

INDIAN SOCIETY OF AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERS

NOTIFICATION FOR ISAE AWARDS

(July 2011)

Last Date for Nominations/Applications: 30th September 2011

ISAE invites nominations for the following AWARDS to recognize the outstanding contributions of its Members in the field of Agricultural Engineering and also in the fulfillment of the ISAE's objectives. Only those candidates will be considered who are either Life Members or Corporate Members or Student member as applicable to the concerned award by the last date of submitting the applications.

1. **Mason Vaugh Agricultural Engineering Pioneer Award** - Awarded to any person who has made pioneering contributions to:

- the formulation of the policy/strategy which had unique influence on the development of agricultural engineering programs in India,
- the development of agricultural engineering institutions in India,
- agricultural engineering research,
- agricultural engineering education,
- agricultural engineering program management at the national level,
- generation of agricultural engineering technology,
- supply of agricultural engineering technology.

This award will be the highest recognition by the Society and will be given rarely. Membership of I.S.A.E is desirable but not an essential requirement if the award is given posthumously. Nominations/ suggestions for this award from persons having a minimum of 20 years of experience are required to be sent directly to the President ISAE.

2. **ISAE GOLD MEDAL FOR LIFE TIME ACHIEVEMENTS** – Awarded to any life member having at least 25 years of professional experience for his/her outstanding contribution in one or more areas of Agricultural Engineering as listed under Mason Vaugh Pioneer Award.

3. **FELLOW** – Awarded to any Life Member having 25 years of professional experience who has made significant contributions in the field of Agricultural Engineering.
4. **COMMENDATION MEDAL FOR PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS** – Awarded to any Life Member with 15 years of professional experience who has made outstanding contributions in any of the following fields:
Teaching, Research, Development, Extension, Industrial Promotion, Service to the Profession, Distinguished Manufacturer of Agricultural Equipment, Service rendered in the Difficult Areas, and for Information Technology in Agriculture.
In case of Distinguished Manufacturer of Agricultural Equipment Award, the manufacturing firm must be a corporate member.
5. **Dr. K.N. NAG AWARD** – Awarded to any life member having at least 10 years of professional experience for his/her outstanding contribution for the promotion of Agricultural Engineering profession.
6. **DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CERTIFICATE** – Merit Certificates in the similar fields as mentioned in (4) above are awarded to the Life Members having professional experience of at least 10 years. **Women professionals will be adjudged in a separate category.**
7. **SPECIAL MEDAL** – For individual Life members enrolling more than 50 new members during July 2010 to the last date of submitting the applications.
8. **TEAM AWARD** – To be awarded to those Engineers/Scientists who have worked on projects related to research/extension/application of engineering in the field as a team for at least 3 years, continuously. Team members must be Life members, if eligible.
9. **OUTSTANDING BOOK AWARD** – To be awarded to author(s) for good quality books in any area of Agricultural Engineering. First edition of the book published and in circulation prior to 2009 will only be considered. Authors must be Life members, if eligible.
10. **STUDENT PAPER AWARDS** – To be awarded to any Under-Graduate or Post-Graduate student who is a Member of ISAE, and his/her paper is judged as the best paper based on the content, quality and presentation, by a panel of jury. Only the papers presented during the forthcoming 46th Convention of ISAE being held in February, 2012 will be considered for this Award. The papers should preferably be by an individual student. The length of an Under-Graduate Student Paper shall not exceed 2000 words and that of Post-Graduate Student 3000 words. Best UG/PG

student selected for this award will be awarded a cash prize of Rs. 5000/- by ISAE. In case of UG students, the concerned chapters should sponsor UG students to cover at least travel and registration costs, for presenting papers in the convention.

11. JAIN IRRIGATION AWARD – To be awarded to the Members for the (a) best student paper and (b) best professional paper presented in the area of drip irrigation during each Annual Convention. The papers should preferably not exceed 3000 words and should be from an individual.

12. BEST CHAPTER AWARD – To be awarded to the best ISAE Chapter based on their overall performance in terms of professional activities and enrolling new Members during the year July 2010 to the last date of submitting the applications.

GENERAL CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTION FOR AWARDS

Awards will be made only if, in the opinion of the Awards Committee, the recognition is due. Awards will be given to only Life members/Corporate members/Student members as applicable to the concerned award.

In deserving cases, when the Committee so decides, under the same category, more than one award can be given.

The decision of the Committee is final and no appeal will be entertained.

Nomination(s) for Awards at Serial No. 1, 2 and 3, by members of at least 20 years of professional experience are to be sent to the President at: prof.gsingh@gmail.com to reach him on or before September 30, 2012. The decision of the President in these awards will be final. For Serial No.2 (ISAE Gold Medal) and Serial No.3 (Fellow) please use the prescribed **Proforma-1** for nomination.

Applications for awards at serial numbers 4 to 11 should be sent through proper channel (to be forwarded by the Head of Institution/Organisation/Department).

For award at Serial No. 8, the team work should be reflected by published literature and a certificate from the Head of the Department/Institution.

Nominations for award at Serial No. 12 shall be sent by the Chairman of the ISAE Chapters with full report and audited account for 2010-2011. Similarly, the application for Award at Serial No. 7 should have the forwarding remarks of the concerned ISAE Chapter.

For Award at Serial No. 9, the book should be related to any area of the Agricultural Engineering. This should be in the printed form and should be written in English or in Hindi only. A copy of the Book along with Application should be sent by registered post to the ISAE Head Quarters.

For awards at 10 and 11, the Vice-President (Technical) in consultation with the respective Technical Directors will recommend the name(s) for these awards, based on the quality of papers presented in the technical sessions, during the 46th Annual Convention.

For awards at Serial No. 10 and 11 abstract for the paper shall be sent to Director Awards by 31st January 2012. Full text of the paper should be brought for the presentation during the 46th Annual convention. The Award shall be subject to minimum number of 5 participants. The Director (Awards) may, however, relax this condition depending upon the quality of the papers received.

Documentary evidence(s) should be attached wherever applicable.

The nominations/applications for awards (for all awards after Sr no.3) in the prescribed proforma should be sent by email to Dr. Indra Mani, Secretary General ISAE at maniindra99@gmail.com to reach him on or before September 30, 2012.

Nominations/Applications received later than September 30, 2011 will not be entertained.

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Proforma-1:

Nomination for ISAE Gold Medal:
Nomination for the Election of Fellow:
(Tick the relevant one)

Category in which to be considered

Academic and R & D

Industry and Others

1. **Name in full:**
(Surname followed by forename) _____
2. **Date & Place of Birth:** _____
3. **Nationality:** _____
4. **Specialization:** _____
5. **Present Position:** _____
6. **Address:** _____

Tel. No. _____ E-mail: _____

7. Academic Qualifications and Distinctions:

(a) Educational Qualifications: (Degree onwards)

Degree	University/Institution	Year	Distinction/Division

(b) Honours, Awards and Prizes:

(c) ISAE Life Membership No:

(d) Membership/Fellowship of other Professional Bodies:

(e) Any other:

8. Contributions (Publications, Technology/Products/Patents, Scientific/ Industrial Leadership, Development Works and Other Professional Achievements) Meriting Fellowship of ISAE:

9. Citation:

Name and Year of Birth:

Qualification and Fellowship of Professional Bodies:

Designation and Address:

Citation (not exceeding 150 words):

Photo

PROPOSED (ISAE Fellow/ Head of the Organization/ Dean/ Director/ ISAE Life Members of at least 20 years of Professional Experience)

Name and Address:

Dated:

Signature

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Proforma-2: Students' Awards

UG/PG STUDENT PAPER AWARD JAIN IRRIGATION AWARD

(Tick the relevant one)

1. Name (Block Letters)

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2. Address with Pin Code

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Telephone.....Email.....

3. Qualifications

S. No.	Degree	Year	Institution/University

4. ISAE Membership

Membership No.	Year of Joining	Whether discontinued at any time with period	Present status of Membership

5. Name the degree, which you are pursuing, presently.

6. Institution and the Department where you are a student, presently.

7. Particulars of Co-curricular activities and significant contribution, if any

8. Title of UG Paper/ PG Paper

9. Name of Advisor(s) with designation

10. Any other information

11. Brief Synopsis of the Paper not exceeding 300 words.

12. Certified that the information furnished above are true & correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date

Signature of Applicants

13. Certified that Sri/ Km is a student of college/ institution) and he/she is a member of ISAE during 2010-11

Date:

Signature of Head of the Dept/ Dean of the College

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Proforma-3 Part A

(Common for all awards except ISAE Gold Medal, Fellows and Students Award)

1. Name (Block Letters).....

2. Address with Pin Code

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3. Telephone.....Email.....

4. Qualifications:

S. No.	Degree	Year	Institution/University

5. ISAE Membership No. :

(Life or Corporate Membership of ISAE required.)

6. Have you ever applied for ISAE Award for the same work? If so please give details and the end result.

7. Have you applied for any other Award of ISAE for the current year? If so, please indicate the name of the Award (s)

8. Awards received so far:

Sr. No.	Name of the Award	Year	Work for which the said Award was conferred
1.	ISAE Award(s) (i) (ii)		
2.	Any other Award(s) (i) (ii)		

Note: The Awards already conferred for the same work, for which you are applying now, the same should be mentioned.

9. Services rendered to the Society:

S. No.	Particulars	During last five years	Cumulative
(i)	Number of members enrolled		
(ii)	Subscribers enrolled for JAE & AET No.		
(iii)	Amount collected for advertisement, Rs.		
(iv)	Any other monetary contribution, Rs.		
(v)	Contribution to the profession like Organizing Symposium / Seminar / Workshop / Exhibition / Convention etc.		
(vi)	Developing Job opportunity for the Engineers		
(vii)	Protecting the cause of Fellow Engineers		

10. Services rendered to the profession:

(i) Field of work e.g. Government/ ICAR/ SAU/ PSU/ Public Ltd. Co./ Pvt. Ltd. Co./ NGO

(ii) Field of specialization e.g. FMP/ SWE/ Dairy/ Energy/ Agricultural Processing/ Allied

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PROFORMA – 3 Part B: For INDIVIDUAL AWARDS COMMENDATION MEDAL □ DR. K.N. NAG AWARD □ DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CERTIFICATE □ SPECIAL MEDAL □ BOOK AWARD □

1. Detail of Services rendered to the Profession

Sr. No.	Particulars	During Last Ten Years, No.	Cumulative No.
(i)	Papers Published		
(a)	International Journals		
(b)	National Journals		
(c)	Local Journals		
(d)	Extension Bulletins		
(e)	Books/Book Chapters		
(f)	Papers Presented		
(ii)	Equipment/Technology Developed		
(iii)	Equipment/Technology Commercialized/Promoted		
(iv)	Personnel Trained		
(a)	UG Students		
(b)	PG/Ph D Students		
(c)	State Govt. Official/ Farmers etc.		
(v)	Equipment Tested/ Evaluated Other Than Those Developed By You/ Your Organization		
(vi)	List of Committees Where You Have Been The Chairman/ Member Secretary/ Member		
(vii)	List of Developmental Schemes Formulated In Your Field of Specialization		
(viii)	Equipment Manufactured/Sold		
(a)	Manual		
(b)	Animal Drawn		
(c)	Power Driven		
(d)	Self Propelled		

Note – Attach a detailed list in chronological order in support of claims for each attribute

2. For Book Award Only

- Title of the Book
- Number of chapters and pages
- Name of author(s) with ISAE membership number
- Name of the publisher with full address
- Month and year of publishing along with edition
- Number of copies published and sold during the last three years (year-wise)
- Any other information

3. Any other significant achievements and contribution, NOT included above

4. Give a brief write up not exceeding 300 words justifying your claims for the Award applied for

5. Certified that the information furnished above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date

Signature of the Applicant

6. Recommendations of the Head of the Department/Organization with name, full address and his official seal.

Date

Signature

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Proforma 3– Part C: For TEAM AWARD

1. Detail of team work

- Period
- Name of Project
- Details of the Project
- Present Status of the Project
- Final Out Come of the Project
- Economic Viability / Returns of the Project

2. Any other information not included above.

3. Give brief write up not exceeding 300 words justifying your claim for the Award applied for.

4. Certified that the information furnished above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date

Signature of Applicants

5. Recommendation of the Head of the Department/Organization with name, full address and his official seal.

Date

Signature

Note: For joint applicants and for Team Award, details of all the applicants shall be given in S. No. 1-9 of Part A.