

Terms & Conditions

General

- 1. The closing date for entries is 15 August 2022, 9 pm IST. Please ensure you complete your entries by this date.
- 2. Before beginning to fill up the nomination, read through the 'The Sustainability Practitioners Award guidelines. This will help you to be prepared with all the inputs required while filling up the nomination form.
- 3. All nominations will be charged a non-refundable administrative fee (INR). The fees per nomination types are,
 - a. Company Nomination: Rs 7500/- plus GST @18% (Rs1350/-). Total payable Rs 8850/https://rzp.io/I/ESGawardsCompany. This is payable at the time of nomination.
 - b. Individual Nomination: Rs 3000/- plus GST @18% (Rs540/-). Total payable Rs 3540/https://rzp.io/I/ESGawardsIndividual. This is payable ONLY if the nomination has been shortlisted post initial screening.
 - c. Student Nomination: Rs 2200/- plus GST @18% (Rs396/-). Total payable Rs 2596/-<u>https://rzp.io/I/ESGawardsStudent</u> This is payable ONLY if the nomination has been shortlisted post initial screening.
- 4. Please complete all sections of the form. Entries that are incomplete or exceed the stated word limits will not be accepted.
- 5. For company nominations, we ask all entrants to supply at least one company logo. Please supply this in JPEG or PDF format and upload it with your entry under 2MB. Kindly provide them when we connect with you for the same.
- 6. For Individual nominations, we ask for one photograph and 200 words brief introduction. Kindly provide them when we connect with you for the same.
- 7. All completed entries will be acknowledged online after the administrative fee payment has been made.
- 8. The Sustainability Practitioners nor its affiliates accept any responsibility for loss or damage of any entry.
- 9. We reserve the right to shorten entry titles for the purpose of the awards brochure and winners' trophies. Please try and keep your entry title concise and to the point.
- 10. We may publish your entries on our website or in our communication through electronic media or otherwise, without seeking approval.
- 11. We reserve the right to extend the closing deadline, amend categories or not award categories should the standard of entries received not reach the required standard.



- 12. For queries and clarifications please contact us via email. Mail us at response@thesustainabiitypractitioners.com.
- 13. We reserve the right to modify the terms and condition, based on the assessment made by us.
- 14. All efforts will be made to treat and to keep the information in the nomination secure.
- 15. If your payment is successful, you will receive an automatic email confirmation to the email address you specified when placing your entry
- 16. Full payment for nomination is required to be made for the nomination to be valid. Payments must be made by the date and time of the nomination deadline. Non receipt of the payment could result in your entry being invalid and not judged.
- 17. The payments are not transferable and non-refundable.
- 18. The fees include GST.
- 19. The judges' decision is final, and no correspondence or discussion will be entered, or feedback given regarding the selection of shortlisted nominations or winners.
- 20. Shortlisted nominations will be contacted by email (on the address provided in the nomination).
- 21. In the interest of transparency, judges will not judge categories they have entered.
- 22. Judges will not allow personal relationships or experiences to influence judging marks or decisions and their judging will be impartial and based on the standard of the nomination.
- 23. Judges will declare any perceived conflict of interest to us ahead of reading any nominations.
- 24. All judging discussions are confidential and will not be shared or discussed with anyone outside of the judging panel.
- 25. Judges will not share confidential material, judging papers or entries with anyone. Judges will securely delete all judging materials immediately after the judging period.
- 26. Judges can only access nominations that they have been provided to score.
- 27. Judges will not provide any feedback to entrants as to why they have not won or were not shortlisted.
- 28. Force Majeure: We will not be liable for any failure or delay in performing their obligations where such failure or delay results from any cause that is beyond our reasonable control. Such causes include, but are not limited to: power failure, Internet Service Provider failure, acts of God, epidemic, pandemic, civil unrest, fire, flood, droughts, storms, earthquakes, collapse of buildings, explosion or accident, acts of terrorism, acts of war, governmental action, any law or any action taken by a government or public authority, including without limitation imposing an export or import restriction, quota or prohibition, or any other event that is beyond the control of the party in question.
- 29. Force Majeure: Where an event can be postponed, it will be taken into account and any investment already made will be transferred to the new date. The event will be conducted virtual online.
- 30. Unauthorised recording of the event is prohibited.
- 31. If the event is postponed due to unforeseen circumstances, any entries, tickets or sponsorship bookings will be transferred to the rescheduled event later in the year.