

## Highlights in ASA History 2008-Forward

- 2008 ASA, together with CSSA, SSSA, and the Geological Society of America, host a Joint Annual Meeting in Houston, Oct 5-9, 2008 with the theme, "Celebrating the International Year of Planet Earth." Attendance was 9,640.  
Alliance of Crop, Soil, and Environmental Science Societies (ACSESS) forms.
- 2009 New Headquarters building jointly purchased with CSSA and SSSA at 5585 Guilford Road, Fitchburg, WI 53711.  
ASA-CSSA Member Gebisa Ejeta receives the 2009 World Food Prize.
- 2010 Transition to the new Section/Community structure in place of ASA Divisions.
- 2012 Digital Library launches in collaboration with CSSA and SSSA.  
ASA Member Daniel Hillel receives the 2012 World Food Prize.
- 2013 *Journal of Life Sciences Education* name changes to *Natural Sciences Education* to reflect broader scope of papers.
- 2014 The ASA Presidential Award initiated; first recipient is Dr. John Pesek, Iowa State University.  
ASA Member Sanjaya Rajaram receives the 2014 World Food Prize.
- 2015 ASA, along with CSSA and SSSA, approves a new journal, *Agricultural & Environmental Letters*.  
ASA purchases office building in Washington, DC to house the Science Policy Office at 502 C. Street NE, Washington, DC 20002.
- 2016 ASA, along with CSSA, approves the new journal, *Urban Ag & Regional Food Systems*.
- 2017 ASA, along with CSSA, approves a new journal, *The Plant Phenome* (TPPJ).
- 2018 ASA, along with CSSA, approves new journal, *Agrosystems, Geosciences & Environment* (AGE).
- 2019 Ellen Bergfeld resigns as Chief Executive Officer.  
Nicholas J. Goeser hired as the new Chief Executive Officer.
- 2020 The publishing of all publications outsourced to John Wiley & Sons, Incorporated.  
ASA-SSSA member Rattan Lal receives the 2020 World Food Prize.
- 2021 The Agronomic Science Foundation receives largest donation in history from the estate of member Sarah E. Lingle. ASF Priority Fund renamed to the Sarah E. Lingle Priority Fund.
- 2022 James "Jim" M. Cudahy hired as CEO, becoming the organizations' 8th leader.  
ASA-SSSA Member Cynthia Rosenzweig receives 2022 World Food Prize.
- 2023 ASA's Certified Crop Adviser Program celebrates 30th anniversary.