

HEALTH SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENT DIVISION

Health Safety and Environment Division Medal

APPLICATIONS CLOSE: MIDNIGHT ON 30 JUNE (EACH YEAR)

The Division Medal recognises personal commitment and leadership by a Health and Safety Professional or Chemist working in a team or individually in the area of health, safety and environment. Applicants must demonstrate outstanding leadership and/or commitment to safety and/or the environment.

To be awarded the medal, the project, research, or activities must include outcomes that have impacted upon members of the public, industry, government, academic institutes and or be recognised as a significant contribution to the science of health safety and environment.

- Nominations may be an individual or a team.
- Applicants may be nominated or self-nominated.
- All nominations must provide details of two RACI members to act as referees. The referees must have knowledge of the candidate's work.
- Candidates must be RACI members for at least two years standing and be a resident in Australia when nominated.

In the case of the nomination of a team, then at least one member of the team must be a RACI member for at least two years standing.

Applications will be assessed against the following criteria:

- Overall contribution to Health Safety and Environment in Australia over the **past three years**.
- Demonstration of outcomes may include research, teaching, policy development in academia, education, industry, or government roles.
- Demonstration of outcomes may include service to the RACI in active contributions to the standing of the RACI through conferences, seminars and other education and advice roles.
- Demonstration of outcomes includes roles in science communication via the promotion of health safety and environment in Australia.
- Demonstrates a practical application of current theoretical concept.

The nominations must be made using the attached nomination/application form.

The Standing Committee will appoint a sub-committee to consider the nominations and make recommendations regarding the award. It is expected that applications will be able to address each of the above criteria to a minimum standard. No award shall be made if the Standing Committee considers there is no candidate of sufficient merit.

The medal will be accompanied by a certificate - which summarises the recipient's contribution to science, industry or the health and safety profession as recognised by the Standing Committee.

Nominations should be emailed to the Chair of the Health Safety and Environment Division by **30 June (every year)** using the attached application form. HSE.div@raci.org.au.

If you have any questions, please email: HSE.div@raci.org.au.

Past Recipients

2020 — Ms Lisa Stevens

2019 — Mr Jeffery Simpson

2018 — Dr Jeff Davis