**2024 IFA Science Awards
*for excellence in plant nutrition science, innovation and extension for sustainable development***

*Nominations should be submitted to* *science@fertilizer.org* *by****September 15, 2024***

**Candidate** (only one form per candidate)

Name:

Title:

Organization:

Address:

Tel:

E-mail:

**Nominating person or organization**

Contact name:

Company/Organization/University:

Address:

Tel:

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**Information about the Candidate**

**1. Which award are you applying to?**

* **Norman Borlaug Plant Nutrition Award**
* **IFA Emerging Scholar Award**

**2. Last professional positions** *(max. five, starting with current position)*

**3. Degrees received**

**4. Membership of academic societies and non-academic associations related to the nomination**

**5. Honors and awards received relevant to the nomination**

**6. Key professional supporting documents** *(max. 5 – please provide the abstract of each paper and specify if peer-reviewed). Please provide explanations for documents in language other than English*

*Your best scientific paper on discoveries or innovations of relevance for the New Paradigm for Plant Nutrition*

*Your best scientific publication evidencing the potential/actual impact of your research on* extension/farming, nutrition, environment, or society

*Other papers to support other qualification statements in the sections below.*

**Qualification Statements** *(the aggregated number of words of sections 1 to 4 shall not exceed 2,000)*

**1. Relevance to the New Paradigm for Plant Nutrition and its economic, environmental and societal outcomes (30 pts)**

*Briefly describe the nominee’s research relevance to one or several of the five aims of the New Paradigm for plant nutrition and its six actions (see https://www.sprpn.org/issue-briefs)*

**2. Novelty and quality of science (30 pts)**

*Briefly describe the nominee’s research with respect to scientific novelty and quality.*

**3. Innovation (20 pts)**

*Briefly describe the nominee’s contribution to innovation (*novel products, digital solutions, applicable new concepts etc..)*.*

**4. Potential and/or actual impact (20 pts)**

*Briefly describe the potential or actual impact of the nominee’s research on* extension/farming, nutrition, environment, or society*.*