Since 1981, the Academy of Toxicological Sciences (ATS) has awarded the title of "Fellow" to toxicologists worldwide who are recognized by their peers for their expertise and sound scientific judgment. The purpose of ATS is to ensure, through peer review of individual's credentials, the competence and experience of professionals whose work affects public health. Currently there are over 300 toxicologists worldwide who are certified as ATS Fellows or Emeritus Fellows.

**Vision**

To be recognized as the leading international organization that certifies toxicologists by peer review of education, professional experience, leadership, demonstrated achievement and scientific expertise.

**Mission**

To establish a process by which practicing toxicologists are certified based on peer review of the following three focus areas:
- Education, both formal and continuing
- Professional practice of toxicology
- Professional recognition

**Academy Activities**

- Mildred Christian Award (established in 2011)
  - The award is conferred upon an ATS Fellow who has clearly demonstrated a lasting impact on toxicological sciences.
- Private LinkedIn Group page to facilitate Fellow interaction
- Sponsorship of travel awards to scientific meetings

**Fellowship Benefits**

- Peer recognition as an expert in toxicology
- Enhanced credibility in professional standing
- Personal and professional satisfaction
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- Upholds a time-honored tradition of credentialed peer review

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