



SASKATCHEWAN PORK INDUSTRY

Awards OF DISTINCTION

“Working on behalf of pork producers to ensure continued environmental, social and economic sustainability for the pork industry”



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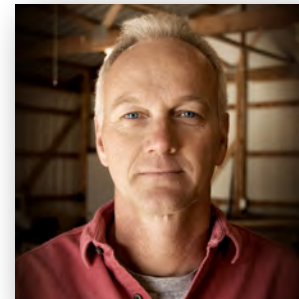
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Awards are presented annually to recognize and honor individuals and organizations who through leadership, commitment and innovation, contribute to the sustainability of the Saskatchewan pork industry. We acknowledge the achievements of those who operate well above established industry regulations and standards to ensure continued growth and advancement of the hog sector.



PRODUCTION INNOVATION

Recognizes adoption of advanced production methods, adherence to on-farm food safety standards, increasing productivity through applied research, i.e., maximizing feed utilization and novel barn design. Nominees are committed to continuous advancements in animal health and welfare, care and handling, and transportation methods. They typically participate in the Canadian Quality Assurance (CQA®), Animal Care Assessment, or Trucker Quality Assurance (TQA™) programs. Producers and processors who have captured niche marketing opportunities for their products may be considered for this award.

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

Awarded to those who have adopted practices or technologies designed to integrate pork production and environmental sustainability. Through efficiencies in production management, recipients demonstrate their commitment to reducing the environmental impact from hog production. Initiatives in the following areas will be considered:



Barn Environment

- barn design
- herd health and comfort
- air quality and odour control

External Environment

- manure management (storage, treatment, application)
- managing mortalities

COMMUNITY SPIRIT

Recognizes exemplary leadership and community involvement through contribution and participation in agricultural organizations and unselfish volunteerism. Recipients may also be community builders or mentors who advance the Saskatchewan pork industry, ensure a safe and progressive workplace, contribute to their region's economic health and continue to promote opportunities in the hog industry.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE

This award recognizes exceptional contribution and on-going dedication to the Saskatchewan pork industry. Recipients may be directly involved in pork production, in an industry related field, a member of the research community, or provide professional service to the hog sector.

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT

This award celebrates outstanding individuals whose life's work has been dedicated to the long-term success of the Saskatchewan pork industry.



ELIGIBILITY

Any Saskatchewan producer, employer, employee, industry related organization including researchers, transporters and educators are eligible to be nominated. Awards are presented annually at the Saskatchewan Pork Industry Symposium in November.

Deadline for nominations: October 1



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NOMINATION FORM

NOMINEE:

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____, Saskatchewan PC: _____

Daytime Phone: () _____ Fax: () _____

E-mail: _____

Is the nomination for an individual or organization? _____

This nomination is made in the following award category:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> PRODUCTION INNOVATION | <input type="checkbox"/> DISTINGUISHED SERVICE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY SPIRIT | |

Please include with this form, up to 500 words describing the nominee's involvement in the pork industry and the activities for which they are being nominated.

NOMINATED BY:

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____, Prov: _____ PC: _____

Daytime Phone: () _____ Fax: () _____

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