

The Golden Auger Award

Criteria for Nominations and Selection

1. Nominations for the award will be sent to the chair of the WVAPSS Public Relations and Education Committee Chair by September 15 of each year.
2. A vita/biography/outline should accompany any nomination in support of the nomination. Get the fillable form from the web page.
3. Any full or associate member of WVAPSS may nominate a person to be awarded the Golden Auger.
4. Anyone making a significant contribution to soil science or the soil survey can be nominated.
5. They need not be a member of WVAPSS.
6. The committee chair will compile the list of nominations and forward them on to the previous award recipients for concurrence.
7. Voting by the previous award recipients can be done using the following correspondence; voice, phone, fax, mail, or email.

Presentation of the Award is in cooperation with the NRCS State Soil Scientist. As a courtesy, the WV State Soil Scientist should be allowed to review the nominations and comment.