Nomination Instructions

Criteria the selection committee will use for determining the recipient of the John Deere Gold Medal are:

a. Impact of the nominee's dedication to the spirit of learning and teaching on agricultural, food, and/or biological systems.
b. Sustained contributions to ASABE or other professional societies
c. Other contributions, which, in the discretion of the Award Committee, shall be considered.

Note: ASABE no longer accepts paper or PDF nominations. These materials are to be used to prepare the nominations, which must be submitted online through the nomination platform. All nomination materials are due by October 31st.

1 Name of nominator (first name, middle initial, last name)
   • Email Address

2 Candidate’s Name (first name, middle initial, last name)
   • Email Address
   • ASABE Membership number (if known)

3 Primary current employment position
   • Job title
   • Institution/Company
   • Description of responsibilities (maximum 100 words)

The information requested below relates directly to the rubric that the selection committee will use. Examples provided are for information only; an individual nomination is not expected to have significant impact in all areas. The nominator should use the examples to determine how best to present the credentials of the nominee.

4 Statement summarizing the specific outstanding technical and professional accomplishments and past recognitions meriting selection of the award. (maximum of 200 words)

5 Description of the degree to which human performance and progress in food, agricultural, and biological systems have been significantly improved by their educational efforts. (maximum of 200 words)

6 Description of the quality and performance of staff(s) or students developed and/or influenced (maximum of 200 words)

7 Description of the quality and contribution of educational concepts and programs developed. (maximum of 200 words)

8 Description of the quality and contributions to education literature and communications. (maximum of 200 words)

9 Description of the contributions to activities of professional societies relevant to education, outreach, and professional development. (maximum of 200 words)

*References – List 3-5 references who will provide a letter of recommendation. All references letters must be submitted directly through the online nomination form by October 31.