

NSW Awards for Excellence

RMS

Tradesperson Scholarship Award Description

Purpose and Recognition	<p>This award recognises achievement in a trade or trade apprenticeship relevant to the construction industry.</p> <p>This award encourages significant contributions of women undertaking a trade or trade apprenticeship in the construction industry. The successful recipient will receive a \$2,000 scholarship toward future education and training in the recipient's field.</p>
Eligibility	A woman currently undertaking a trade or trade apprenticeship relevant to the construction industry.

How to Nominate

Nominations for this Award may be made by the nominee herself or a third party who is not the nominee.

1. Register online and enter all details on the online entry page.
2. You must read and agree to be bound by the NAWIC Terms and Conditions of Nomination. NAWIC reserves the right to accept nominations in its absolute discretion.
3. Complete online submission, within the word count specified to address each assessment criteria below.
4. The online entry must include the following:
 - a. Nominee details entered online;
 - b. Nominee biography entered online;
 - c. Assessment criteria submission entered online;
 - d. Letter of endorsement uploaded;
 - e. Good quality image of nominee or nominee team uploaded (this image will be used in the Awards presentation event);
 - f. Consent of nominee to nomination;
 - g. Letter or other evidence confirming employment or enrolment.

Additional Nomination Information

1. Where the nomination is made by the nominee the nominee must confirm she is available for an interview by NAWIC judges at the nominee's place of employment or another location as agreed with the judging panel.
2. Where the nomination is made by a third party who is not the nominee, the third party must confirm:
 - a. They have obtained the consent of the nominee;
 - b. The nominee is available for an interview by NAWIC judges at the nominee's place of employment or another location as agreed within the judging period.
3. If the nomination for this Award is successful, the nominee must provide a written summary to NAWIC and RMS outlining how the nominee intends to utilise the scholarship, for approval. Once approved, payment will be paid direct to the relevant organisation and the nominee must report to NAWIC and RMS the outcomes before 1 July 2020.

Assessment Criteria

Nominees will be assessed in accordance with the nominee's ability to demonstrate exemplary construction skills, the nominee's development to date in the nominee's trade and future aspirations. The nominee must address the following assessment criteria:

1. Give an outline of the reasons the nominee was inspired to undertake a trade in the construction industry.
2. Describe an experience which developed the nominee's trade skills.
3. Provide an outline of the nominee's aspirations and goals for future participation in the construction industry.
4. Provide details of what the nominee hopes to achieve with the scholarship funds.
5. Provide at least one written reference from a current employer, TAFE lecturer or colleague confirming the nominee's contribution to the construction industry and the way in which the contribution is significant.

Important Dates

Nominations Open: 8 May 2019
Nominations Close: 1 July 2019
Awards Event: 29 August 2019

Nomination Enquiries

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