

ACR Young Resource Leader Award

Nomination process and criteria

Resource industries are the life blood of the Alberta and Canadian economy. At the Alberta Chamber of Resources, we are immensely proud of the effort companies, communities and individuals make every day to responsibly research, innovate, develop, process, transport, market, and support our natural resources. The ACR believes in celebrating these contributions to our economy, environment and communities through annual awards that showcase the important collaborative work done to advance responsible development.

Key to the positive future of our industry are the young leaders across the value chain of the natural resources industry who are advancing the technology, standards, skills, science, and communication necessary for our industries to thrive in an ever changing environment.

Member companies are invited to nominate a young leader (40 or under as of December 31, 2020) that has significantly contributed or advanced responsible development of our resources. A panel of ACR Board of Directors will review all nominations received, ensure they meet the intent of the award, and select an appropriate recipient(s).

Eligibility criteria:

- A young leader (40 or under as of December 31, 2020) that has positively contributed to the advancement of responsible development of any of Alberta's natural resources
- Actions have provided social, economic, technological, community, innovation, environmental, mentorship or other benefits to the sector
- Nominees may not be an employee or contractor with the ACR and/or associated with a member of the judges panel
- Nominees must be willing to attend (virtually) the February 2021 awards celebration

Award criteria:

The judges panel will consider the action and achievement of the nominees based on their contributions and leadership in one or more of the following areas:

- Advancing efforts to promote new and/or innovative processes and technologies within their company/industry
- Acting as a role model/mentor for peers and colleagues within their company/industry
- Acting as an ambassador for the natural resource sector
- Supporting ESG improvements in the natural resources sector
- Supporting diversity of perspectives and encouraging an inclusive environment in the sector

Nomination process & form:

Members interested in submitting a nomination should complete the following nomination form and email it to communications@acr-alberta.com. The deadline to submit a nomination is Friday, January 15th, 2021.

1. Nominator Information

- Name
- Company or organization affiliation
- Contact information:
 - Email
 - Phone#
 - Mailing address

2. Nominee Information

- Name
- Company or organization affiliation
- Name of specific project or activity (if applicable)
- Contact information
 - Email
 - Phone#
 - Mailing address

3. Provide a maximum of three pages that outline the reasoning behind your nomination and how the nominee has met the Young Leader Award criteria. The following may be included in the outline:

- History of involvement in the natural resource sector
- Details of any specific projects or activities that should be considered
- Outline list of groups, committees, collaborations, or other activities involved
- How this individual has advanced the responsible development of Alberta's natural resources

For any additional information or questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to:

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