

# TOMORROW'S Net Zero

## Tomorrows Net Zero Awards 2022 – Criteria

**CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS – 14 July 2022 @ 12:00 noon**

### Tomorrows' Net Zero Commercial Building

We invite applications for **Tomorrows' Net Zero Commercial Building** of the year.

This category recognises projects that provide high-quality workplace environments while pursuing Net-Zero strategies that ensure a reduction in energy use and carbon emissions, thereby impacting the effects of everyday work practices. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions -

- Is based in the UK
- Recently completed/ ongoing project delivery dating back to 12 months maximum
- Cover energy efficiency and carbon reduction strategies
- Innovation and application of technology
- How was the project instigated?
- What environmental and commercial benefits have resulted from the project?
- How has the project been received by stakeholders?

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Public Building

We invite applications for **Tomorrows' Net Zero Public Building** of the Year.

This category recognises buildings commissioned by public or local authorities and agencies that illustrates ambitious sustainability targets during both build and project lifespan.

- Is based in the UK
- Recently completed/ ongoing project delivery dating back to 12 months maximum
- Leads by example in the public sector zero carbon initiative arena
- Showcases a progressive attitude to working collaboratively in their respective community to drive positive change, with evidence-based achievements in their geographical area
- Procurement strategies built with sustainability targets in mind
- Cover energy efficiency and carbon reduction strategies
- Working towards net zero goals throughout building lifespan

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Industrial Building

We invite applications for **Tomorrows' Net Zero Industrial Building** of the Year.

This category recognises the role industrial buildings can play in meeting Net-Zero targets and ensuring the country's collective carbon footprint is reduced – ranging from spaces of sheds, logistics and warehouses. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions -

- Is based in the UK
- Recently completed/ ongoing project delivery dating back to 12 months maximum
- How were your net zero targets set and how have you ensured that they are credible and ambitious?
- How has the business taken steps to curb its environmental impact?
- How has it embraced green best practices?
- How is it supporting the wider net zero transition?

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero PRS Project

We invite applications for **Tomorrows' Net Zero PRS Project** of the Year.

This award is for a project under the PRS umbrella that has placed sustainability at the heart of its design and development. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions:

- Is based in the UK
- Recently completed/ ongoing project delivery dating back to 12 months maximum
- Cover energy efficiency and carbon reduction strategies
- Innovation and application of technology
- How was the project instigated?
- What environmental and commercial benefits have resulted from the project?
- Working towards net zero goals throughout building lifespan

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Housing Development

We invite applications for **Tomorrows' Net Zero Housing Development** of the Year.

This is for multi-unit residential projects that aims to reimagine the sustainable credentials of the typical housing estate – a type of development often associated with promoting biodiversity,

active integrated transport and energy infrastructure but which also holds a significant capacity for change and innovation. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions -

- Is based in the UK
- Recently completed/ ongoing project delivery dating back to 12 months maximum
- Cover energy efficiency and carbon reduction strategies
- Innovation and application of technology
- How was the development project instigated?
- What environmental and commercial benefits have resulted from the project?
- Working towards net zero goals throughout building lifespan

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Active Travel Infrastructure Project

We invite applications for **Tomorrows' Net Zero Active Travel Infrastructure Project** of the Year.

This category recognises projects which adopt Net-Zero strategies at the infrastructural scale, utilising both technical knowledge and innovating thinking in the design of those infrastructures which underpin and serve the wider built environment. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions -

- Is based in the UK
- Recently completed/ ongoing project delivery dating back to 12 months maximum
- What did the project entail and how was it delivered?
- What environmental benefits have resulted from the project?
- What challenges did the project have to overcome?

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Retrofit Project

We invite applications for **Tomorrows' Net Zero Retrofit Project** of the Year.

This category recognises and celebrates the retrofit of a building that most effectively demonstrates high levels of user satisfaction and comfort while delivering outstanding measured building performance. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions –

- Is a UK based project
- Recently completed/ ongoing project delivery dating back to 12 months maximum
- Adoption of the key principles and practices of PAS 2035
- Successful implantation of a PAS 2035 approach:
- Customer engagement

- Retrofit installation, commissioning, and handover
- Working towards net zero goals throughout building lifespan

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Design Practice

We invite applications for **Tomorrows' Net Zero Design Practice** of the Year

This category recognises the design team that pushes the principles of sustainable design throughout their work, whether in pursuing new research, exploring contemporary innovations, or leading in best practice. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions –

- Is a practice based in the UK
- Examples and evidence supplied to be within the 12 month period
- How has the practice helped its clients curb their environmental impacts and transition towards greener project credentials?
- What examples can the practice provide of successful projects that have enhanced environmental and commercial performance?
- How has the practice innovated to drive forward the development of the green economy?
- How is the practice working towards net zero?

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Consultant of the Year

We invite applications for **Net Zero Consultant of the Year**

This category will be awarded to a consultant firm working in the built environment that can demonstrate a leading approach to advising clients on delivering a carbon-free future. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions –

- Is based in the UK
- Examples and evidence supplied to be within the 12 month period
- How has the consultancy helped its clients curb their environmental impacts and transition towards cleaner business models?
- What examples can the consultancy provide of successful projects that have enhanced environmental and commercial performance?
- How is the consultancy working towards achieving net zero?

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Developer of the Year

We invite applications for **Net Zero Initiative of the Year**

This award is for recognising developers that are leading the real estate industry with their landmark schemes, embarked on innovative joint ventures, or pioneered new ideas that have changed the face of property development in the UK. Putting their key focus on achieving net zero, backed by evidential data which deserves to be celebrated. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions –

- Is based in the UK
- Examples and evidence supplied to be within the 12 month period
- How were your net zero targets set and how have they ensured the goals are credible and ambitious?
- How was the wider net zero initiative developed?
- How are progress against the targets being monitored?
- How does the initiative support the economy-wide net zero emissions goal?

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Rising Star of the Year

We invite nominations/applications for **Net Zero Rising Star of the Year**

This award looks to reward and acknowledge those early on in their career who are at the forefront of positive legacy and change across the industry. Someone who showcases positive personal characteristics and a key influencer of younger generation in their field. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions –

- Is based in the UK
- Examples and evidence supplied to be within the 12 month period
- What does the nominee's/applicant's role entail and how have they gone about delivering on it over the past 12 months?
- What successes have they enjoyed in their role?
- How have they worked with colleagues and partners to deliver on their green goals?
- How have they supported the development of the organisation's net zero goal?
- What can others learn from their work?

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### Tomorrows' Net Zero Leader of the Year - Individual

We invite nominations/applications for **Net Zero Leader of the Year – Individual**

This special award recognises outstanding individual performances when it comes to decarbonising business. The award celebrates the in-house energy and carbon leaders, managers and practitioners who are accelerating progress towards net-zero emissions. The judging panel will look for the following examples and criteria when assessing submissions –

- Is based in the UK
- Examples and evidence supplied to be within the 12 month period
- What successes has the candidate enjoyed?
- How have they helped to advance the green economy and the net zero transition?
- What evidence can they provide of them leading their organisation towards net zero goals?
- How has the candidate worked with colleagues and partners to develop the organisation's net zero goal?

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