



AWARD CATEGORIES AND CRITERIA 2019

LEARNER OF THE YEAR

CRITERIA

For those in full or part-time study at Propertymark Qualifications centres or those distance learning:

- Strong academic performance
- Improved/benefited from their studies for or towards the qualifications in terms of the learning programme/career progression
- Experienced hardship, disability, other personal adversity and/or overcame a specific challenge during thier study.

The *Learner of the Year* award is given in recognition of an individual who has both embraced their learning programme with passion and shown commitment to applying their newly acquired skills in either continuing studies or in an employment context.

DECISION MAKING

Nomination submitted via form and decided by judging panel against criteria.

Awarding body decision is final.

RISING STAR

CRITERIA

Learners who have been in the industry for up to three years or less:

- New to sector
- Positive attitude to learning and study
- Strong academic performance, making significant contribution to their employer.

This award recognises learners making their mark in the property industry; those who have delivered tangible benefits to their employer—and are recognised as future leaders.

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EMPLOYER CHAMPION OF THE YEAR

CRITERIA

For corporate and/or independent employers, this award recognises:

- Employers making learning and development key to their success
- Employers supporting the entry and professional development of their employees
- Outstanding steps taken by employers to involve their people, give them a voice in the organisation and develop an empowering culture, delivering tangible commercial and reputational benefits for the company.

The *Employer Champion of the Year* is an individual or business who has worked to ensure the business and its employees have the skills and knowledge required to carry out and take forward their roles. As important as supporting the business and its individual employees, the *Employer Champion of the Year* promotes and celebrates learning and development and is also committed to their own continued professional development.

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NOMINATIONS

OUR JUDGES WILL BE LOOKING FOR:

- Evidence of studies/achievement which has delivered real change/impact in the workplace/ career development of the individual
- How achievement of the qualification, or studies towards a qualification, has supported excellent networking at all levels, with colleagues and customers alike
- Mentorship of other learners / colleagues
- A demonstrable commitment to learning and development
- A true desire to continually improve their knowledge and skills either in the workplace or place of study

Please note: These criteria are for guidance only. You should feel free to interpret in a way you feel is relevant to your nomination. The key is to complete each of the fields as best you can to relate to your entry and not respond to the criteria exactly.