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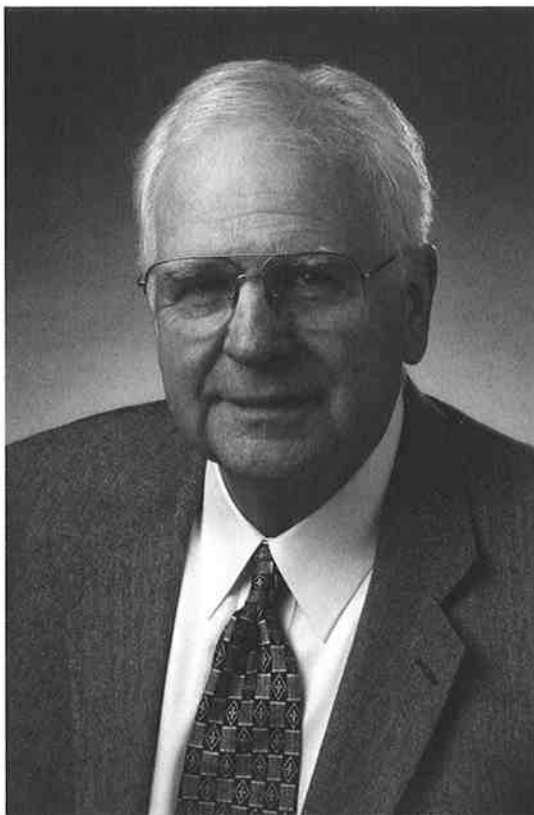
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# Abner W. Womack

## Lifetime Achievement Award

Abner W. Womack is professor of Agricultural Economics and codirector of the Food and Agricultural Policy Research Institute (FAPRI) at the University of Missouri. He received B.S. and M.S. degrees in mathematics from Auburn University and a Ph.D. degree in agricultural economics from the University of Minnesota. He joined the faculty at the University of Missouri in 1979. Prior to 1979, Dr. Womack was with the USDA Economic Research Service. His work involved econometric models that focused on the structure of the global food system and he served as Project Leader for the Forecast Support Group, an econometric team designed to complement USDA's forecasting and farm program analysis. Dr. Womack is a Fellow of the European Union Center at the University of Missouri. He received the Charles A. Black Award from the Council for Agricultural Science and Technology.

In 2002, FAPRI received both the USDA Award for Superior Service and a Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service Certificate of Appreciation. In 2006, Dr. Womack received the Lifetime Achievement Award for significant and enduring contributions to the agricultural economics profession from the Southern Agricultural Economics Association. FAPRI received the Distinguished Policy Contribution Award from the American Agricultural Economics Association



in 1991. The Missouri Farm Bureau honored Dr. Womack with the Outstanding Service to Agriculture Award in the Education Category, and the Graduate Professional Council for the University of Missouri–Columbia, Social Science Division, recognized his contributions with the Gold Chalk Award.

