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November 15-18 | Minneapolis, MN

Exhibitor and Sponsorship PROSPECTUS

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The American Society of Agronomy (ASA), Crop Science Society of America (CSSA), Soil Science Society of America (SSSA) and the Entomological Society of America (ESA) invite you to exhibit at this year's annual meeting in Minneapolis, MN.

Attendees will include:

AGRONOMISTS CHEMISTS CROP SCIENTISTS ENTOMOLOGISTS FIELD SCIENTISTS GENETICISTS PEST SURVEY SPECIALISTS PLANT BREEDERS PUBLISHERS R&D LEADERS SOIL SCIENTISTS TAXONOMISTS URBAN ENTOMOLOGISTS VECTOR ECOLOGISTS WILDLIFE BIOLOGISTS ZOOLOGISTS YOU?

oin more than 8,000 attendees and make valuable one-onone connections with the top scientists from all four societies.

The unique show floor will be filled with leading scientists in industry, government and academia who are interested in the latest research, product development, and industry advances relating to entomology and the agricultural sciences.

A variety of planned events and activities will bring attendees into the exhibit hall throughout the week.

- An exciting Welcome Reception will open the meeting and is historically attended by approximately 85% of all attendees.
- Hundreds of scientific poster presentations line the hall— a very important component of the meeting and a huge attendance draw for exhibitors.
- University tables, a Career Center, the ASA, CSSA and SSSA Society Center, ESA Central, Graduate Student Lounge and more all invite attendees to the hall.
- The Passport Game offers cash and other exciting prizes for attendees who participate, which brings added excitement to the hall and participants to your booth.

2015 Meeting Exhibit Schedule (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

| Move-in | Sunday, November 15 | 8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m. |
|----------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Move-out | Wednesday, November 18 | 4:30 p.m 8:00 p.m. |
| | Thursday, November 19 | 8:00 a.m 12:00 p.m. |

2015 Meeting Exhibit Hours

| Welcome Reception (in Exhibit Hall) | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--|--|
| | Sunday, November 15 | 7:30 p.m 9:30 p.m. | | |
| Exhibit Hours | Monday, November 16 | 9:00 a.m 6:00 p.m. | | |
| | Tuesday, November 17 | 9:00 a.m 6:00 p.m. | | |
| | Wednesday, November 18 | 9:00 a.m 4:30 p.m. | | |

| Booth Type | Rate | | |
|-------------------|---------|--|--|
| Premium | \$2,100 | | |
| Corner | \$2,000 | | |
| All others | \$1,900 | | |
| Nonprofit* | \$1,400 | | |

* Nonprofit exhibitors must submit a 501(c)3 form to qualify for discounted rate. Rate is only available for non-premium and non-corner booths.

Why you won't want to miss this event:

- Expected attendance of over 8,000
- Connect with current customers
 - Make new client contacts
- Learn about your clients' needs
 - Increase awareness of your products and services
 - Cultivate sales

What's included?

A standard 10' x 10' booth includes:

- One 6' skirted table and 2 contour chairs (per exhibiting company)
- 8' draped back wall and 3' side rails
- Booth identification sign bearing your company name and booth number
- Two complimentary meeting registrations (per 10x10 booth purchased) for your booth representatives
- Exclusive access to the attendee mailing list
- Free access to the Exhibitor Lounge with refreshments
- Free listing in the official Program Books*
- Free listing on each society's meeting website
- Free listing in each society's attendee mobile app
- * If application and payment are received prior to September 18, 2015



Joint Sponsorship Opportunities Reaching over 8,000 Attendees!

Poster Receptions \$25,000 exclusive

Attendees are sure to attend this popular event, and you will be the talk of the meeting by hosting beverages during the Poster Receptions on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Your company logo will be printed on drink vouchers and will be visible on signage throughout the receptions.

\$15,000 (2 available, **1 sold**) Wi-Fi

Place your company logo and website in front of meeting attendees who utilize the complimentary Wi-Fi.

Sponsorship includes rotating banner ad placements on both mobile apps.

Career SOLD **Placement** Center \$20,000 exclusive

This is a great opportunity for any company looking for new talent. Attendees visit this area to meet with recruiters and search for the latest job openings available. Be sure to have all of the students know who you are!

SOLD Student Reception \$15,000 exclusive

This event is one that the students don't miss and look forward to every year. Have them remember your company by helping provide the food, beverage and entertainment during the reception.

Welcome Reception

3 available — 2 remaining \$15,000

The Welcome Reception is one of the Annual Meeting's most highly attended events. This reception offers you the opportunity to meet and greet the attendees with a personal touch. Your company name will be printed on signage at the entrance to the hall and on buffet stations. One complimentary 10' x 10' exhibit booth is included with this sponsorship.

Graduate Student Lounge

\$10,000 exclusive

All students are invited to relax and unwind in the graduate student lounge which will be located in the exhibit hall. Computers, beverages and lounge furniture will be provided.

Attendee SOLD Lanyards

Have every attendee wear your company logo around their neck! Your company logo will be printed on the attendee lanyards which are distributed to each attendee.

Coffee **Breaks**

\$5,000

3 available -2 remaining

Be remembered for providing the wake-up call to attendees on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday morning! Your company name will be printed on cocktail napkins and signage in the area and your company representative can greet attendees in the break area conveniently located within the registration area.

Lunch and Learns

a particular topic by providing boxed lunches for the lunch and learn session of your choice.

Charging Stations

\$4,000 per unit

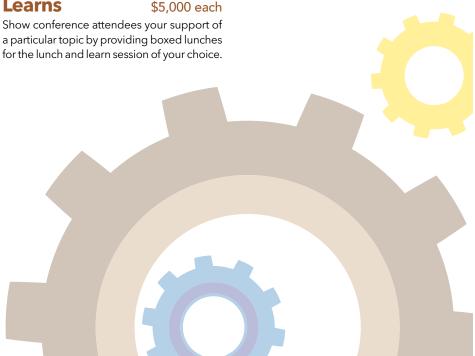
Be noticed while attendees charge up for the day! Place your print ad and/or logo on this great option. These stations provide a great area of extended brand coverage while attendees charge at one of the ten (10) charging tips. Your company logo will be placed on the LCD running monitor and the bottom backlit static ad.

Water SOLD **Stations**

Put your company name in front of attendees as they rehydrate throughout the day. Your company logo will be printed on signs at each water station, located throughout the convention center.

Fun Run SOLD **Sponsorship**

Make sure to be part of the annual fun run! Hundreds of attendees gather for this social and often competitive 5K run. The exclusive sponsorship includes your logo on the official t-shirt, signage at the event and a special mention at the start of the race.



ESA SPONSORSHIPS

ESA Founders' Memorial Award

\$7,500

Imagine getting to speak during the opening session and promote your product or company. Sponsorship includes a two minute speaking opportunity and introduction of the Founders' Memorial speaker at the opening session. Sponsor logo will be included on all on-site signage and everywhere the Founders' presentation is promoted.

ESA Attendee Bags

SOLD

Place your company logo on the meeting attendee bag which will be distributed to all registered ESA attendees.

ESA Mobile App

SOLD

Let your company be seen when attendees access the latest program information on their mobile devices. Your company name and logo will appear on a banner at the top of the screen, with a hyperlink to your company website. This sponsorship also includes one message sent out through the app to all attendees.

ESA Annual Meeting Program Book

| Space | Exhibitor Discount |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| OBC* (color) | \$1,170.00 |
| IFC or IBC* (color) | \$1,000.00 |
| 1 page (b&w) | \$810.00 |
| 1/2 page (b&w) | \$590.00 |
| 1/4 page (b&w) | \$380.00 |
| 1/8 page (b&w) | \$270.00 |

^{*}full page only. See media kit online for details.

ASA, CSSA & SSSA SPONSORSHIPS

Attendee Mobile App

\$2,500 each

Be at the top of each attendee's mind (and their phone or tablet) by reserving a logo placement on the smartphone app. Your ad will appear at the bottom of the screen and will rotate in sequence with other spons

4 available —1 remaining

SASES T-Shirt

SOLD

Stay relevant with undergraduate students by sponsoring the annual meeting T-shirt. This features an excellent branding opportunity which is sure to have a long shelf life.

ASA, CSSA & SSSA Technical Sessions

Contact for Pricing

Each Society has a series of sections, divisions and communities focused on a variety of scientific and practical disciplines. These groups host technical sessions which attract focused audiences of a few hundred attendees at a time.

ASA, CSSA and SSSA Annual Meeting Program Book

| Position | | Price | | | |
|----------------------|-------------|---------|-------------|--|--|
| Cover 2 | SOLD | \$2,000 | | | |
| Cover 3 | SOLD | \$1,500 | | | |
| Cover 4 | SOLD | \$2,800 | | | |
| Daily TAB | 4 Available | \$2,500 | 3 remaining | | |
| Full page (B/W only) | | \$1,000 | | | |
| 1/2 page (B/W only) | | \$500 | | | |



Sponsorship

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL

| Opportunities Benefits Included at Each Level | Diamond \$20,000+ | Platinum \$15,000+ | Gold \$10,000+ | Silver \$7,500+ | Bronze \$5,000+ | Patron |
|--|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------|
| Premium signage placement of logo (up to two locations) | x | | | | | |
| Recognition at opening plenary session and keynote speaker address | x | | | | | |
| Full-page 4C ad in society publication of your choice | х | X | | | | |
| Passport game | Х | Х | | | | |
| Pre- and post-show attendee mailing lists | х | х | Х | | | |
| Company name and logo on ESA's annual meeting website and ASA, CSSA and SSSA meeting websites | x | x | x | х | x | |
| Logos on banners/signs throughout the meeting | x | х | Х | X | X | |
| Thank you recognition in mobile apps, program books, and e-newsletters | x | х | x | x | x | x |
| Recognition at specific symposia | x | х | x | x | x | Х |





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Included annual meeting registration badges









Don't miss the chance to be a part of this exciting meeting.

Where else will you find four societies on one show floor!



MINNEAPOLIS



Minneapolis is a city that offers something for everyone.

Minneapolis is the perfect blend of natural beauty and urban sophistication. No other American city has a chain of lakes, the mighty Mississippi, and 200 miles of walking, biking and cross country ski trails within the city limits, and are literally steps from the most vibrant arts and music scene.

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maintaining and improving the environment. Today, ASA is seen as a progressive scientific society meeting the needs of its members through publications, recognition and awards, placement service, certification programs, meetings, and student activities. **www.agronomy.org**



The Crop Science Society of America (CSSA) is a prominent international scientific society headquartered in Madison, Wisconsin with over 5,000 members. Society members are dedicated to the conservation and wise use of natural

resources to produce food, feed, and fiber crops while maintaining and improving the environment. **www.crops.org**



The Soil Science Society of America (SSSA) is a progressive international scientific society that fosters the transfer of knowledge and practices to sustain global soils. Based in Madison, WI, and founded in 1936, SSSA is the professional home for 6,000+ members and 1,000+ certified professionals dedicated to advancing the field of soil science.

The Society provides information about soils in relation to crop production, environmental quality, ecosystem sustainability, bioremediation, waste management, recycling, and wise land use. **www.soils.org**



The Entomological Society of America (ESA) is the largest organization serving the professional and scientific needs of entomologists and people in related disciplines in the world. Founded in 1889, ESA today has nearly 7,000 members affiliated with educational institutions, health agencies, private industry, and government. Members are students, researchers, teachers, extension service personnel, administrators,

marketing representatives, consultants, and hobbyists. www.entsoc.org

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