

## **AAAE Awards**

### **1. AAEE Fellow Award - Highest Honor**

AAAE Fellow will be a member of unusual professional distinction, with outstanding and extraordinary qualifications and experience in the field of agricultural, food, or biological systems engineering. AAEE Fellows possess a minimum of 20 years of active practice in the profession of engineering in industry, government, academia, international organizations, NGOs, and in civic society, and a minimum of 10 years as an active Member in AAEE. AAEE Fellow awards will be limited to no more than 2% of the annual membership at any given time.

*Early Career Awards to encourage and recognize AAEE members for their outstanding contributions, leadership, and active involvement in the AAEE. President of AAEE will aggressively pursue individuals, industries, and foundations to endow these AAEE awards. AAEE need to seek industry sponsorships for the following awards on pattern like ASABE.*

### **2. Outstanding Young Educator**

Awarded to a AAEE member under the age of 40 at the time of selection. Honors outstanding teachers/educators in agricultural engineering profession. A plaque or an engraved bronze medallion on a plaque.

### **3. Outstanding Young Researcher Award**

Awarded to a AAEE member under the age of 40 at the time of selection. Honors exemplary research/innovation in agricultural engineering. A plaque or an engraved bronze medallion on a plaque.

### **4. Outstanding Young Industry Leadership Award**

Awarded to a AAEE member under the age of 40 at the time of selection. Honors exemplary service, leadership, and innovation in agriculture related engineering industries. A plaque or an engraved bronze medallion on a plaque.

*Mid-career/Long-term Career Awards to encourage and recognize AAEE members for their exceptional contributions, leadership, and active involvement in the AAEE. President of AAEE will aggressively pursue individuals, industries, and foundations to endow these AAEE awards.*

### **7. Researcher of the Year Award**

Awarded to an individual above the age of 40 at the time of selection with exceptional performance in research/innovation. A plaque or an engraved bronze medallion on a plaque.

### **8. Industry Leadership Award of the Year**

Awarded to an individual greater than the age of 40 at the time of selection. Honors an innovative leader in industry in Asia. A plaque or an engraved bronze medallion on a plaque.

### **9. Excellence in International Engagement Award**

Awarded to an AAEE member above the age of 40 at the time of selection and honors members for their leadership and service in industry, research, education, government, and related civic organizations. A plaque or an engraved bronze medallion on a plaque.