Do you know an outstanding certified professional? One who has positively impacted colleagues, producers, and the public? Someone who deserves to be publicly recognized and rewarded?

We invite you to consider nominating outstanding professionals for several awards in the ASA, CSSA, and SSSA 2014 Awards Program, especially those designed to recognize and reward certified professionals and those in industry:

- Agronomic Extension Education Award, $2,000
- Agronomic Industry Award, $2,000
- Agronomic Service Award, $2,000
- ASA Distinguished Service Award, $2,000
- ASA Early Career Professional Award, $2,000
- ASA International CCA of the Year Award, $2,000 plus expenses to the Annual Meeting
- ASA International Service in Agronomy Award, $2,000
- CSSA Crop Science Extension Education Award, $1,000
- SSSA Soil Science Applied Research Award, $1,000
- SSSA Irrometer Professional Certification Service Award, $500 honorarium plus up to $400 in travel expenses to the Annual Meeting
- SSSA Soil Science Industry and Professional Leadership Award, $1,000
- SSSA Early Career Professional Award, $1,000

Nominations are due on March 27 with reference letters and the final nomination submission due on April 3.

Certification, member directories

It is easier than ever to complete a nomination—simply access the online Certification Directory and/or Member Directory to quickly pull up a nominee’s profile, which contains useful information to easily complete a nomination, including: certification, membership, committees, employment, and awards received:

www.agronomy.org/membership/directory

Resubmit nominations

You can also resubmit a nomination from last year. Log in, go to “View Awards,” select the award, and at the bottom of the page you’ll see a link to import last year’s nomination. Note: References must also resubmit their letters.

We encourage you to explore the criteria for each award and invite others to participate in the 2014 Awards Program. For information, visit:

www.agronomy.org/awards
www.crops.org/awards
www.soils.org/awards

If you have awards questions, contact the Member Services Department at 608-273-8080 or email awards@sciencesocieties.org.