Microbiology*. 92:443-450
- Tankson, J.D., J. P. Thaxton and Y.Vizzier-Thaxton Morphological Changes in Heart and Lungs of Broilers Experiencing Pulmonary Hypertension Syndrome Caused by *Enterococcus faecalis*. *Poultry Science*. 81:365-370.
- Tankson, J.D., J. P. Thaxton and Y.Vizzier-Thaxton. Biochemical and Immunological Changes in Broilers Experiencing Pulmonary Hypertension Syndrome Caused by *Enterococcus faecalis*. *Poultry Science* 81(12), 1826-31
- Tankson JD, Thaxton JP, Vizzier-Thaxton Y, Pulmonary hypertension syndrome in broilers caused by *Enterococcus faecalis*, *Infection and Immunity*, 69, (10), 6318-22, Oct 2001
- Wilbourn, D., J. Tankson, C. Balzli, Y. Vizzier-Thaxton, Microflora of the Bursa of Faricius of Broilers Reared on Litter. *Poultry Science* 80(Suppl.1):125 (Abstr.)
- Vizzier-Thaxton; Mississippi Broiler Litter: Quantity and Handling Assessment. *Poultry Science* 80(Suppl.1):153. (Abstr.)
- Vizzier-Thaxton, Y, G.W. Lawrence, and C.L. Balzli. Cotton Nematode Control by Boiler Litter. *Poultry Science* 80(Suppl.1):55 (Abstr.)
- Musgrove, M.T., J. Tankson, N.A. Cox, Y. Vizzier, P. Cray, R.J. Buhr and J.L. Wilson, Recovery of *Campylobacter* from the Bursa of Vent Inoculated Broiler Chicks. *Poultry Science* 80(Suppl.1):101 (Abstr.)
- Tankson, JD, Thaxton JP, and Vizzier-Thaxton, Y.. Pulmonary hypertension syndrome in young chickens with frozen and autocultures of *Enterococcus faecalis*. *Experimental Biology and Medicine* 227:812-816.
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Vigilant on All Fronts, Biosecurity, Editorial, *Poultry* 10(1):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Scalding and Picking, *Poultry*, 10(1): 14-16
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Winds of Change, Niche Stratification, Editorial, *Poultry* 10(2):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Roots of a Revolution: A Look at HACCP, *Poultry*, 10(2):20-24
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Big Ideas in Niche Markets, Editorial, *Poultry* 10(3):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. and D. Hyk, A Chill in the Air, *Poultry*, 10(2):26-27
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Summer Blues, Editorial, *Poultry* 10(4):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. All in the Family: Executive Interview, *Poultry*, 10(2)34-35.
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Plug Profit Drain Through Effective Water Management, *Poultry*, 10(3)18-19
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Celebrating Innovation, Editorial, *Poultry* 10(5):4

- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. In Plant Microbial Interventions, Poultry, 10(5)27-28
- 2003** Evans, W., Y. Vizzier-Thaxton, K. Paridon and P. Hudson, Tomato yields increased with broiler litter compost applications. American Society for Horticultural Science. Abst. In press
- Evans, W. and Y Vizzier-Thaxton. Impact of composted broiler litter applications on soil nutrients and organic matter in vegetable fields. American Society of Agronomy, Submitted
- Cox, N.A., C. L. Hofacre, J. S. Bailey, R. J. Buhr, J. L. Wilson, D. E. Cosby, M. T. Musgrove, L. J. Richardson, J. R. Tankson, Y. Vizzier Thaxton, P. F. Cray, K. L. Hiett, L. Vaughn, P. S. Holt and R. J. Meineismann and D. V. Bourassa. Translocation of *Campylobacter*, *Salmonella* and *Clostridium perfringens* to several lymphoid organs following oral or intraoal inoculation of broiler chicks. Abst Poultry Science, 81 (Suppl 1)25
- Odhiambo, J.A., J. P. Thaxton, Y. Vizzier-Thaxton and W. L. Dodson, Physiological stress in laying hens . Abst Poultry Science, 81 (Suppl 1)12
- Thaxton, J. P., J. Odiambo, Y. Vizzier-Thaxton and W.L. Dodson, Stress and Reproduction in Laying Hens, . Abst Poultry Science, 81 (Suppl 1)11
- Vizzier-Thaxton, Y, C. Balzili, J. Tankson, The Relationship of Broiler Flock Numbers to litter microflora. J. Applied Poultry Research , 12(2):81-84
- Vizzier-Thaxton, Y., T. E. Arbourgh , H. S. Renschler, and D. Wilbourn BioScience Air Sampler vs. Settling Plates for Microbiological Samples of the Environment. . Abst Poultry Science, 81 (Suppl 1)25
- Vizzier-Thaxton, Y, J. A. Cason N. A. Cox , Sara E. Morris and J. P. Thaxton. The Demise of Academic Poultry Science in the United States of America, World's Poultry Science Journal, Volume 59: 303-313.
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Time to Reflect/Re-access/Respond, Editorial, Poultry 10(1):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Maximizing Yield for cut-up systems, Poultry, 10(1):23-24
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Nuggets of Opportunity, Editorial, Poultry 10(2):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Spotlight on Dark Meat: No Bones About It, Poultry, 10(2):42-43
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. The Industry Changes, The Problems Remain, Editorial, Poultry 10(3):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Picking finger paradox, Poultry, 10(3):27-28
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Back to the Hatchery, Editorial, Poultry 10(3):4
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Searching for regulatory relief...naturally, Editorial, Poultry 10(5):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Hard lessons for poultry academia, Editorial, Poultry 10(6):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Time to Reflect-Reassess/Respond, Editorial, Poultry 11(1):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Maximizing Yield for cut-up systems, Poultry, 11(1):23-24
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Nuggets of Opportunity, Editorial, Poultry 11(2):6
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- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. The Industry Changes, The Problems Remain, Editorial, Poultry 11(3):6
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Picking finger paradox, Poultry, 11(3):27-28
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. Back to the Hatchery, Editorial, Poultry 11(3):4

- 2004** Thaxton, J. P. and Y. Vizzier-Thaxton, 2004. Method for Intra-Yolk Sac Delivery of Biologics. *J. Applied Poultry Research* 13:384-387
- Vizzier-Thaxton, Y and W. B. Evans, T. Arbrough and L. Currie. The Value and Safety of Composted Broiler Litter in Vegetable Crop Production. *Poultry Science*, 83: 1783
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y 2004. Who's running the show? *Poultry* 11(1):6
- Vizzier-Thaxton, Y., 2004. Hargis, B.M., Y. Vizzier-Thaxton. Finding The Path Toward Better Pathogen Control. *Poultry* 11(1): 31-32.
- Vizzier-Thaxton, Y., 2004. Innovations in Scalding. *Poultry* 11(1) 37-38
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. 2004. Escaping Maturity, *Poultry* 11(2):4
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. 2004. New digital technology enhances inspection and evaluation. *Poultry* 11(2)
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. 2004. Chickens in the Post Antibiotic World. *Poultry* 11(2)
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y 2004 Designed to Clean, *Poultry* 11(4)
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y. 2004 Improved Vacuum – Improved Evisceration, *Poultry* 11(4)
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y 2004 Animal Welfare – Are we asking the right questions, *Poultry* 11(4)
- Vizzier Thaxton, Y, 2004. Designed to Clean and Maintain *Poultry* 11(5)
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