

Call for Nominations!

Environmental Excellence Awards

To be presented at the
33rd Annual Environmental Training Symposium and Conference
October 30-31, 2017
San Diego Convention Center

2017 Theme: “Navigating Through Regulatory Uncertainty”

This year’s theme calls for case studies that describe how your company, facility, or organization is achieving environmental compliance amidst the uncertainty of environmental policy changes.

We are particularly interested in examples where applicants worked with NGOs, community groups, regulatory agencies, or other organizations to achieve environmental compliance AND met production goals in this period of regulatory uncertainty.

Briefly explain:

- Obstacles you faced
- What solution(s) you developed
- How you may have collaborated with other public, private, or governmental entities
- Results achieved

Nomination Process: **Deadline is July 12, 2017**

Complete the following two step application process and submit your nomination by 5pm, Wednesday, July 12. Send your application to Joelle Burila at joelle.burila@ieaca.org for consideration.

Step 1: Create a cover page

Please include a cover page with the following information

- Name of Individual making the nomination
- Nominated Company Name
- Nominated Company contact person and contact information (address, phone, email)

Step 2: Describe the Program/Project

Attach a description of the nominated program. Include as much detail as possible to explain why the nominated organization is exceptional and exceeds normal expectations. **Please limit submittals to two pages.** In addition, you can include supplemental photographs and video.

The description should:

- Tell the story of how a specific goal was met while working in collaboration with another entity or organization
- Briefly discuss challenges or issues and how they were overcome or addressed
- Describe measurable and anticipated benefits
- Explain the “big picture” goals of the program or initiative, including any challenges resulting from regulatory uncertainty, and if applicable, explain how the program contributed to the community’s environmental quality of life

Selection Process:

- The Environmental Excellence Awards program is open to businesses, federal, state, and local government, service industries, educational institutions and facilities, public works projects and non-governmental organizations. Self-nominations are accepted.
- Judging will be conducted by a panel of industry experts from the Industrial Environmental Association and the California Manufacturers and Technology Association
- Upon notification of selection, award recipients will be required to participate in an interview to be used in the awards ceremony videos.

The winning organizations will be recognized during the Annual Environmental Excellence Awards Luncheon on October 30, 2017. The Awards Luncheon will feature a video presentation highlighting the achievements of each award-winning program.

Questions? Please contact Joelle Burila at joelle.burila@ieaca.org or call (619) 522-9000.

Previous Environmental Excellence Award Winners

Air Products and Chemicals, Inc
City of San Diego Public Utilities Department
CP Kelco
CUPA Forum Board
Dow Chemical Company
Flame King, California Product Stewardship Council, U-Haul International
General Dynamics NASSCO
P&R Paper Supply Company
Poseidon Water
Qualcomm
SCS Engineers, City of Encinitas, San Diego County Department of Environmental Health
SDG&E
Sony Electronics
University of California, San Diego
University of San Diego Electronics Recycling