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SUBJECT: 2016 Engineering and Construction HQUSACE Awards Nomination Requirements

APPLICABILITY: For Information

1. **Purpose.** This Engineering and Construction Bulletin (ECB) provides the references, suspense date, and links to eligibility criteria and submission requirements for all 2016 Awards Programs sponsored by the Engineering and Construction (E&C) Community of Practice (CoP).

2. **Applicability.** All E&C HQUSACE Awards have the same suspense date of 02 May 2016 for submission of nominations for HQUSACE review, unless otherwise stated by specific award requirements.

3. Awards Points of Contact

The following are all 2016 USACE E&C Awards with assigned points of contact (POC) and hyperlinks for eligibility, criteria, submission location, and submission requirements.

a. Chief of Engineers Awards of Excellence – Design & Environmental

POC: Brandon Tobias (brandon.r.tobias@usace.army.mil)

Website: <https://ceawards.erd.c.dren.mil/default.aspx>

(1) Award of Excellence

(2) Honor Awards

(3) Merit Awards

b. Elvin R. “Vald” Heiberg III Engineer of the Year Award

POC: Donna Smigel (donna.r.smigel@usace.army.mil)

Website: <https://apps.usace.army.mil/sites/TEN/Lists/awards/AllItems.aspx>

c. Dam Safety

POC: Barbara Schuelke (barbara.r.schuelke@usace.army.mil)

Website: <https://apps.usace.army.mil/sites/TEN/Lists/awards/AllItems.aspx>

(1) Tommy Schmidt Dam Safety Professional of the Year

(2) Dam Safety Award of Excellence (Team)

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d. Value Engineering

POC: Jeffery Hooghouse (jeffery.t.hooghouse@usace.army.mil)

Website: <https://veawards.ercd.dren.mil/>

(1) Value Engineering Professional of the Year

(2) DOD Value Engineering Achievement Award

e. Construction

POC: Donna Smigel (donna.r.smigel@usace.army.mil)

Website: <https://apps.usace.army.mil/sites/TEN/Lists/awards/AllItems.aspx>

(1) Hard Hat of the Year

(2) Construction Management Excellence

f. Cost Engineering

POC: Raymond Lynn (raymond.l.lynn@usace.army.mil)

Website: <https://apps.usace.army.mil/sites/TEN/Lists/awards/AllItems.aspx>

Cost Engineer of the Year

g. Architecture

POC: Brandon Tobias (brandon.r.tobias@usace.army.mil)

Website: <https://profawards.ercd.dren.mil>

(1) Architect of the Year

(2) Landscape Architect of the Year

(3) Interior Designer of the Year

h. Geotechnical

POC: Marty Goff (marty.goff@usace.army.mil)

Website: <https://apps.usace.army.mil/sites/TEN/Lists/awards/AllItems.aspx>

The Timothy Skeen Geotechnical Professional of the Year Award

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4. **Update.** All new requirements will be included in the next appropriate policy document update prior the expiration of this ECB.

5. **Point of Contact.** HQUSACE point of contact for this ECB is Brandon Tobias, CECW-CE, 202-761-0505. Contact the POCs noted above for specific award information.

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