## Call for 2015 Western Region AAAE Awards

It is time for the nomination of individuals for awards to be presented at the AAAE Western Region Conference to be held in Corvallis, OR in September. I have attached the application forms for the five awards. You may recall that last year we voted to align our awards more closely with the National AAAE awards. The new awards are:

- Distinguished Researcher
- Distinguished Teacher
- Outstand International Agricultural Education
- Outstanding Agricultural Educator
- Outstanding Early Career Member (< 8 years of service)</li>

**July 31, 2015** is the deadline for all applications and supporting documentation. Only one copy of the nomination materials will be required. Nomination materials must be emailed as a PDF document to <a href="mailto:mspiess@csuchico.edu">mspiess@csuchico.edu</a>. Nomination materials will be distributed electronically to the selection committees. Packets will be reviewed by past recipients of the awards.

Please consider nominating all those deserving of awards, including those not at your institution. Please nominate only those AAAE members who affiliate themselves with the western region. I have attached the list of previous recipients for your reference.

Regards,

Mike

(Western Region Vice President)