

Young Forester Achievement Award

The Young Forester Achievement Award (YFAA) recognizes individuals who make significant, unique and outstanding contributions to the sustainable management of New Brunswick forests early in their career.

RPF's or any member of the public can place nominations for this award. At least 2 ARPFNB members must sign the nomination. Nominations must be received by December 31 each year.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- 1) Outstanding achievement shall be judged on the basis of:
 - a) An individual in the discipline of forestry for distinguished personal contribution that has resulted in substantial advances in the science or practice of forestry; or
 - b) Dedicated and dynamic leadership in domestic or international management, research, affairs of professional and scientific societies, or education; or
 - c) An individual who has made outstanding contributions to the forestry discipline early in their career; or
 - d) Superior personal or group accomplishments in forestry related fields where the results obtained contribute to the advancement or promotion of the forestry profession

- 2) Recipients need not be members of the ARPFNB provided that their contributions are judged to be of outstanding importance to forestry in New Brunswick.

- 3) The recipient has not previously received the award.

- 4) The recipient is 40 years of age or younger by December 31 in the year the nomination was brought forth.

NOMINATION PROCEDURE

- Nominations forms are available at: [YFAA - Nomination Form.doc](#)
- It is recommended (but not mandatory) that the nominee be informed of the nomination in order to ensure eligibility and veracity of the information presented
- The original nomination document must be received by the ARPFNB by December 31st.
Only complete nomination documents received by the deadline will be considered by the Awards Committee.
- Nominations from previous years can be resubmitted if it is still considered relevant.

THE AWARD

The award will consist of a wooden plaque and an appropriate citation. It will be presented by the President of the ARPFNB during their Annual General Meeting in February.

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