



Annual Awards

Each year, PEO wishes to recognize two Oregon engineers nominated by their colleagues for their outstanding accomplishments and commitment to the profession, the community, and humankind. We encourage you to take the time to nominate fellow engineers for Oregon Professional Engineer of the Year and Oregon Young Engineer of the Year.

OREGON PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER OF THE YEAR

Nomination Process/Method of Selection

Nominations will be solicited from a variety of organizations employing engineers throughout the state. The nominator must be a licensed PE. The year 2022 is the first year in which PEO is reaching out beyond PEO for nominees and will endeavor to increase outreach in the future. Only one nomination per organization will be accepted. Current PEO officers and board members will recuse themselves from deliberations and voting if any are nominated.

- Nomination must include information regarding the individual's qualifications.
- In addition to the nomination, two (2) letters/emails of endorsement should be provided - one by a peer and the other by a supervisor (present or past).
- The PEO awards committee will contact you or the nominee with any additional questions. The nomination packet should be typed and shall be not more than 10 pages (8-1/2" x 11").
- Deadline for receiving a nomination is February 28. Nominations may be carried over to future years.
- Send nomination packet to the PEO office by email at peo@oregonengineers.org
- The award presentation will be made at the PEO Annual Conference held in May (date/location varies each year). In person attendance is encouraged by not required.

Qualifications for Award

Candidate must be:

- Either a resident of Oregon for the past five (5) years and a registered and license active Professional Engineer in Oregon OR
- Resident of Oregon for the past ten (10) years, license active Professional Engineer (PE) in a Western-Pacific Region state (including Alaska, Arizona, California, Guam, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Utah, Washington), and license inactive PE in Oregon
- And active in the Engineering Profession for at least fifteen (15) years

Award Criteria

The following criteria should be considered in the nomination for this award; please expound on the nominee's contributions and accomplishments as guided by this criteria and provide sufficient detail highlighting nominee's strengths and accomplishments to their best advantage. Award applications will be evaluated by the PEO Awards Committee and their recommendation will be considered and approved by the PEO Board in accordance with this criteria and the Evaluation Criteria, below:



- Outstanding professional achievements as an engineer. Factors to be considered in determining professional achievement should include:
 - Contributions to design and/or design methods (provide details)
 - Contributions through research (cite works).
 - Contributions as an educator (classroom instruction, promoting STEM careers, Science Fair participation, e.g. judge)
 - Contributions to technical literature either by technical paper presentation, peer reviewed publication, or technical book publication (cite works)
 - Success handling unusual construction problems (provide details)
 - Senior level management on large construction projects; handling emergencies or disasters (describe)
 - Consensus amongst peers that nominee is an outstanding performer in the nominee's chosen engineering field
 - Other prior honors bestowed

- 2. Contributions to advancement of Professional Engineering by:
 - Service to community on boards, advisory boards, non-sectarian organizations, humanitarian activities, etc. List positions held and details.
 - Service to the Professional Engineers of Oregon and/or other engineering technical societies. List positions held.

Evaluation Criteria

- Achievement and service to engineering profession – maximum 40 points
- Service to community and non-professional/community organizations – maximum 15 points
- Membership in technical and professional organizations – maximum 15 points
- Technical publication and contributions as an educator/mentor – maximum 15 points
- Prior honors and awards – maximum 10 points
- Special advisory assignments – maximum 5 points

Deadline and Submission

Nomination packets must be e-mailed no later than February 28th to peo@oregonengineers.org in the year for which the nomination applies. Nominations will not be carried forward to a subsequent year.

Award Presentation

The award will be presented at the PEO Annual Conference (usually conducted in May).



NOMINATION FOR OREGON PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER OF THE YEAR

Information about the Nominator

Name: _____

Organization/Company: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

I nominate the following Professional Engineer for Oregon Professional Engineer of the Year:

Information about the Nominee

Nominee Name: _____

Company: _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Year received engineering degree: _____

Year began practicing engineering: _____

Year received PE license: _____

State issuing PE license: Active or Inactive

Year received Oregon PE license: Active or Inactive

Year began Oregon residency: _____

Endorsement #1 by: _____

Contact info: _____



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Endorsement #2 by: _____

Contact info: _____

Evaluation Criteria – Provide the following information:

- Achievement and service to engineering profession – maximum 40 points

- Service to community and non-professional/community organizations – maximum 15 points

- Membership in technical and professional organizations – maximum 15 points

- Technical publication and contributions as an educator/mentor – maximum 15 points

- Prior honors and awards – maximum 10 points

- Special advisory assignments – maximum 5 points



OREGON YOUNG ENGINEER OF THE YEAR

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- Nomination must include information regarding the individual qualifications.
- In addition to the nomination, two (2) letters/emails of endorsement should be provided by supervisors (present and past).
- The awards committee will contact nominator with any additional questions. Nomination packet should be typed and not more than 6 pages (8-1/2" x 11").
- Deadline for receiving nomination is February 28. Nominations may be carried over to future years.
- Send nomination packet to the PEO office by email at peo@oregonengineers.org
- Award presentation will be made at the PEO Annual Conference held in May (date/location varies each year). In person attendance is encouraged by not required.

Qualifications for Award

Candidate must be:

- Resident of Oregon for past five (5) years
- Age 40 or less on Feb 28 in year of nomination
- Either Oregon EIT or license active Oregon Professional Engineer
- Active in the Engineering Profession for at least five (5) years
- Exception may be made for EIT older than 40 if acquired engineering degree before age 50.

Award Criteria

The following criteria should be considered in the nomination for this award; please expound on the nominee's contributions and accomplishments as guided by this criteria and provide sufficient detail such that nominee's strengths and accomplishments are highlighted to their best advantage. Award applications will be evaluated by the PEO Awards Committee and their recommendation will be approved by the PEO Board in accordance with this criteria and the Evaluation Criteria, below:

Outstanding professional achievements as an engineer, demonstrating advancement and abilities greater than their peers. Factors to be considered in determining professional achievement should include:

- Contributions to design and/or design methods (provide details)
- Contributions through research (cite works).
- Contributions as an educator (classroom instruction, promoting STEM careers, Science Fair participation, e.g. judge)
- Contributions to technical literature either by technical paper presentation or peer reviewed publication (cite works)



- Success handling unusual construction problems (provide details)
- Management of significant construction projects; handling emergencies or disasters (describe)
- Consensus amongst supervisors that nominee is an outstanding performer in the nominee's chosen engineering field

2. Contributions to advancement of Professional Engineering by:

- Service to the community on boards and/or non-sectarian organizations, humanitarian activities, etc. List positions held and details.
- Service to the Professional Engineers of Oregon and/or other engineering technical societies. List positions held.

Evaluation Criteria

- Achievement and service to engineering profession – maximum 50 points
- Demonstrated leadership attributes – maximum 15 points
- Membership in technical and professional organizations – maximum 15 points
- Service to community and non-professional/community organizations – maximum 10 points
- Technical publication and contributions as an educator/mentor – maximum 10 points

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Award Presentation

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NOMINATION FORM FOR OREGON PROFESSIONAL YOUNG ENGINEER OF THE YEAR

Information about the Nominator

Name: _____

Organization/Company: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

I nominate the following Professional Engineer for Oregon Professional Engineer of the Year:

Nominee Name: _____

Company: _____

Current position: _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Year received engineering degree: _____

Year began practicing engineering: _____

Year received Oregon EIT certificate: _____

Year received Oregon PE license: _____

Year began Oregon residence: _____

Endorsement #1 by: _____ Contact info: _____

Endorsement #2 by: _____ Contact info: _____

Evaluation Criteria – Please provide the following information:

- Achievement and service to engineering profession – maximum 50 points

- Demonstrated leadership attributes – maximum 15 points

- Membership in technical and professional organizations – maximum 15 points

- Service to community and non-professional/community organizations – maximum 10 points



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- Technical publication and contributions as an educator/mentor – maximum 10 points