

# 2018 National Student Recognition Program

*Recognizing Outstanding Seniors in Agronomy, Crop, Soil, & Environmental Sciences*

The National Student Recognition Program recognizes outstanding seniors at a four-year institution and second year students at a two-year institution that has an active chapter affiliated with the Students of Agronomy, Soils, and Environmental Sciences (SASES) and is a current member of the American Society of Agronomy (ASA), Crop Science Society of America (CSSA), and/or Soil Science Society of America (SSSA).

The program is supported by the ASA, CSSA, and SSSA and recipients receive a plaque and recognition in the April issue of *CSA News*, the official monthly magazine of the three Societies.

## Eligibility

- Students must be 2018 seniors at a four-year institution or a second year student at a two-year institution
- Students must belong to an active chapter of SASES
- Students must be current members of ASA, CSSA, and/or SSSA as of **February 15, 2018**

## Selection Process and Criteria

Students should be selected by a committee of at least three faculty members appointed by the head or chair of the department. It's advisable if the chapter advisor or advisors were members of the committee. The principal criteria are:

- Scholarship—50%
- Leadership Activities—35%
- Personal Traits—15%

## Deadline and Submission

The deadline to submit names and photos of the recipients is **February 15, 2018**.

1. Submit the following information online to [agronomy.org/undergrads/awards-scholarships/nsr](http://agronomy.org/undergrads/awards-scholarships/nsr):
  - Student name as it should appear on the plaque
  - SASES chapter and school names
  - Mailing address where plaque should be sent
  - Student email
  - Faculty advisor and email
2. Students or advisor: send a professional head-and-shoulders color photo at high-resolution, at least 300 dpi. TIFF or JPG. GIF not acceptable. Please send this photo to Rachel Leege at [rleege@sciencesocieties.org](mailto:rleege@sciencesocieties.org).

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