



OUTSTANDING YOUNG RESEARCHER AWARD

The Midwest Section of the American Society of Animal Science (ASAS) offers Awards for Young Animal Science Leaders to be presented at the ASAS Midwest Annual Meeting each year.

Nominations failing to meet identified requirement criteria within the on-line application system will not be considered by the selection committees of the ASAS Midwest Section.

General Requirements

1. A nominee for a Midwest award must be a member of the ASAS Midwest Section.
2. A nominee must not be more than 10 years past a graduate degree or post-doctoral training at the DEADLINE FOR NOMINATION.
3. A nominee must not have received a national ASAS award in the same area.
4. Only one (1) nominee per institution for each award each year. The awardee will receive an appropriate plaque and recognition at the Midwest Annual Meeting.
5. Each nomination dossier must be submitted on the web site by the deadline.
6. The items listed in the "Materials to be submitted by the nominator" section for each award constitute the only items permitted in the nomination dossier. Dossiers containing additional items or not following length limitations will not be considered.

Requirements

A nominee must have made an outstanding contribution in research in animal science. The research must have pertained to the following classes of animals: (a) beef cattle, (b) dairy cattle, (c) horses, (d) sheep, (e) swine, or (f) poultry. The research must have been related to some phase of breeding, feeding, management, nutrition, growth and development, physiology, milk production, muscle biology or meats of the animals listed above, and must have direct importance to their production.

Materials to be submitted on the web by the nominator:

1. A current résumé or curriculum vitae.
2. A list of the nominee's publications concerning the research upon which the nomination is based.
3. A summary statement describing the importance to the livestock industry of the work upon which the nomination is based. This statement must not exceed 8,000 characters and spaces.
4. Letters of reference from no more than three persons familiar with the nominee's research but who are at the time of the nomination affiliated with an institution, firm, or organization other than that of the nominee.
5. One copy of citation for reading at the awards ceremony (not to exceed 750 characters and spaces).