

BUSINESS WOMEN OF THE YEAR

RICHARD CROOKES
CONSTRUCTIONS

FOR THE ACHIEVEMENT OF WOMEN IN SENIOR POSITIONS IN THE CONSTRUCTION, BUILDING OR RELATED INDUSTRY

PURPOSE AND RECOGNITION

This award is aimed at women who hold a senior position in an organisation which operates in the construction, building or related industry.

Nominees will be assessed by a panel of industry volunteers based only on how they have contributed to the success of their organisation through proactive leadership, excellent decision-making and positively influencing organisational development.

ELIGIBILITY

Any woman who is a senior manager, director, owner or partner of an organisation in New South Wales in the construction, building or related industry is eligible for this award. Irrespective of title, the individual must play a substantial role as a decision-maker within the organisation.

Nominations for this award may be made by a nominee or a third party, provided that the nominee has provided their consent to the nomination.

NOMINATION ATTACHMENTS

- nominee biography. [View Template Here](#)
- a letter of endorsement to support the nomination from nominees CEO/ Managing Director, board of directors, manager or client
- a brief summary of the nominee's organisation including trading history, structure and operations;
- a letter confirming nominees employment

- a good quality, professional image of the nominee

SUBMISSIONS QUESTIONS & WORD COUNT

Describe the initiatives and contributions the nominee has made to the business
Maximum 350 words

Explain what made these contributions particularly innovative or significant
Maximum 350 words

Provide details of challenges that were overcome by the nominee in implementing this initiative
Maximum 350 words

Provide a summary of the impact / legacy achieved by the nominee in relation to the organisation's performance and the satisfaction of key stakeholders
Maximum 350 words

Explain how the nominee's involvement furthered the business / organisation
Maximum 350 words

Detail how the nominee has been a role model for other women in the industry
Maximum 350 words

2022 WINNER | LIZ WESTGARTH, HASSELL

As Global Head of Design at Hassell, Liz Westgarth has spearheaded two transformational strategies: one to achieve gender balance across the business by 2028 and another to ensure all Hassell's design projects are net zero emissions by 2030. With Liz as champion, Hassell has hit the 30% mark for women in leadership positions and is on track to achieve its net zero target.

