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# **Publications Awards 1988-89**

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The Publications Advisory Committee of the National Marine Fisheries Service is pleased to announce the awards for best publications authored by NMFS scientists and published in the *Fishery Bulletin* volume 87 and *Marine Fisheries Review* volume 50. Eligible papers are nominated by the Fisheries Science Centers and Regional Offices and are judged by the NMFS Editorial Board. Only articles which significantly contribute to the understanding and knowledge of NMFS-related studies are eligible. The following were deemed the best.

## ***Fishery Bulletin* 1989**

### **Wallace W. Morse**

Catchability, growth, and mortality of larval fishes. *Fishery Bulletin* 87: 417-446. Dr. Morse is with the Sandy Hook Laboratory, Northeast Fisheries Science Center, Highlands, New Jersey.

## ***Marine Fisheries Review* 1988**

### **Kenneth N. Baxter, Carlton H. Furr Jr., and Elizabeth Scott**

The commercial bait shrimp fishery in Galveston Bay, Texas, 1959-87. *Marine Fisheries Review* 50(2):20-28. Dr. Baxter, Dr. Furr, and Ms. Scott are with the Galveston Laboratory, Southeast Fisheries Science Center, Galveston, Texas. Dr. Furr has since retired from his position with the National Marine Fisheries Service.