

**No SASAA/AWARD-15/1****Date: 28-8-15****Announcement of Awards by the Society**

In one of its activities, the Society has decided to recognize the commendable works in the field of Statistics, Agricultural Statistics, Computer Application and other related fields through the institution of the following awards at present. We request all to circulate this among the students, teachers, scientists and encourage them to apply for the awards so as to reach to the Secretary, Society for Application of Statistics in Agriculture and Allied Sciences ( SASAA), Department of Agricultural Statistics, Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya, Mohanpur-741252, Nadia, West Bengal (or Email at [secretarysasaa@gmail.com](mailto:secretarysasaa@gmail.com)) latest by 31st December, 2015.

<b>Name of the Award</b>	<b>Who can apply</b>	<b>How to apply</b>	<b>Award</b>
Best MSc thesis award	Maximum two theses would be selected, amongst the theses for which degree have been awarded during the year 2015. The subject area of theses would be Agricultural Statistics/Computer application/Agribusiness management.	Apply with full biodata, recent photograph and an extended abstract not exceeding 5 pages, containing importance of the work, work done, methodology, salient achievement, inference and published paper, if any from the thesis.	Each award will contain a citation, memento of the society and a token cash prize of Rs 1000/=.
Best PhD thesis award	Maximum two theses would be selected, amongst the theses for which degree have been awarded during the year 2015. The subject area of theses would be Agricultural Statistics/Computer application/Agribusiness management	Apply with full biodata, recent photograph and an extended abstract not exceeding 10 pages, containing importance of the work, work done, methodology, salient achievement, inference and published paper, if any from the thesis.	Each award will contain a citation, memento of the society and a token cash prize of Rs 2000/=.
Young Scientist Award	Maximum two number of awards in this category would be decided by the award committee The candidates of age $\leq 40$ years, having significant contribution in the field of Agricultural Statistics/Computer application/Agribusiness management.	Nominations/applications along with full biodata, clearly describing the work done, publications etc. in the field of Agricultural Statistics/Computer application/ Agribusiness management. The short listed candidates would be asked to present their research works in the Annual General Body Meeting to be judged by an independent panel of three judges to be nominated by the Award Committee.	Each award will contain a citation, memento of the society and a token cash prize of Rs 2000/=.
Fellow of the Society	Maximum two number of fellows amongst the founder/ life members of the society having age in between $>40$ and $\leq 55$ years Award Committee will decide mainly based on the contribution of the concerned member towards the development of the society along with other factors, as would be decided by the award committee for the year.	Nominations/Applications/Selections. Apply with full biodata, recent photograph and an extended abstract of contribution for the development of the Society	Each award will contain a citation and memento.

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