



2011 Canberra and Capital Region Tourism Awards: Category questions 29. YOUNG ACHIEVER AWARD

This award recognises an individual, 30 years of age or under, involved in the tourism industry and their contribution to the development of a vibrant and professional tourism industry.

Important notes:

- *Nominations are acceptable from any party except the nominee (this can include employers, lecturers, tutors, colleagues, etc).*
- *Nomination for the Awards can be known or unknown to the nominee.*
- *The Award is open to those working and/or studying in the tourism industry.*
- *The answer to each question must be no more than 500 words.*
- *The nominee's resume and a minimum of two letters of support need to be included with the submission.*
- *This category is awarded at the ACT level only and the recipient will not proceed to the Qantas Australian Tourism Awards.*
- *Nominees must be available to attend the Gala Dinner and cover their own expenses.*
- *This category does not incur an entry fee.*
- *Nominees may be asked to attend a 30 minute interview (in person or by phone) during the judging process.*

Tip for all questions:

- *Prior to using an acronym, please state the phrase or name in full followed by the acronym in brackets.*

Question Scoring:

- *The points in brackets reflect what each question is worth.*

Nominations are required to address the following criteria:

Question 1. Overview of the nominee (10 points)

Provide a brief overview of the nominee, highlighting their outstanding attributes. Include a brief history of their career in tourism and their current employment. Please provide some documentation which verifies the nominees age (entrants must be aged 30 years or under as at the closing of submissions on Tuesday 18 October).

Question 2. Industry leadership, performance and commitment (20 points)

Outline specific examples of the nominees "beyond the call of duty" teamwork, participation and leadership qualities, and how they have potential to be a future leader in the tourism industry.

Question 3. Benefits to the industry and success (20 points)

Outline the nominee's degree of personal involvement in the tourism industry, and the success and long-term benefits resulting from that involvement. Describe how they have participated in wider tourism activities such as volunteer or unpaid positions.

Total score: 50 points.
