Candidate Criteria Guidance

Please note that throughout the nomination, the awarding Committee welcomes evidence of the impact made by the candidate.

IET Achievement Medals
Senior Engineering and Technology Professionals

Nomination statement – no more than 350 words
The statement should indicate the impact that the nominee has made to the profession and show evidence of why the candidate would be a worthy winner of a Medal and give reasons for why you are nominating him/her. It should include evidence of influence delivered both to society and to the profession by the candidate, with reference to their work as engineer, technologist, technical leader, technical manager or academic, as appropriate. The information you provide must be factual and accessible for verification through creditable internet publication or by referees of professional standing. As members of committees reviewing the citations may not themselves be experts in the fields of achievements concerned, please explain in plain English why the candidate deserves to be recognised by an IET Achievement Medal. If you are nominating a volunteer for an Achievement Medal, please describe the candidate’s volunteering activities and how these have contributed to the IET.

Young Professional Achievement Awards
Early Career Engineering and Technology Professionals (under 35 years old)

Nomination statement – no more than 350 words
Please ensure you include a description of how the candidate has demonstrated excellence in industry or significant progress in their career either over three years or more (Mike Sargeant Medal) or within the last three years (Sir Henry Royce Medal). If you are nominating a candidate for the Paul Fletcher Medal, please describe the candidate’s volunteering activities and how these have contributed to the IET. This should be based on factual information that can be easily assessed and verified by the committee members (for example information available on credible internet sources such as international news/society websites, research articles, etc). You could also describe instances where the candidate has:

- Demonstrated technological excellence when undertaking an engineering project;
- Excelled in the leadership of a team or shown outstanding individual effort as part of a team. Is an outstanding role model;
- Demonstrated exceptional commitment and has been particularly active in promoting the engineering and technology professions;
- Made a significant impact on the profession.

Achievement
This section should indicate a significant achievement that the nominee has made to indicate why they would be a worthy winner of a Medal.

General
We welcome nominations for all of the IET Medals for women and men from around the world. You do not need to be an IET Member to nominate or be nominated, with the exception that
candidates for the Paul Fletcher Medal for Young Professionals are required to be volunteer members of the IET.

Word limits

Please note the word limits are 350 words for the nomination statement and 50 words for the achievement. They can be prepared in Microsoft Word and copied and pasted into the online form.

Queries

Please contact awards@theiet.org