



2020 ISSA President's Award for Excellence

The ISSA President's Award was established in 2000 to recognize those contracting achievements that best exemplify the highest quality of workmanship and materials, and conformance to best practices as defined by the International Slurry Surfacing Association.

Eligible Participants

All ISSA member contractors in good standing are eligible.

Eligible Projects

To be eligible for the ISSA President's Award, the project must have been completed:

- And accepted by the project owner within 24 months of the Award submission deadline date;
- On time, within budget and with NO safety issues; and
- Without the use of subcontractors to perform preservation techniques represented by ISSA.

Submissions

Applicant must provide the details below in PowerPoint presentation format by email or in ONE file on a USB flash drive. Name the file according to this format: 2020 Company Name – Project Name

- Name and business address of the ISSA Member contracting company and contact information for the person submitting the application.
- Information that assures each of the eligibility requirements are met.
- Regarding the roadway upon which the treatment(s) is performed:
 - the name of the roadway and/or its numerical designation
 - contact information for the agency or organization responsible for the project
 - the specific location of the project
 - a map or driving directions to the project site
 - a written description of the roadway outlining the need for the treatment(s)
 - relevant information on the roadway (such as the construction and maintenance history, ADT or traffic type and volume)
- At least 5 but no more than 10 high quality photographs, suitable for publication, adequately representing the pavement prior to the treatment(s) being applied, the application process, and the completed project after it has been returned to traffic. If more than one ISSA discipline is performed on the project, submit a set of photographs meeting the above requirements for each treatment.

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- Relevant information such as:
 - a copy of the mix design used on the project;
 - a copy of the specifications used to govern the project, including design and raw materials; and
 - a list of raw materials and the suppliers of those materials
- A descriptive summary of the project detailing the job and any key issues that led to the job's completion is required.
- A statement outlining the reasons the submitted project should receive an award.
- Complete contact details for the appropriate agency personnel (mayor, public works director, etc.), editor of newspaper of the community where the project was completed, to those same offices of the community where the contractor maintains its corporate headquarters, and to the head of the hiring body that commissioned the project.

Judging Criteria

Submissions will be judged on the following:

- Customer Satisfaction - The customer must be satisfied with the project. Statements from a representative of the project owner are suggested.
- Innovation - Projects that exhibit innovation related to the application or utilization of an ISSA-supported discipline, and projects that are unique, difficult or require higher levels of professionalism to complete **will be given greater consideration.**
- Appearance – The aesthetic value of the project will be considered to be directly related to the quality, care and workmanship of the applicant.
- Safety – To the extent that can reasonably be expected to control, employees of the contracting company, the traveling public and others associated with the project should be provided a safe environment on the project site and all related areas such as stockpile or staging sites. Documentation to this effect is to be included.
- Submission Requirements – Each of the items outlined in the submission section are important. The quality of this information including the method in which it is presented will be evaluated.

Judging

- The ISSA President will appoint a 5-member Judging Committee, at least one member of which must be a current member of the ISSA Board of Directors, at least one member of which must be a representative of an ISSA Contracting Member, and at least one member of which must be a licensed Civil Engineer or an individual whose knowledge of the roadway industry is considered expert.
- The ISSA President will identify a Chair of the Judging Committee whose responsibility will include communication with the selection committee and ISSA Executive Director regarding the operation of the judging process and the disposition of the committee's decision.
- Judging is made **solely** on the criteria outlined in this document.
- The decision of the Judging Committee is final.
- The award(s) will be presented at the 2020 ISSA Annual Convention.

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Deadline

Completed entries meeting all requirements must be in the possession of ISSA no later than **November 30, 2019**.

- Submit via email to ISSA Executive Director Kristi Olson at kristio@cmservices.com.
- OR, submit ONE USB flash drive to ISSA at the address below.

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ATTN: Awards Committee

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