

Each year, BSCES presents awards to deserving members and individuals in the community who are nominated by their peers in recognition of their service. Here is your opportunity to nominate a co-worker, friend, or someone who you think deserves special recognition. Please see the following awards descriptions and nomination instructions. Awards reserved for BSCES members are noted as such.

The Nominations Deadline is **Friday, April 10, 2026**. The Awards Committee will review all nominations and present a list of candidates for selection by the Board of Government. Awards will be presented at the 177th BSCES Annual Awards Celebration.

I would like to nominate _____

For the:

CITIZEN ENGINEER AWARD: This award is presented to a BSCES member or registered professional engineer for outstanding public involvement in local or national legislation, education (at any level), non-profit volunteer organizations, community activities, or similar activities improving the image of ASCE, BSCES and the civil engineering profession.

CLEMENS HERSCHEL AWARD: This award recognizes an individual who has published a paper, not necessarily published in the BSCES Journal, that has been useful, commendable, and worthy of grateful acknowledgment. If nominating for the Clemens Herschel Award, please attach the name of the paper and names of all authors, if co-authored.

COLLEGE EDUCATOR AWARD: This award is presented to a member of the academic community who inspires and encourages civil engineering students through exceptional teaching and mentorship. Educators empower students to realize full potential and exemplify the profession in their classroom. Candidates shall be actively teaching in a classroom setting at a college or university in New England.

ENGINEER OF THE YEAR AWARD: This award is presented to a BSCES member, with 15 years or more professional experience, who has exhibited extraordinary leadership in the form of managerial leadership, technical excellence, professional integrity, and mentorship of other engineers.

GOVERNMENT CIVIL ENGINEER AWARD: This award is presented to a BSCES member or registered professional engineer who is serving as a paid public sector engineer at a federal, state, or municipal agency, department, or authority in Massachusetts.

HORNE/GAYNOR PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD: This award is presented to a BSCES member or registered professional engineer for unpaid public service in a municipal, state, or federal-elected or appointed post for philanthropic activities in the public interest.

JOURNALISM AWARD: This award is presented to a journalist or other author who has published one or more articles, papers, books, social media blogs, or films for a non-technical audience that raises awareness of the contributions of the civil engineering profession.

PRE-COLLEGE EDUCATOR AWARD: This award is presented to a member of the K-12 educational community who integrates engineering topics, particularly civil engineering, in a manner that benefits the profession and may promote students to pursue an engineering career. The Public Awareness & Outreach Committee reviews these nominations and recommends the recipient to the Board.

CHARLES A. STONE AND EDWIN S. WEBSTER PROJECT OF THE YEAR AWARD: This award is presented to a BSCES member and their project team who has served in a major role on an innovative, challenging, unique, and/or complex project located in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The majority of the work should have been completed by engineers located within Massachusetts.

YOUNGER MEMBER AWARD: This award is intended to recognize a BSCES member, 35 years of age or younger on February 1 in the year of the award, who has made an outstanding contribution to BSCES and/or the civil engineering profession.

To submit a nomination, complete this form and return it by the nomination deadline via email to bsces@engineers.org.

Name and Company Address of Nominee(s)*:

Is this a re-nomination? Yes _____ No _____

***Please attach a brief (no more than one page) explanation of the candidate's qualifications for nomination.**

Your Name: _____ Daytime Telephone: _____ Email: _____

NOTE: If you nominated someone last year who was not selected, you may re-nominate the individual(s).

QUESTIONS: Contact BSCES Awards Committee Chair Liz Clark at bsces@engineers.org.