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-ofthe-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 in early September.

2019 Grand Conceptor Award: Parsons | Fore River Bridge | Quincy/Weymouth, MA







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
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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 3, 2020.

National EEA Dinner & Gala, Washington, DC: April 28, 2020

H. Questions, assistance, etc.

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

2019 Gold Awards:

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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











2020 ACEC/MA

ENTRY FORM Due September 30, 2019

Entry Type and Fee	Entry Form Deadline: September 30, 2019
☐ ACEC/MA Member firm \$500	(enclose entry fee) No refund of entry fees after Oct. 2, 2019 Checks Payable to: ACEC/MA
☐ Small firm (under 30), ACEC/MA member \$175 ☐ Non-member firm \$750	□ Visa □ Mastercard □ American Express
☐ Small firm, non-member \$350	Card Number
Firm/Entry Information	Expiration Date
Firm Name (s)*	Name on Card
	Billing Address for Credit Card
ACEC/MA Member Firm? □YES □NO	
	Signature
Principal of Firm (name, title, email, T)**	Return Form to:
Project Manager (name, title, email, T)**	ACEC/MA The Engineering Center
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Primary Marketing Contact (name, title, email, T)**	Boston, MA 02108-3616 T: 617-227-5551
Address	acecma@engineers.org
City/State/Zip	The ACEC/MA Engineering Excellence
Direct Tel	Awards Competition Recognizes
Project Information	Engineering Achievements that
Project Name*	Demonstrate the Highest Degree of
	Merit and Ingenuity
Project Location*	ACEC
Date of Completion	ACEC
Client's Name*	American Council of Engineering Companies of Massachusetts
Toom Mombors (firms)	www.acecma.org
Team Members (firms)	
	Designed by
General Contractor	CDM
	Smith.



^{*}Names to be used in awards materials.

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