The Estes Memorial Teaching Award

Call for Nominations:

The Estes Memorial Teaching Award recognizes an exceptionally meritorious contribution to higher education in remote sensing with a particular focus on teaching excellence. The Selection Committee is seeking nominations for the 2024 awards cycle.

This award is designed to recognize individual achievement in the promotion of remote sensing and geographic information systems (GIS) technology and applications through educational efforts. The Award consists of a presentation plaque and a cash award of $3000. This Award is made in honor of the late Professor John E. ("Jack") Estes, teacher, mentor, scientist, and friend of ASPRS and is presented by ASPRS through the ASPRS Foundation.

Nominations should present evidence of superior teaching which includes course, curricular and program development, testimonials from supervisors, teaching awards and demonstrated student success.

The nomination materials should include:

   i)   Letter of nomination highlighting teaching excellence
   ii)   A Curriculum Vitae
   iii)   Two references with their contact information
   iv)   Other evidence highlighting achievement in teaching excellence

Eligibility to receive the Award is not restricted to members of ASPRS. The Award is made to an individual (or two or more collaborating individuals, provide each played a major role in the achievement) best meets the criteria established. The Award is not made to companies, agencies, bureaus, schools, or associations; however, their personnel are eligible as individuals to receive the Award.

Email the nomination materials by Nov 17, 2023 as a single PDF file to: awards@asprs.org with the subject line as: Estes Award Nomination.