

LSU AgCenter's Global Network Award

In order to support LSU AgCenter's strategic goal of internationalizing the LSU AgCenter and by developing enhanced international opportunities for research and technology development; leveraging partnerships for improved value return; and recruiting international students and scholars, the LSU AgCenter Global Network is establishing an annual award entitled **LSU AgCenter's Global Network Award** to recognize outstanding international endeavors by LSU AgCenter faculty members.

The nomination package should consist of the AgCenter nomination form and:

- 1) a description (1,000 words) of the international accomplishments of the LSU AgCenter faculty member;
- 2) a current CV of the nominee;
- 3) a letter of nomination from the Department Head or Regional Director;
- 4) two additional letters of recommendation *may* be included (not a requirement).

Consideration will be given to the following factors in selecting the awardees:

- A. Research: To what extent did the faculty member's work make a significant contribution to the discipline and how did the international activities add to that contribution?
- B. Teaching: To what extent did the faculty member's activities increase student/learners awareness and understanding of international issues? To what extent were courses developed or programs implemented/enhanced and how was that affected by the international efforts?
- C. Extension: To what extent did the international activities raise LSU AgCenter's profile in the county, state, or internationally? What benefits were derived from this program? How many people have been affected by the activities and in what ways?

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