

Service to the Profession Awards

**James R. and Karen A. Gilley
Academic Leadership Award**



The James R. and Karen A. Gilley Academic Leadership Award honors an ASABE member who is currently providing outstanding academic leadership while serving as the department head/chair of a Biological and Agricultural Engineering Department that presently has an ABET accredited Agricultural/Biological Engineering program and is located in the United States.

Established in 2011, this award was endowed by ASABE Fellow, Dr. James R. Gilley, his wife Karen, and family to recognize academic excellence through service as a department head/chair. The honoree receives a stately full-leaded eagle perched on an engraved optic crystal base.

**Previous James R. and Karen A. Gilley
Academic Leadership Award Winners**

2011.....	K. C. Ting
2012.....	Ajit K. Srivastava
2013.....	Richard J. Straub
2014.....	Lalit R. Verma
2015.....	Steven E. Taylor
2016.....	Bernard Engel
2017.....	Steven K. Mickelson
2018.....	Paul H. Heinemann
2019	Sreekala Bajwa
2020	Bryan Jenkins
2021	Gary A. Fox