

Awards, Honors and Professional Activities

Our faculty are consistently recognized for their expertise and outstanding performance in research, teaching, and extension education with national and international awards and honors. In addition, they are often sought to provide organizational leadership and to serve on panels and boards that influence the research and education agenda. The following is a listing of many of the awards and honors that our faculty have received since the last departmental review in 2002.

Awards from Professional Societies

Association for Communication Excellence (ACE) – Gold Award for 2005 Corn and Soybean Field Guide - 2005
Association for Communication Excellence Gold Award for the Forage Field Guide – 2004
Agronomic Resident Education Award, ASA
Communication Excellence Gold Award for Technical Publication – Corn & Soybean Study Guide
Crop Science Teaching Award, CSSA
Department of Agriculture Secretary’s Honor Award and Award for Superior Technical Transfer Achievement
Distinguished Career Service Award, INTSORMIL
Editor’s Citation for Excellence in Manuscript Review, Journal of Environmental Quality
Educational Materials Award (ASA)
Hugh Hammond Bennett Award, Soil and Water Conservation Service
Innovator Award, ASA
Marion L. and Chrystie M. Jackson Mid-Career Award of The Clay Minerals Society
Outstanding Editor, Journal of Environmental Quality
Outstanding Service to Student Award (ASA)
Soil Science Award, (SSSA)

Fellows in Professional Societies

Fellow Academic Leadership Program, Committee on Institutional Cooperation (CIC)
Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) - 3
Fellow, American Geophysical Union
Fellow, American Society of Agronomy (ASA) - 3
Fellow, American Statistical Association
Fellow, (ESCOP) Experiment Station Committee on Organization and Policy
Fellow, Food Systems Leadership Institute (FSLI)
Fellow, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)
Fellow, Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) for a research project in Australia
Fellow, Purdue University Envision Center
Fellow, Soil Science Society of America (SSSA) - 4
Fellow, Teaching Academy, Purdue University
Jefferson Senior Science Fellow, US State Department
NACTA Teaching Fellow
Non-Resident Fellow, Samuel Roberts Noble Foundation

Service Awards

Certificate of Merit for Outstanding Performance, USDA-ARS
Certificate of Merit for Superior Performance in Watershed Research, USDA
Certificate of Merit, USDA/ARS - 2
Certificate of Recognition, Government of Ethiopia for Combating *Striga* in Ethiopia
Meritorious Honor Award, Delegation to World Conference on Disaster Reduction, US State
Department
Outstanding Service plaque for first Agricultural Air Quality Workshop
President's Commendation, Indiana Environmental Health Association

Additional Honors and Awards

Book of Great Teachers, Purdue University
Certificate of Distinction - 3
College of Agriculture Dean Team Award - 5 (Air Quality, DTC, Small Grains, Turf,
Climate)
Council of Soil Science Examiners
Curator for The Source Clays Repository
Distinguished Research Paper of the Year on Plant Genetic Resources, Crop Science
Division A-7 Innovator Award, American Society of Agronomy
Entomology Educational Project Award, Purdue University
Epsilon sigma Phi/Alpha Lambda Chapter, Distinguished Service Award
Epsilon Sigma Phi/Alpha Lambda Chapter, Visionary leadership Award
Faculty Award for Global Impact, College of Agriculture, Consumer and Environmental
Sciences (ACES), University of Illinois
Faculty Senate (Purdue University - 2
Fulbright Senior Specialist Grant – Brazil
Gamma Sigma Ag Honor Society
Gamma Sigma Delta Merit in Research and Teaching Award
George Brown Lecturer
Graduate Student Mentoring Award, College of Science
Heyne Lecturer – Kansas State
Honorable Mention, 7th Annual ARCUS Award for Arctic Research Excellence
Honorary Professor of Shandong Ag University, Taian China
Honorary Professor, Istvan University, Hungary
Indiana Crop Improvement Association, Crops and Soils Award
Million Dollar Club – Purdue University Agricultural Research Programs - 3
New Hot Paper, Essential Science Indicators
Nobel Peace Prize
NSF Young Investigator Award
Outstanding College Graduate Teaching Assistant Award, NC State
Outstanding Editor for Journal of Environmental Quality
Outstanding Teacher of Undergraduates, School of Science
Packard Foundation Fellowship
PUCESA Team Awards – Soybean, Extension
Purdue Bronze Acorn Award, Provost Office

Purdue University Faculty Fellows, Study in a Second Discipline – 2
Scientific Advisory Board, NSF Plant Genome: Maize Inflorescence Project
Searle Foundation Award
Sigma Xi
University Faculty Scholars – 4
USDA Secretaries Group Honor Award
USDA Technical Transfer Award

Offices, Committees, and Boards of Professional Societies

Advisory Board, NASA Socioeconomic Data and Application Center
Board of Directors, Global Involvement through Education
Chair for Student American Society of Agronomy
Chair, ASA A-8
Chair, National Atmospheric Deposition Program
Chair, NCR 207
Chair, Regional Project W-1170
Chair, Smithsonian Exhibit
Chair, Soil Science Society of America (SSSA) S-11, Soils & Environmental Quality
Chair, SSSA S-11 Soils & Environmental Quality
Chair, SSSA S-3
Chair, SSSA S-587 Training and Continuing Education for Soil Science
Chair, SSSA S-6 Soil and Water Conservation and Management
Chair, USDA-ARS Office of Scientific Quality Review
Member, Board of Directors, SSSA, representing Division S-6
Executive Committee, Clay Minerals Society
Member of the National Plant Breeding Coordinating Committee, liaison to CSSA
Panel Manager, USDA-NRI
President, Clay Minerals Society
President, Purdue University Gamma Sigma Delta
Program Planning Officer, ASA
Publication Review Committee, CSSA
Science Council of the Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research (CGIAR)
Secretary/Treasurer, North Central/American Society of Agronomy
Secretary-Elect, W-503 Grass Fed Beef
Vice Chair, Technical Committee, INTSORMIL-CRSP