

EEA 2019

Engineering Excellence Awards

Call for Entries

A. Eligibility

ACEC/MA member and non-member engineering or surveying firms are eligible to enter the awards competition.

- Projects must be substantially completed or publicly disclosed by client for use between November 1, 2016 and October 31, 2018.
- Firms must obtain permission from the client/owner to submit.
- A firm may submit multiple entries.
- Projects may have been executed anywhere in the world.
- Subconsultants are eligible to submit, provided they coordinate with prime consultant and all team members.

B. Why Enter?

Your firm makes a statement about its commitment to quality by entering this competition. Not only will your firm's staff and clients know that you aspire to the achievement of excellence in your practice, but you are also contributing to the profession by sharing your experience in the application of state-of-the-art techniques to effectively solve a client's problem. We all want to win when we enter a competition, and every entry in the ACEC/MA Engineering Excellence Awards is a winner.

C. How to Submit an Entry

A completed entry form must be received at The Engineering Center by 5:30 PM on October 9, 2018. The Submission requirements will be posted on www.acema.org in early September. New this year Project Submissions will be done electronically.

D. Rating Guidelines for Judging

Each entry will be evaluated based on the following five categories, which are key elements of the project description text required in the submission checklist that will be provided for full submittal.

1. Uniqueness and/or innovative applications of new or existing techniques
2. Future value to the engineering profession and perception by the public
3. Social, economic and sustainable development considerations
4. Complexity
5. Successful fulfillment of client/owner needs

E. Local Dates to Remember

Entry forms & fee due	October 9, 2018
Submission Assistance Day	October 16, 2018
Submissions due	November 7, 2018
Presentation to judges (Finalists only)	December 11, 2018
ACEC/MA Awards Gala, Royal Sonesta Hotel, Cambridge	March 20, 2019

F. Entry Fee

ACEC/MA Member firm	\$ 500
Small firm (under 30), ACEC/MA member	\$ 175
Non-member firm	\$ 750
Small firm, non-member	\$ 350

G. National Competition

The five Finalists and Silver Award Winners for ACEC/MA are eligible to submit to the ACEC national competition. Participation at the national level is optional.

See www.acec.org for submission details. Deadline is January 4, 2019.

National EEA Dinner & Gala, Washington, DC May 7, 2019

H. Questions, assistance, etc.

Contact Elizabeth Tyminski at etyminski@engineers.org or call 617-227-5551.



2018 Grand Conceptor Award:
Simpson Gumpertz & Heger Inc.
Bahá'í Temple of South America Santiago, Chile

2018 Gold Awards:

Arup

*Northeastern University
 Interdisciplinary Science and Engineering Complex (ISEC)
 Boston, Massachusetts*

CDM Smith

*Massachusetts Turnpike All-Electronic Tolling System Statewide –
 138 miles on Massachusetts Turnpike and Boston Tunnels
 Boston, Massachusetts*

Nitsch Engineering

*Complex Issues in a Small Site:
 Boston Public Library's Johnson Building Renovation
 Boston, Massachusetts*

Simpson Gumpertz & Heger Inc.

*University of Massachusetts Design Building
 Amherst, Massachusetts*



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2019 ACEC/MA ENTRY FORM

Due October 9, 2018

Entry Type and Fee

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> ACEC/MA Member firm | \$500 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small firm (under 30), ACEC/MA member | \$175 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Non-member firm | \$750 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small firm, non-member | \$350 |

Firm/Entry Information

Firm Name (s)*

ACEC/MA Member? (circle one) YES NO

Contact Name**

Title

Email

Address

City/State/Zip

Direct Phone

Project Information

Project Name*

Project Location*

Date of Completion

Client's Name*

Team Members

General Contractor

*Names to be used in awards materials.

**Must be readily available by phone to answer questions about the submission package.

Entry Form Deadline: October 9, 2018

(enclose entry fee) No refund of entry fees after Oct. 11, 2018

Checks Payable to: ACEC/MA

Visa Mastercard American Express

Card Number

Expiration Date

Name on Card

Billing Address for Credit Card

Signature

Return Form to:

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Awards Competition Recognizes
Engineering Achievements that
Demonstrate the Highest Degree of
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