

CFAES Student Organization Awards 2024

The following information is exactly what you will find in the online nomination form. You can use this Word document to create your answers prior to submitting your online nomination. If you are not nominating someone for all awards, the online form will skip those questions.

Nomination form: https://go.osu.edu/studentorganizationnominationform2024

Thank you for taking the time to nominate a CFAES club or organization for a CFAES Student Organization Award. Use this nomination form for the following awards:

<u>Leadership/Professional Development Award:</u> Presented to a student organization that actively promotes individual leadership skills and/or career development among its members, the campus, and/or the community, by sponsoring lectures or guest speakers, organizing retreats and workshops, or other leadership related activities.

<u>Community Engagement Award</u>: Presented to a student organization that demonstrates the importance of serving the broader campus or external community through hands-on service activities, philanthropic or fundraising events, or other community-related pursuits.

<u>Collaboration Award</u>: Presented to a student organization that partnered with one or more student organizations or groups to develop a program, event, or initiative to benefit the campus or community. This can be a single or ongoing program, event, or initiative.

<u>Active Citizenship Award:</u> Presented to a student organization that has demonstrated, through activities, a commitment to diversity and inclusion, advocacy and education, political involvement, socially responsible behavior, activism, participation in state, national, or global associations.

<u>Supporting the Mission of CFAES Award</u>: Presented to a student organization that has supported, through activities, one or more of the goals of the CFAES vision statement. The vision statement can be viewed here: https://cfaes.osu.edu/about-cfaes/vision.

<u>New Activity Award</u>: Presented to an organization that created a new activity in 2021 that promotes the fields of food, agricultural, or environmental sciences, accomplishes worthwhile goals, and produces quality results that benefit the organization, members, students, or staff of the College. Should stimulate and recognize new and innovative activities performed by the student organizations of the CFAES.



<u>Overall Student Organization Award</u>: Presented to an organization that have completed at least 3 of the above award applications.

A few things to keep in mind:

- This series of awards is available to all student organizations in the College of Food,
 Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences that have made extraordinary contributions to
 campus life in the college, university, or the surrounding community. Student
 organizations are encouraged to self-nominate for these awards.
- To be considered for an award, your club/organization must be registered with OSU Office of Student Life. Any club affiliated with CFAES may apply.
- It is best to complete the questions in Word to ensure you have kept the text below the word/character limit and then copy and paste the text into the text box in the survey.
- You can nominate one club/organization for one, all, or some of the awards. If you are nominating multiple clubs/organizations, please complete the survey in full for the first club/organization and start the survey again for the next club/organization.
- Organizations are allowed to complete any or all of the Student Organization Excellence Awards available.
- Activities should have taken place in 2023, and no activity can be used in more than one category.
- To be considered for the Overall Outstanding Student Club/Organization you must complete at least 3 awards from the above list. If so, you will be prompted with an additional question about being considered for the overall award.
- Please be sure to click through each page and complete the required information. Your
 answers have been submitted successfully once you've reached a page that says, "Thank
 You."
- Nominations are due February 1, 2024. Each nomination will be reviewed by their respective committee (CFAES Student Council).
- Winners of each award will be announced at the Celebration of Students Olympics event on March 28, 2023.

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Application Questions

Please identify the student organization you would like to nominate for a CFAES award.

Name of Organization:

Name of Organization's President:

Organization President's Email:

Name of Student Council Representative:

Name of Organization's Advisor:

Organization Advisor's Email:

Please enter your contact information as the nominator. (If you are also the nominee, please leave this section blank.)

Nominator's Last Name:

Nominator's First Name:

Nominator's Email:

Nominator's OSU name.# (if applicable):

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Please indicate the award(s) for which you would like to nominate the student organization identified in the previous question. (Check boxes)

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By nominating this student organization for at least 3 Student Organization Awards, this organization is also eligible to be nominated for the Overall Student Organization Award. Would you also like to nominate this student organization for the Overall Student Organization Award?

- o Yes
- o No

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Describe the ways in which your club/organization actively promotes leadership skills and/or career development skills among the students, the campus, or the community. (500 Word/3000-Character Limit)

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<u>Community Engagement Award</u>: Presented to a student organization that demonstrates the importance of serving the broader campus or external community through hands-on service activities, philanthropic or fundraising events, or other community-related pursuits.

How has your organization positively served the surrounding community? What activities, events, or other community-related pursuits have you done to actively promote community engagement? (500 Word/3000-Character Limit)

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<u>Collaboration Award</u>: Presented to a student organization that partnered with one or more student organizations or groups to develop a program, event, or initiative to benefit the campus or community. This can be a single or ongoing program, event, or initiative.

What student organizations or groups did you partner with? Describe how the program, event, or initiative that you developed benefited the campus or community. (500 Word/3000-Character Limit)

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<u>Active Citizenship Award</u>: Presented to a student organization that has demonstrated, through activities, a commitment to diversity and inclusion, advocacy and education, political involvement, socially responsible behavior, activism, participation in state, national, or global associations.

How has your organization made a commitment to diversity and inclusion, advocacy and education, political involvement, socially responsible behavior, activism, participation in state, national or global associations? (500 Word/3000-Character Limit)

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Describe how your student organization has supported the goals of the CFAES vision statement. What specific activities has your organization completed that has led you to achieve one or more goals of the CFAES vision statement? (500 Word/3000-Character Limit)

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What was the new activity that your club or organization implemented? How did this activity promote the fields of food, agricultural, or environmental science? Please provide a description of the activity, the date it was completed, and the impact that it had on your student organization, students, or CFAES. (500 Word/3000-Character Limit)

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This message is confirmation that this student organization is also being considered for the Overall Student Organization Award. No further action is required.

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Thank you for completing the Student Organization Awards form. A confirmation email with your responses has been sent to the email you listed on this form. If you have any questions regarding the awards, the award process, or your application, please contact Sarah Williams (williams.4263@osu.edu). Thank you!