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**CONSTRUCTING
EXCELLENCE**
IN YORKSHIRE & HUMBER



CONSTRUCTING EXCELLENCE YORKSHIRE AND HUMBER AWARDS 2019

ENTRY AND SPONSORSHIP BROCHURE



ARE YOU READY TO STAND OUT FROM THE CROWD?

Constructing Excellence Yorkshire and Humber (CEYH) are delighted to announce the return of our annual awards spectacular!

Organised by the School of Built Environment and Engineering at Leeds Beckett University, the Constructing Excellence Yorkshire and Humber Awards (#CEYH2019) focus attention on some of the most important issues in the construction sector. They recognise the very best companies, collaborations and projects sharing best practice and inspiring others to adopt new and better ways of working that deliver outstanding results.

All types of organisations enter our awards each year; private and public sector; micro, SME and large contractors, designers, consultants, clients and suppliers - in fact anyone and everyone that is part of construction's extended family. From all those entrants our judges select the very best projects, schemes and teams to go forward to represent the Yorkshire and Humber region at the national Constructing Excellence Awards in November.

EASIER THAN EVER TO ENTER

There is no cost to enter the Constructing Excellence Awards and you can enter as many projects for as many categories as you like. Also, you do not need to be a Constructing Excellence or regional Member to be able to enter.

The forms have been simplified to just seven questions with the final question being your chance to wax lyrical about what you have done and why it's different to your peers, why it should win, why it stands out from the crowd and represents excellence in construction.

BENEFITS TO YOUR BUSINESS

Entering our awards can bring enormous benefits to your organisation; giving you a platform to highlight your achievements, raise your profile as a force for positive change and help you to develop new relationships as well as cement existing ones.

KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Launch Event: Thursday 24th January 2019
Closing Date: Thursday 18th April 2019
Shortlist Announced: Monday 20th May 2019
Gala Awards Dinner: Thursday 11th July 2019





SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Organised by a passionate and forward thinking team, our awards continue to grow year on year elevating the profile of the companies involved. Our sponsorships represent a great opportunity for companies who are leading positive change within the industry to align their brand with Constructing Excellence core values and improvement agenda.

Sponsors will receive continuous publicity in the build up to the awards and on the night itself as well as an opportunity to contribute to our blog and events programme. In addition, sponsors will get the best seats in the house at our gala awards dinner which will once again feature our unbeatable blend of professional hosting, innovative theming and gold star hospitality. Many of our sponsors have gone on to work closely with the School of Built Environment and Engineering and our students.

CATEGORY SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE (fourteen available)

- Constant display of your logo in our regular awards mail shots, awards literature and CEYH/SOBEE website.
- Regular announcements of your sponsorship and involvement via CEYH/SOBEE social media.
- A table of 10 at the ceremony including four bottles of wine (usual cost £850 + VAT).
- Full page company ad in the event brochure to be distributed to every guest on the evening.
- Your Company representative to present the sponsored award at the dinner.
- Your Company Logo on the certificate for the sponsored category.
- CEYH Awards Sponsor logo for your category for use on your email/website.
- Opportunity to have display stands at the dinner (space permitting).

Category Sponsor Price £1,350 + VAT

THE CATEGORIES >>>>>



“ Galliford Try are delighted to be Headline Sponsor for the third year running and to continue our support of Constructing Excellence Yorkshire and Humber who are our Industry’s biggest driver for change. The last two years have been fantastic and we are looking forward to seeing who the winners are in 2019! ”



THE CATEGORIES

For 2019 we are accepting entries into each of the following categories;

- Building Project of the Year*
- Civil Engineering Project of the Year*
- Client of the Year
- Digital Construction Award
- Health, Safety and Wellbeing
- Innovation
- Integration & Collaborative Working
- Offsite Construction Award
- People Development
- Preservation & Rejuvenation
- Sustainability
- SME of the Year
- Value Award
- Best of the Best

*PROJECT VALUES

In a change from previous years, we will be awarding several accolades on the night in the Project of the Year categories to best represent projects of all different sizes and values. We want to ensure that smaller & community led projects have an equal opportunity to gain recognition alongside multimillion pound schemes. Therefore we will be awarding three winners in both Building Project of the Year and Civils Project of the Year against the following value brackets.

> £1 million

£1 million to £10 million

£10 million and above

PLEASE NOTE: Only one project in each category can go forward as Yorkshire and Humber's representative in the national awards - this will be the entry out of the three bracket winners which the judges score the highest overall.

CATEGORY CRITERIA >>>>>





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BUILDING / CIVILS PROJECT OF THE YEAR

Project of the Year delivers outstanding outcomes for all those involved in a construction project. It showcases the benefits achieved through the application of many of the principles described in the other award categories. Because of the diversity of potential projects, this category is split into two awards: Building Project of the Year and Civils Project of the Year with projects of different value being awarded on the night. The winner is likely to be an outstanding local project as a high profile landmark, but whatever it is all parties will be proud of and inspired by it: the designers, constructors and clients.

CLIENT OF THE YEAR

The industry's customers have an important role to play in transforming the way construction operates. How projects come to market has a significant impact on the ability of the construction industry to provide innovative, whole life value-for-money solutions. Much waste in construction is driven through approach to risk across the supply chain and judges are looking for a construction client that has been actively involved in enabling the construction programme and developed strategies for encouraging and rewarding excellence.

DIGITAL CONSTRUCTION

Digital Construction embraces BIM, GIS, Big Data and other evolving technological advancements. Technology has transformed the world we live in and has potential to revolutionise the construction industry. This category rewards organisations, projects or initiatives that have adopted, advanced and achieved excellence in Digital Construction. Judges will be looking for examples of how the adoption of collaborative digital processes has dramatically improved the planning, design, fabrication, construction and operation of built facilities or infrastructure.

HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELLBEING

Health and Safety is of paramount importance and a culture of 'safety first' is crucial to performance. Overarching health and safety management systems, clear demonstration of sustainable and effective risk

management, and evidencing of health initiatives are fundamental to reducing or eliminating all types of incident, and to promote health and wellbeing across the supply chain. The winner must be able to demonstrate consideration of either project Health and Safety at pre-construction and/or construction phases or an organisational initiative impacting on multiple projects or their workforce.

INNOVATION

Innovation is widely recognised as the critical factor for increased and sustained productivity and growth. It demonstrates an organisation's confidence, capacity and appetite for improved performance and productivity gains. Innovation is most effective as a holistic approach that identifies both demand and ideas and is most successful when supported by collaboration between customers and the supply chain. Judges are looking for an organisation or project that has developed and applied the most innovative approach to overcoming one or more construction challenges. Winners may have developed a demonstrably new and different technique or process or may have harnessed emerging or existing technologies to create new or improved products, tools or services leading to better built outcomes.

INTEGRATION AND COLLABORATIVE WORKING

Collaborative working is central to the core values of Constructing Excellence and its drive to evidence excellence in construction. It is most likely to manifest in the delivery of specific projects, however those who can demonstrate a culture across a series or programme of projects show leadership in sustaining the approach. Integration of the supply chain, the client and end users will normally lead to a better outcome satisfying all stakeholders. The judges will be looking for entries where collaborative working has delivered outstanding results and significant benefits for the whole supply chain/partnership involved.

OFFSITE CONSTRUCTION

A number of factors are convening to make offsite construction a more attractive solution than ever before.



CATEGORY CRITERIA (continued)

It can help address systemic failures including low productivity, low predictability, low margins, adversarial pricing, lack of culture for collaboration, limited R&D and investment in innovation and poor image. A winning approach will demonstrate a systematic approach to the implementation of offsite solutions, tangible benefits delivered by using an offsite approach over and above traditional methods including value against time, cost, quality and contributed to the commercial demands of the client and sustained the needs of the local community.

PEOPLE DEVELOPMENT

People are our greatest asset and this award recognises organisations that have really captured the full value of their human resource. Agents for change, those who proactively cascade education throughout their team, develop highly motivated movers and shakers, can make a significant impact on the future of the construction industry. Judges are looking for an organisation that is leading edge in the way they develop their existing team and attract new entrants into the industry.

PRESERVATION AND REJUVENATION

Clients entrust their historic and listed buildings to the construction industry's care for preservation, conservation and rejuvenation. Rewarding their trust with excellent outcomes is what the judges are looking for. Judges will be looking to recognise the achievement of high standards in the repair, re-use and revitalisation of the region's historic buildings, sites and places.

SME OF THE YEAR

SMEs are the backbone of the industry and are recognised by Constructing Excellence for their dominance of and contribution to the supply chain. Department for Business Innovation and Skills suggest that 99.9% of UK construction contracting businesses are SMEs and some of the greatest innovation and best practice can be identified in this sector. Judges are looking for an exemplary organisation, with 249 or less employees and with turnover less than £42 million.

SUSTAINABILITY

Sustainable construction aims to meet present day needs for housing, working environments and infrastructure without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs in times to come. It incorporates elements of economic efficiency, environmental performance and social responsibility – and contributes to the greatest extent when architectural quality, technical innovation and transferability are included. Judges are looking for organisations or projects whose achievements, in relation to the legacy their work leaves, have made a positive impact on society and demonstrated best practice in triple bottom line effects and social value.

VALUE

Judges are looking for an initiative, project or series of projects that has focused on the value of facilities in use and the outcomes for owners and users. Good facilities add value by enabling owners and/or users to live or work better in them. Winners will demonstrate how whole life cost and value have been considered from the outset; combining capital costs of construction with maintenance, operational and occupiers' costs. The most important factor will have been the outcomes for the owners and users of the facilities, and these should have been a key driver throughout the design and construction process. Entrants should be able to evidence the balance of expenditure between design, construction and operation, and must provide evidence or forecasts for the improvement in outcomes for owners and/or users.

BEST OF THE BEST

The judges will choose from all the winning entries, the project which best exemplifies constructing excellence principles in action.

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ENTRY GUIDELINES>>>>>



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- An application can be made for an organisation, project, process, product or a service. There is no limit. You can submit as many projects for as many categories as you like but you **MUST** fill in a separate form for each one.
- Demonstrating excellence in practice; where evidence is requested there should be a clear “audit” trail available for qualitative and quantitative data.
- Where a project is being submitted, the project must have been based in Yorkshire & Humber and you must have the approval of the owner of the building/project.
- Where a company, process, product or service is the subject, the nominating organisation/divisional office should be based in Yorkshire & Humber.
- Offsite Construction: projects can be either made in or delivered in/erected in the Yorkshire and Humber region to qualify.
- All nominations and submissions should relate primarily to work carried out between January 2018 and December 2018.
- A project **DOES NOT** have to be completed to be entered but you must be able to demonstrate how it fulfills the criteria of the category you are entering.
- Clients must be made aware in advance of any entries that refer to them.
- A précis of shortlisted entries will feature on the CEYH website and elsewhere. Shortlisted entrants may be asked to participate in Constructing Excellence or Leeds Beckett University related events programmes.
- Every project entered will be considered for Demonstration Project status.

JUDGING

- The panel of judges will consider each submission against the category criteria.
- All awards are made at the discretion of the judges and Constructing Excellence in Yorkshire and Humber. The right is reserved not to make an award in a particular category.
- The judges have authority to move entries into more applicable categories. Their decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into following the awards.
- Information supplied by the judges, or discussed between the judges and entrants will be treated in complete confidence, and confidentiality on the part of the entrants if requested.
- In line with national Constructing Excellence judging, appendices will **NOT** be taken into consideration. Supporting images, graphs, tables that you wish to include in support of your application should be embedded within the entry form. Within reason, captions can be included in addition to stipulated word count. Short Videos are the **ONLY** additional content that will be taken into consideration.

HOW TO ENTER

- All forms can be downloaded from <http://ckegroup.org/cexcellenceyh/ceyh-awards-2019/>
- All entries should be submitted electronically, via email to ceyhawards@leedsbeckett.ac.uk by **23:59 on Thursday 18th April 2019**. Please include with your submissions high resolution logos for ALL organisations involved in the project/scheme/entry (png or eps format preferable).
- All entries **WILL** receive a receipt confirmation via email. If you have submitted an entry and not received a receipt email please contact us on 0113 812 1902 or 0113 812 7601 to check we have received your submission.
- Please also provide several separate high resolution photos, as individual files, along with your application. These are needed for publicity purposes and for use in any powerpoint on the night. Ideally photos should be of all aspects of the project or process including people and saved in high resolution format. These will not form part of your submission for review by the judges.
- Winners will be announced at the Constructing Excellence Yorkshire & Humber Gala Awards Ceremony in July.
- The organisers reserve the right to feature any submitted material in any editorial or promotional work relating to Constructing Excellence Yorkshire and Humber, the School of Built Environment and Engineering and Leeds Beckett University website and social media.

CONTACT DETAILS>>>>>





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