

2019 ENTRY FORM REQUIREMENTS FOR INNOVATION CATEGORY

Entry for the 2019 New Zealand Building Industry Awards is an online process. Individual and team entrants can nominate themselves. Visit nzbuildingindustryawards.org.nz/register/ for information on entry eligibility and costs.

Below outlines what is required to complete the entry forms. We suggest you collate your responses, then copy and paste into the entry form. The entry form can be saved and continued later using a provided link.

KEY NOMINEE AND NOMINATOR INFORMATION

Please note: If you have an administrator in your team who will manage your entry, and any other logistics relating to the Awards, please include their details.

- Name
- Organisation
- Email
- Phone Number
- Name of Innovation
- Project Name
- Project Location (Town or City in which Innovation was applied or developed)
- Project Value (in which Innovation was applied or cost of product)
- Up to 4 x high-resolution photos of the Nominee/s (file size limit 5MB)

INNOVATION DESCRIPTION

- In 500 words or less, tell us about the Innovation/Project. Submissions can cover any Innovation that relates to, or impacts, on the built environment. Examples include:
 - Product, process, technology, sustainability, health and safety, procurement, or customer service that have improved upon or extended beyond current expectations of best practice in the chosen area.

The judges will be looking for:

- Entries that focus on solving customer and end user needs, that result in excellent innovations.
 - An innovation that best demonstrates innovative approaches, solutions or products in its delivery.
 - A new technology, product or service, new to the market, that will transform the way the industry will work.
 - An innovation that supports the end user in commercial settings, e.g. construction, education, corporate, infrastructure, engineering, energy, technology design, architecture, admin, etc.
 - An innovation that enhances building development and management through sustainability, maintenance, durability, productivity, occupant health, collaboration, space optimisation or energy efficiency.
- At least 4 x high-resolution photos of the Innovation, plus any supporting documents (file size limit 5MB)

ABOUT THE NOMINEE

- In 500 words or less, tell us about the Nominee. The Nominee's background may include details on any of the following:
 - Background
 - Years in the industry
 - Previous roles and experience
 - Work experience outside New Zealand (if any)
 - Why Nominee was chosen for this position
 - Qualifications and affiliations
 - Previous awards

NOMINEE'S ROLE

- In 500 words or less, tell us what the Nominee's role was in developing this new Innovation, product, technique or process, and how they excelled in doing so. The Nominee's role may cover those aspects listed below:
 - An overview of the situation and problem that needed to be overcome
 - The vision they demonstrated in identifying an opportunity to do things differently
 - The process the Nominee followed to realise the idea
 - Overview of the Business Case put forward to client and/or company to progress the Innovation
 - Outcomes and benefits to client / project / delivered building / occupants, etc.

CHALLENGES

- In 500 words or less, tell us some of the challenges faced by the Nominee during this Innovation. Challenges that the Nominee may have confronted might include:
 - Resistance from stakeholders to trying a new approach
 - Availability of resource(s) to realise the Innovation
 - Logistics
 - Design
 - Budget

INVOLVEMENT FROM OTHER PARTIES

- Provide details of others involved in the Innovation/Project:
 - Client
 - Project Manager
 - Quantity Surveyor
 - Architect
 - Engineer
 - Specialist Trade
 - Services
 - Other
- Details required:
 - Organisation
 - Name
 - Email
 - Mobile

REFERENCES

Please note: Phone calls to referees may occur at the discretion of the Awards judges.

- Upload 2 written references, file size limit 5MB (Word / PDF / JPG)
- References should include:
 - Referee's name, role, organisation, email address, mobile number
 - Nominee's name and role
 - Project name and description
 - What the Nominee did well
 - Challenges the Nominee faced and how they overcame them