



International Society of Precision Agriculture Legacy Award

The ISPA Legacy Award honors an individual who has made enduring and transformative contributions to the field of precision, digital, or smart agriculture. This recognition celebrates a career marked by innovation, leadership, and impact, acknowledging those whose work has shaped the evolution of agricultural technologies and practices. The award may be given posthumously and is open to all ISPA members.

Nominees will be evaluated using the following criteria. The nominee should have demonstrated excellence in two or more of these criteria.

1. **Career Longevity and Commitment** - Minimum of 20 years of involvement in precision, digital or smart agriculture. Contributions may span academia, industry, extension, or public service.
2. **Innovation** - Pioneering work in the development or application of precision technologies and/or data analytics, automation and digital decision support systems. Demonstrated influence on the adoption and evolution of ag tech tools and platforms.
3. **Leadership and Professionalism** - Leadership role or an active member of ISPA. Has also provided service on national/international initiatives advancing precision, digital or smart agriculture.
4. **Impact** - Measurable influence on agricultural practices, policy, education, or industry standards. Recognition through awards, publications, patents, or widespread adoption of innovations.

The selected candidate will be honored during the conference award ceremony with a Plaque of Achievement and USD \$1,000 cash award. While recipients are encouraged to attend ICPA to accept the award in person, attendance is not mandatory.

Nomination: The nomination form is to be completed online at: ispag.org/icpa/awards

Please collect all nomination materials before beginning the nomination form

NOMINEE: Include the name, title, affiliation, mailing address, telephone number, email address, headshot, bio, and the year the Nominee became an ISPA member.

NOMINATOR: Include the name, title, mailing address, telephone number, and email address.

REFERENCES: Provide contact information (name, title, affiliation, mailing address, phone, and email) for two other individuals who are willing to submit (via separate email to awards@ispag.org) a one-page reference/support letters.

CV for the Nominee: The CV should note degrees attained, courses and/or programs taught, awards and honors, and any other teaching achievements.

Nominator's support letter (1 page limit): A one-page support letter outlining the educational and professional impact the nominee has had in teaching.

Questions related to the awards nomination can be addressed to awards@ispag.org.