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### **Industry figures honoured by Institution of Agricultural Engineers**

IAgrE's annual awards were held this year at John Deere's UK headquarters at LAMMA.

Members, guests and celebrated industry leaders received awards for their contribution to the landbased industry.

Chief Executive of LEAF, Caroline Drummond received an award for her sustained commitment and contribution to the landbased sector and Duncan Russell, now chief executive of the National Association of Agricultural contractors (NAAC) was given an Award of Merit for his outstanding service to the AEA, the National Sprayer Testing Scheme and for his professional contribution to the agricultural engineering profession.

John Deere MD, Jonathan Henry was awarded a Michael Dwyer Memorial award along with Robin Carter from JCB. This award is made to a mid-career engineer who has made outstanding progress in the agricultural engineering industry.

Student awards went to Daniel Robertson of Harper Adams University who won the Johnson New Holland Award along with Phillip Matthey and Michael Matthias both of Coleg Sirgar. Lecturer and member David White of Harper Adams also received an award for his significant contribution to the landbased industries,

IAgrE branch awards were presented to David Clare, Nick Handy, Mike Sheldon and David Wilks.

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**Images to be inserted of Caroline Drummond, Duncan Russell, Jonathan Henry and Daniel Robertson.**

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**Johnson New Holland Award:**

This trophy award was created to encourage and recognise innovation by students of subjects related to the application of engineering to the land based sector.

**IAgrE:**

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