



ACEC Young Professional Award Guidelines

This award is intended to recognize the accomplishments of our young professionals who have contributed to the engineering profession and impacted society.

1. **Name of Award:** ACEC Arkansas Young Professional Award
2. **Nominations:**
 - A nominee shall be employed at a member firm.
 - Nominations are due **Monday, April 22 at 5pm to info@arkansasengineers.org**.
 - All nominations must be completed and submitted electronically on the nomination form provided. Please submit all applications digitally to ACEC Arkansas at info@arkansasengineers.org.
 - Incomplete nomination forms may delay processing and not meet the deadline.
3. **Evaluation and Selection of Nominees:**
 - ✓ The evaluation of the nominees for the award will be made by the Young Professional Awards ACEC Arkansas Fellows.
 - ✓ The top vote will be announced as the Young Professional of the Year at the Annual ACEC Arkansas Award Lunch and Membership Meeting on May 22, 2024 in Central Arkansas.
4. **Criteria for Award:**
 - The nominees shall be employees of ACEC member firms.
 - The nominees shall be engineers 35 years of age or younger as of December 31, 2024.
 - The nominees shall be registered Professional Engineer (PE) or hold a professional license, designation, or certification in their field of expertise.
5. **Recognition:**
 - All finalists will be recognized in person at ACEC's Arkansas Annual Awards Luncheon and Membership Meeting on May 22, 2024 in Central Arkansas.
 - The Young Professional of the Year will be announced during the ACEC's Arkansas Annual Awards Luncheon and Membership Meeting. The winner will be automatically submitted for consideration of the ACEC National Young Professional of the Year.