



BECOME A MEMBER

Becoming a member of SWCS will **grow your network**, **increase your visibility** within the conservation profession, and **get you access** to high-quality educational opportunities, training, and technical resources! Learn more about how to receive these and other benefits at www.swcs.org/join.

OUR CORE VALUES

Passion for stewardship and sustainability. We are driven by our desire to **help conservationists and land managers** identify and implement the best conservation systems to protect soil and water resources and to achieve global sustainability.

Commitment to science. We value and promote the use of **data-supported and fact-based science** to advance conservation.

Respect for people and cultures. We recognize the success of our mission relies upon people whose cultures and livelihoods are deeply connected to the land as well as consumers of food and fiber produced. We seek conservation solutions that will benefit and improve **the quality of life for all people**.

Focus on community. We believe our greatest strength lies in **uniting people** with diverse backgrounds, experiences, and ideas to inspire leadership, collaboration, and innovation within the conservation community.

WHAT WE DO

To learn about membership benefits, our mission, conservation events, and more, visit:

www.swcs.org

Advance knowledge. SWCS's exceptional **publications** (like the *Journal of Soil and Water Conservation*), **projects**, and **programs** advance conservation science and the development of effective and sustainable management practices.

Support learning. SWCS provides high-quality educational opportunities through international and chapter events, training, and technical resources that **equip conservation professionals** to achieve excellence.

Foster communication. SWCS shares important conservation news and research, and **empowers conservation professionals** to lead the discussion of natural resource conservation.

Advocate. SWCS **advocates for conservation professionals** and their work, and promotes science-based conservation practices, programs, and policies.

Build community. SWCS connects conservation professionals and partners in an active, supportive, and **welcoming community** at a local level.