



SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION SOCIETY

Stay Connected, Stay Empowered Through Membership

EMERGING LEADERS PROGRAM ALUMNI MEMBER BENEFITS

As an alumni of the Soil and Water Conservation Society (SWCS) Emerging Leaders Program (ELP), you're uniquely positioned to lead and inspire the future of conservation. Your involvement strengthens the SWCS community and ensures that the conservation field continues to thrive.

Join Us at the Next Conference!

Reconnect with your ELP peers and the broader SWCS community at the SWCS International Annual Conference! With alumni-focused sessions, networking opportunities, and chances to share your expertise, it's an event you don't want to miss.

100% of ELP alumni who attended our annual conference said they'd recommend it to future participants! Members receive a significantly lower registration rate, which saves you more than the cost of membership.

Keep an eye out for the Call for Presentations to submit an abstract and present.

Your journey with us doesn't end with graduation—it's just the beginning! SWCS membership keeps you connected to your conservation community and helps you grow as a professional. Learn more about these member-only benefits-

Early Career Membership Discount

Renew at a discounted rate for two more years (\$75/year).

Networking and Leadership Opportunities

Lead and collaborate with your peers through leadership positions. Stay connected with fellow ELP alumni through exclusive networking sessions and added learning modules. Support the next class of leaders as mentors.

ELP alumni have already taken leadership roles on the SWCS Board of Directors, national committees, and chapters.

Professional Development

Participate in webinars, workshops, and virtual modules, including sessions tailored specifically for ELP alumni at our International Annual Conference.

Career Support

Utilize our career center, professional guidance, and take advantage of ELP-exclusive resumé reviews. Submit your resumé at <https://swcs.formstack.com/forms/resume>.

Professional Recognition

Be eligible for the SWCS Awards Program and an ELP alumni exclusive award with a cash prize! Releases in January.

Access Resources and Discounts

Member-only discounts are available on SWCS publications, swag, and event registrations. Stay informed with the *Journal of Soil and Water Conservation, Society & Natural Resources*, and our member newsletter the *Conservogram*.

This is your community. This is your career.

Stay connected, stay inspired, and continue making an impact.

Renew your membership today at www.swcs.org/join. Questions? Contact us at memberservices@swcs.org.