



ENGINEERS
AUSTRALIA

Engineer of the Year 2018 – Nomination Criteria

The following criteria will be used by judges in assessing nominations:

1. Contribution to the well-being of people and communities

describe the way in which the nominee's engineering work has delivered benefit for individuals, groups, communities or the environment in which they reside, work, learn or enjoy recreation.

2. Contribution to and promotion of the engineering profession

give details of the nominee's activities outside his/her work which are voluntary engineering-related pursuits or which have furthered the engineering profession.

3. Pioneering in the use of materials and/or methods

describe the way in which the nominee has utilised materials or employed practices or methods which are novel, inventive and creative.

4. Contribution to sustainable engineering practices

give details of how the nominee has included consideration of sustainability (social, environmental and economic) in undertaking their engineering work.

5. Formulation of resourceful, innovative and aesthetically appealing engineering solutions

describe the way in which the nominee has been resourceful, innovative or entrepreneurial to solve engineering problems, develop elegant design solutions, and/or pursue ground-breaking research.

General Guidance: In drafting submissions, nominators should ensure that, for all of the above criteria:

- All relevant examples of the nominee's contribution should be identified for each criterion.
- The specific role played by the nominee should be described. Simply listing or describing projects and activities that fell under the remit of the nominee will not be sufficient. The nominee's individual contribution should be detailed.
 - The level at which the nominee's contribution has been made should be described. The submission should detail the extent to which the nominee took a leadership role or contributed as a team member and include information about the composition and size of the team.
 - The significance and impact of the nominee's contributions on others should be described.
 - The use of jargon or acronyms which are not widely understood across disciplines should be avoided.