

ASABE Overview

The American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers is an educational and scientific organization dedicated to the advancement of engineering applicable to agricultural, food, and biological systems. Founded in 1907 and headquartered in St. Joseph, Michigan, ASABE comprises members in more than 100 countries. Agricultural, food, and biological engineers develop efficient and environmentally sensitive methods of producing food, fiber, timber, and renewable energy sources for an ever-increasing world population. The image above provides a profile of ASABE's membership and their contributions to society. ASABE membership is open to all—engineers as well as non-engineers—who are interested in engineering and technology for agricultural, food, and biological systems.

Why Join ASABE?

When you join ASABE, you join more than 8,000 members representing over 100 countries who depend on ASABE for the latest news and information, professional development, networking and resources that augment your professional experience. Your ASABE membership will enhance your career by connecting you to a global community of like-minded individuals striving to make a positive impact on food, water, energy and the environment. ASABE keeps you abreast of emerging technologies, important trends, standards, accreditation and advances in a wide variety of technical interest areas.

Dues

\$25 for undergraduate students/preprofessionals

\$40 for graduate students

Member Benefits

ASABE Technical Library

Aid your research or confront job challenges with quick access to the ASABE Technical Library, the most expansive collection of technical information for agricultural and biological engineers. More than 30,000 technical documents, including journals, standards, proceedings, textbooks, and reference books, and are at your fingertips 24/7. Members receive download credits for five standards, and 100 other documents annually included with membership.

Resource Magazine

Resource magazine keeps you up-to-date on the latest technical news with content written and driven by members working in your field. Published six times a year, each issue highlights case studies, research and features on a variety of topics.

Inside ASABE Newsletter

Receive Society and member news through the monthly e-newsletter, Inside ASABE. Learn how to best take advantage of your member benefits and stay informed about non-technical industry news.

Annual International Meeting

Attend the most important agricultural and biological engineering meeting of the year. Learn the latest trends, research and techniques of the profession and connect and build relationships with your peers.

E-Mentoring

Select a mentor based on his or her work, geographic location or interest area. Browse through bios of willing mentors and find one who interests you--mentors are not assigned. Mentoring is available for students and young professional members (under 35) or for professionals preparing to take the agricultural and biological engineering PE exam.

ASABE Continuing Education Center

The Continuing Education Center compiles courses from all types of engineering disciplines, searchable by subject area, with Professional Development Hours (PDHs) guaranteed to be accepted by all state boards of licensure. Access online courses and webinars relevant to your work 24/7 – all at a member discount.

ASABE Career Center

Access jobs relevant to you or post your resume in one easy location. The Career Center is searchable by keyword, location, discipline and experience level.

Awards and Scholarships

Be recognized by your peers for your work. Professional and student awards honor your outstanding achievements in the profession. Scholarships are available to deserving biological or agricultural engineering students.

Discounts

Members enjoy substantial discounts on:

Hard copy publications

Meetings and conferences

Group insurance plans, including major medical, disability income, professional liability, dental and more (U.S. and Canadian members only)

Car rental discounts from Avis (discount code T107000).

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Application materials are available at the registration area and throughout the Rally! Contact us if you are interested in joining!

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