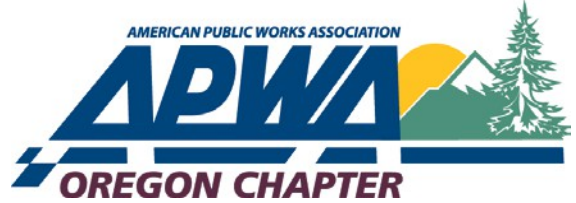


Young Leader Award



Purpose:

To recognize and encourage young APWA members who have demonstrated an initial commitment to the profession and the association and show potential for future growth within the association. The award promotes the concept that length of career does not necessarily indicate leadership abilities or potential for service.

Eligibility:

Candidates must be active members of APWA for five consecutive years and not exceed 35 years of age as of the deadline for the award nomination. The candidates must have demonstrated an ability and eagerness to act at the Chapter level by serving on committees or as an officer, heading projects, or contributing in general to the well-being of the chapter.

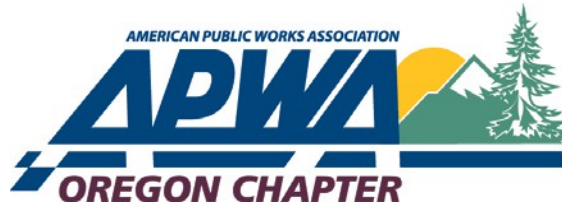
The candidate should have also accomplished one or more of the following:

- Contributed in some significant manner to his/her public agency or company by implementing new ideas, overcoming problems, controlling costs, etc.
- Helped to advance the cause of the public works profession either with leadership commitments to significant community projects, or as an advocate for public works issues at the legislative level in local, state, or federal governments.
- Demonstrated an ongoing commitment to continuing education in the public works field [i.e., related educational degree(s), attendance at workshops, seminars, or CEU credits, etc.].

Selection:

A committee will review nominations and determine whether a candidate is eligible for recognition. Awards are presented at Spring Conferences.

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NOMINATION FORM

Candidate's Name: _____ Position/Title: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Birth Date: _____ (Must not exceed 35 years of age by deadline.)

Employer: _____

Employer Address: _____

Examples of candidate's professional work, community contributions, personal awards, and continuing education (1,000 character limit; if additional room is needed, please provide in a separate document submitted with the application):

Please submit digital photo of candidate with application as well as any supporting documentation.

APPLICATION SUBMITTAL: Return completed form to the recipient identified on the Oregon Chapter APWA web page at <https://oregon.apwa.org/resources/awards/young-leader-award/>.

Nominations can be submitted anytime during the year. To be recognized at the current year's Fall Conference, please have nominations submitted (postmarked) no later than **January 31st**. Nominations submitted after that date may not be recognized until the following year.