CSU Extension: 'Agents of Excellence' Yearly Awards Program

Parameters:

- CSUE Agents/Director-Agents only (CSUE and/or County funded).
- County compensation plans do not include CSU agents so ours should not include them.
- This is an individual award- not a group award.
- Categories:
- Outstanding educator
- Early adopter/Program Innovator
- Volunteer manager
- Community/Partner engager
- Diversity promoter
- Criteria:
- Outstanding educator- Includes qualitative assessments from students/faculty as well as quantitative considerations (# people impacted)
- Early adopter/Program Innovator- New program delivered that may be topical or demand-driven. Qualitative/quantitative assessments required.
- Volunteer manager- Qualitative assessments from volunteers and collaborators. Quantitative impacts also assessed and considered.
- Community/Partner Engager- Citizen impact assessed and highly considered.
 Other community collaborators have input as well.
- Diversity promoter- Qualitative and quantitative impacts to underserved audiences.
- \$500 net award for each winner
- Agents cannot win back-to-back years.
- County directors and agents nominate potential winners. Input can be solicited from others.
- Regional directors can nominate director-agents. Input can be solicited from others. Regional directors decide winners.
- Each region has 5 winners max- 15 total.
- Winners announced at Spring Meetings. Nominations due 01/31.