



ENGINEERS  
AUSTRALIA

# TERMS AND CONDITIONS

## Engineer of the Year Award

### Professional Engineer of the Year Young Professional Engineer of the Year

The following requirements should be read carefully as all nominations must adhere to these to be eligible for the award:

#### 1. Who can nominate?

- The Engineer of the Year is a nominator-driven program. Self-nominations will not be accepted.
- A nominee must be a current member in the relevant category of membership at the time of nomination and must remain a financial member up to and including the day that the Awards are announced. [Find out more information about the Engineers Australia membership categories.](#)
- Both financial members and non-members can nominate an Engineers Australia member for an award.
- A non-member of Engineers Australia (e.g. manager, HR representative) can prepare a nomination on behalf of a nominee and nominate, however, such nomination must be supported by a referee who is a current member of Engineers Australia. Referee's contact details and membership number must be provided in the nomination form.

#### 2. Awards process

The Engineer of the Year Awards is a national awards program. There is a natural progression through nominations, judging and announcement of Division winners to judging for the Engineers Australia's Engineer of the Year Awards. Division winners will automatically progress to Engineer of the Year judging in the same year.

[Find out more information about the Engineers Australia Divisions.](#)

3. All nominations for the Professional and Young Professional Engineer of the Year must include the **Division to which the member is affiliated**. Any financial member who is affiliated with National Office due to their place of residence will not be eligible.

4. **A three-year Register** for all award categories has been introduced and will be maintained by each EA office for nominations which are considered competitive in a future year however were not successful in the current year. Nominators can seek to update their nominations during that time if desired. New nominations for unsuccessful candidates can be considered again once their careers are further advanced.

5. All nominations must be accompanied by **agreement from the nominee** to be nominated.

6. Nominees to the Young Professional Engineer of the Year must be practicing engineering professionals not over the age of 35 (up to and including the day that the Awards are announced).

7. There is to be no monetary gain or other direct inducement/incentive provided to a nominator, nominee or employer of either party.

8. Nominations may come from any of the Learned Society Groups within Engineers Australia, including Colleges, Technical Societies and Special Interest Groups.

9. When nominees agree to the terms and conditions, Engineers Australia:

- has the right to investigate the nominee's membership file
- may require the nominee to be interviewed by the judges
- has the right to use the content of the nominee's submission for promotional purposes

10. Engineers Australia staff may not prepare a nomination on behalf of a nominee.

11. Engineers Australia staff will not participate in the judging or voting process, however may provide advice to judging panels as requested.

12. The judges' decision relating to any of these awards is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

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