

# E E A 2020

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, 2017 and October 31, 2019.
- 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 September 30, 2019. The Submission requirements will be posted on [www.acema.org](http://www.acema.org) in early September.

## 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	September 30, 2019
Submission Assistance Day	October 8, 2019
Submissions due	October 28, 2019
Presentation to judges (Finalists only)	December 11, 2019
ACEC/MA Awards Gala	TBA

## 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](http://www.acec.org) for submission details. Deadline is January 3, 2020.  
National EEA Dinner & Gala, Washington, DC: April 28, 2020

## H. Questions, assistance, etc.

Contact Elizabeth Tyminski [etyminski@engineers.org](mailto:etyminski@engineers.org) or call 617-227-5551.

### 2019 Grand Conceptor Award:

Parsons | Fore River Bridge | Quincy/Weymouth, MA



### 2019 Gold Awards:

#### BR+A

MIT.nano

Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Cambridge, Massachusetts

#### GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc.

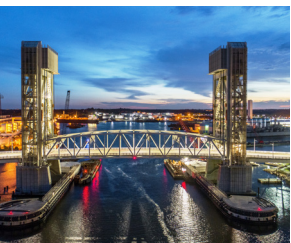
Upper Roberts Meadow Reservoir Dam Breach and Stream Restoration  
Northampton, Massachusetts

#### TEC, Inc.

MGM Springfield  
Springfield, Massachusetts

#### Tetra Tech

Liberia Municipal Water Program  
USAID/Liberia



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2020 ACEC/MA

### ENTRY FORM *Due September 30, 2019*

#### 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 Firm?  YES  NO

Principal of Firm (name, title, email, phone)\*\*

Project Manager (name, title, email, phone)\*\*

Primary Marketing Contact (name, title, email, phone)\*\*

Address

City/State/Zip

Direct Tel

#### Project Information

Project Name\*

Project Location\*

Date of Completion

Client's Name\*

Team Members (firms)

General Contractor

#### Entry Form Deadline: September 30, 2019

(enclose entry fee) No refund of entry fees after Oct. 2, 2019

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:

ACEC/MA  
The Engineering Center  
One Walnut St  
Boston, MA 02108-3616  
T: 617-227-5551  
[acecma@engineers.org](mailto:acecma@engineers.org)

The ACEC/MA Engineering Excellence  
Awards Competition Recognizes  
Engineering Achievements that  
Demonstrate the Highest Degree of  
Merit and Ingenuity

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OF MASSACHUSETTS

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\*Names to be used in awards materials.

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