

# **AEC SHOW ME AWARDS**

This award is dedicated to an owner, contractor or subcontractor. The SLC3 recognizes a company that highlights innovation in construction technology and evaluates how effectively the technology addresses challenges, enhances processes, and transforms the industry.

# "Innovation in Construction Technology"

Please complete the nomination form for this award below. This Form MUST accompany your submission.

### SUBMISSION INFORMATION

Name of Nominee	Organization	Phone/Email
Nominee Submitted by:	Company	Phone/Email

CRITERIA DEADLINE FOR ENTRY: MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 2025 @ NOON

Please provide the Awards Selection Committee with a response to the following criteria to be considered. Note, we will determine finalists, which will be announced prior to the event. Winner to be announced at the Awards Gala. Responses need to match the criteria. Provides examples and supporting information to criteria requests. All criteria is weighted and the highest-scoring submission will be the winner. Finalists will be announced and honored.

### Criteria:

### 1. Degree of Innovation (10)

- Originality: Introduces new or groundbreaking ideas, tools, or methodologies.
- Adaptation: Improves or repurposes existing technologies to better meet construction needs.
- Visionary Approach: Anticipates future trends and challenges in the construction industry.

#### 2. Impact on Project Performance (15)

- Efficiency Gains: Improves project delivery speed, reduces downtime, or streamlines operations.
- Cost Savings: Demonstrates significant reduction in project or operational costs.
- Quality Enhancement: Results in superior project outcomes with reduced errors or defects.

### 3. Scalability and Practicality (10)

- Broad Applicability: Has potential for adoption across various projects, sizes, or construction sectors.
- Ease of Implementation: Offers a user-friendly solution that minimizes disruption during adoption.
- Sustainability: Contributes to environmentally friendly practices, such as energy efficiency or waste reduction.

### 4. Measurable Results (15)

- Tangible Benefits: Provides clear, quantifiable outcomes (e.g., reduced rework, increased safety, or cost efficiency).
- Proven Track Record: Showcases successful case studies or projects where the technology made a difference.
- Benchmarking: Exceeds industry standards or benchmarks in performance or innovation.

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### 5. Safety and Risk Reduction (10)

- Enhanced Safety: Reduces jobsite hazards or improves worker safety.
- Predictive Capabilities: Leverages data to prevent issues, such as equipment failures or on-site
  accidents.

### 6. Collaboration and Integration (15)

- Cross-Team Collaboration: Promotes better communication and cooperation among stakeholders.
- Seamless Integration: Works effectively with existing systems and tools without requiring extensive modification.

### 8. Industry Leadership and Advocacy (15)

- Thought Leadership: Inspires others in the industry to innovate or adopt similar practices.
- Knowledge Sharing: Actively contributes to advancing technology adoption through workshops, publications, or forums.

### 9. Technology Adoption and Training (10)

- User Adoption: Ensures that the technology is accessible and embraced by workers at all levels.
- Education and Upskilling: Provides comprehensive training resources to maximize its potential.

### **Evaluation Process**

- Supporting Documentation: Require detailed examples of technology usage, including project reports, case studies, or testimonials.
- Panel Expertise: Involve judges with expertise in construction technology, project management, and innovation.
- Weighting System: Assign weights to criteria based on their relevance to the goals of the award.

### **Evaluation:**

### **Scoring and Evaluation Process**

Weighted Criteria: We will assign weight to each criterion based on its importance to our organization.

Panel Review: A diverse panel of judges representing different industry perspectives will be used to complete impartial evaluations. Highest score will win the award. Nominees will likely be finalists.

Award nominations <u>MUST</u> be submitted by <u>MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 2025</u>. Please submit your nomination form and response to <u>info@slc3.org</u>. For questions regarding this nomination or the event, call the SLC3 office at 636.394.6200. SPONSORSHIP: If interested in sponsoring this Award, please contact Lydia Meyer at <u>lydia@slc3.org</u>. Sponsorship is \$500 with sponsor recognition included on the invitation, program, and announced at the event.

By submitting this award nomination, you understand that we may list you as a finalist and will want to see you at our Awards Gala. All finalists and winners will be shared in all our communications and shared by partners of the SLC3. Our communications reach local owners, architects, engineers, consultants, program managers, construction managers, suppliers, labor unions etc.

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