

UDC 2018 Project and Lift of the Year Awards

Entry Pack

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About the Awards

The Project of the Year has been run each year since 1996.

The award is easy to enter, and entry is free

What is the purpose of the award?

To recognise excellence and innovation in the New Zealand crane industry.

Who judges the award?

The award is judged by a panel appointed each year by the Council.

Who can enter?

The Project of the Year is open to all members of the Association.

When are the winners announced?

The awards will be presented at a gala dinner on the 20th July, 2018 at the Grand Millennium Hotel in Auckland

• Key Dates

- ENTRIES OPEN 1 April 2018
- ENTRIES CLOSE 1 June 2018
- FINALISTS NOTIFIED 1 July 2018
- GALA DINNER 20 July 2018

Project and Lift of the Year Criteria

Project of the Year

- **The Project of the Year has the following criteria:**
 - A series of lifts over a period of time to complete a single project or contract (day(s), month(s), years(s))
 - Consideration will be relative to the cranes used. (Tower Crane / Mobile Crane / Mini Crawler etc are all different and have different factors to consider.)

Lift of the Year

- **The Lift of the Year has the following criteria:**
 - A single lift using one or more cranes to complete the lift
 - (Mobile, Crawler, Non-slewing Articulated Crane, Truck Loader Crane, Tower Crane or Gantry Crane etc.)
 - Complexity and innovation will be considered before weight and size.

WHY ENTER

OPPORTUNITY FOR REFLECTION

The act of writing and submitting an entry is an opportunity to reflect on what has worked well over the last year or so, and the lessons learned. This process of critical analysis is valuable in evaluating your strengths and ongoing challenges.

PUBLIC RECOGNITION OF GOOD WORK

The successful Lifts of all finalists are acknowledged publicly at the gala dinner and further acknowledgment occurs as part of the post-awards media campaign.

ENGAGEMENT

Finalists and the winner have the opportunity to present their Lift to the conference delegates. All of the finalists will go into the Peoples Choice Award which will be chosen by the conference attendees.

NETWORKING AND LEARNING

Finalist or not, the gala dinner provides a great networking opportunity for people at all levels as we acknowledge the best in the crane sector.



HOW TO ENTER

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

The Project or Lift must be undertaken by a financial member of the Crane Association either alone or in conjunction with another company.

The job must have been completed between 1st April 2017 and 31st May 2018.

The job must be situated in New Zealand.

More than one project or lift may be entered by any one member. However, the judging panel reserves the right to limit the number of entries from any one member. The member company will then decide which entry(s) shall be withdrawn. The judging panels decision to limit the number of entries is final

HOW LONG SHOULD AN ENTRY BE?

Most entries should be able to be described in no more than three or four A4 pages

WHAT SHOULD BE INCLUDED?

Briefly describe the project or lift including:

- start and finish dates;
- Lift details including methods used
- What specific issues or problems did you face (Include the risks involved)?
- What, if any, planning and control issues were faced?
- What site conditions were faced?
- What solutions did you come up with for the problems?

WHAT IS THE ENTRY PROCESS

Entrants are encouraged to submit their entries in PDF format via email to Lift.2018@cranes.org.nz.

Each entry requires two documents:

- A completed entry form, and
- the entry itself.

If you have supporting evidence which cannot be sent via PDF (e.g. video or physical objects closely related to the entry) then please send via courier to:

Project and Lift of the Year 2018

21 Fitzherbert Terrace

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Wellington

Or via post to:

PO Box 12013

Wellington 6144

Any Further Questions?

Please contact us via email:

Lift.2017@cranes.org.nz

Or by phone

to Robyn at Ph: 04 473 3558

Entries close 1st June 2018

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- A correctly completed entry form is required to accompany each entry.
- Entries received after the closing date will not be accepted and will be returned unopened.
- The judges have complete discretion in determining finalists and winners. Their decision is final. No correspondence will be entered into.
- The assessment, conduct and results of the awards shall not create any legal obligations or duties between entrants and the Crane Association and any Awards sponsor.
- An award entry may be withdrawn from consideration only by the person who submitted it.
- All entries are regarded as confidential and will not be passed on to third parties.
- All category winners are expected to work with the Crane Association and Awards sponsors to help publicize their achievements, and agree to participate in publicity activities following the award presentations.
- The Crane Association is not responsible for any loss or damage to entries.
- An award does not constitute an endorsement by the Crane Association or any sponsor.

Project or Lift of the Year Entry Form

Your entry form should be no longer than 4 A4 pages in length. Please complete a separate entry form for each Lift entered.

DEADLINES

Entry closing date 1st June 2018

Finalists notified by 1st July 2018

Gala Award Dinner 20 July 2018

Company Name: _____

Project / Lift (circle which category)

Project/Lift Name _____

Project/Lift Location _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Please ensure that you have included/addressed each of the following in your submission:

- A completed entry form
- A submission no longer than four A4 pages. See the 'Entry Pack' to guide you with your submission and ensure your entry contains enough information to enable the judges to make a decision.
- Entries should be based on Lifts undertaken primarily in 2016.

SUBMITTING YOUR ENTRY

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QUESTIONS

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