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, 2019 and October 31, 2021.
- 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 4, 2021. The Submission requirements will be posted on 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.

- 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

Information Session on Entering	September 22, 2021
Entry forms & fee due	October 4, 2021
Submission Assistance Day (Virtual)	October 13, 2021
Submissions due	October 25, 2021
Presentation to judges (Finalists only)	December 8, 2021
ACEC/MA Awards Gala	April/May 2022

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 7, 2022
National EEA Dinner & Gala, Washington, DC
May 24, 2022

H. Questions, assistance, etc.

Email acecma@engineers.org or call Elizabeth Tyminski at 617-305-4127



2022 ACEC/MA ENTRY FORM Due October 4, 2021

Entry Type and Fee	Entry Form Deadline: October 4, 2021
☐ ACEC/MA Member firm \$500 ☐ Small firm (under 30), ACEC/MA member \$175 ☐ Non-member firm \$750 ☐ Small firm, non-member \$350	(enclose entry fee) No refund of entry fees after Oct. 5, 2021 Checks Payable to: ACEC/MA Visa Mastercard American Express
_	Card Number
Firm/Entry Information	Expiration Date
Firm Name (s)*	Name on Card
	Billing Address
ACEC/MA Member? (circle one) YES NO	CSV
	Signature
Principal of Project** (name, title, email)	Option 1 – Email this form to:
Project Manager** (name, title, email)	acecma@engineers.org
	Option 2 – Mail this form to:
Primary Marketing Contact** (name, title, email)	ACEC/MA The Engineering Center
Address	One Walnut Street
City/State/Zip	Boston, MA 02108-3616 Tel. 617.227.5551
Direct Phone	The ACEC/MA Engineering Excellence
Project Information	Awards Competition Recognizes
Project Name*	Engineering Achievements that
	Demonstrate the Highest Degree of
Project Location*	Merit and Ingenuity
Date of Completion	
Client's Name*	ACEC
Team Members	American Council of Engineering Companies of Massachusetts
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General Contractor	Designed by



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

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