

BOWEN BASIN MINING CLUB PRESENTS

# Queensland Mining *Awards 2024*

# ENTRY PACK

*24th July 2024*

*Mackay Entertainment & Convention Centre*



# Queensland Mining Awards 2024

The Bowen Basin Mining Club, in partnership with the Queensland Resources Council, is proud to present the Queensland Mining Awards, now in their 10th year of celebrating industry excellence.

As a supplier, contractor or producer in Queensland's highly competitive mining industry, you're familiar with the levels of excellence demanded on a day-to-day basis.

We invite you to formalise that excellence by entering the 2024 Queensland Mining Awards, to be recognised by your peers in our uniquely transparent peer-judging process. Your entry will be reviewed by leaders in the industry with experience on-site and in the C-suite. Our eight categories will once again highlight the industry's best, from safety to productivity, collaboration and importantly, environmental and community/staff initiatives.

A finalist or winner spot in the Queensland Mining Awards means that you're recognised for your innovation, forward-thinking and willingness to help our industry continue to set global standards in mining and resources production.

Don't miss this opportunity for recognition. Join us as an entrant in the 2024 Awards, and join us at our Gala Dinner during QME 2024 on Wednesday 24 July 2024 in the heart of the Bowen Basin. We can't wait to celebrate with you.

## Why Enter

Queensland is home to some of the world's largest mining operations. A key component of the Awards is to showcase industry excellence and to demonstrate that international benchmarks for mining are being achieved and set, right here in the Sunshine State.

The Awards will highlight companies who deliver innovative solutions, best practice and value for money, as well as those who are taking environmental and community outcomes to new levels.

Entering the Awards provides an opportunity for your company to:

- Showcase an innovative approach to a project.
- Be recognised for productivity and project excellence.
- Be recognised as a dynamic company, able to adapt to market conditions.
- Position as a leading and competitive producer, contractor or supplier.
- Improve brand awareness and industry representation.
- Build your business profile and connect with industry peers, decision makers and industry networks.



# How to Enter

Entries will open on 15 January 2024. Click 'Enter Awards' at the Queensland Mining Awards website - [qldminingawards.com](http://qldminingawards.com), and follow the guides to prepare and upload your entry.

Entrants can log on or create an account on the Awards Judgify platform, then upload their entry or entries directly to the platform, including any supporting materials. Most criteria will have an associated word count. You will be able to save and return to entries prior to completing and submitting.

Each individual entry will cost \$400 (excluding GST) which entitles the company to all Entrant Benefits, including one ticket to the Gala Presentation Dinner.

Exhibitors at the Queensland Mining and Engineering Exhibition (QME) and not-for-profit organisations will not be required to pay an entry fee; however, their entries will not include a ticket to the Gala Presentation Dinner.

Additional tickets to the dinner will be available for purchase on the Queensland Mining Awards website - [qldminingawards.com](http://qldminingawards.com)

**Entries close at 5.00pm on Friday 26 April 2024.**

## Key Dates

### ENTRIES OPEN

Monday 15 January 2024

### AWARDS DINNER TICKETS ON SALE

Monday 25 March 2024

### ENTRIES CLOSE

Friday 26 April 2024

### FINALISTS ANNOUNCED

Friday 14 June 2024

### GALA AWARDS PRESENTATION DINNER

Wednesday 24 July 2024

# Entry Selection Criteria

Eligible projects/initiatives must have been undertaken in Queensland between April 2022 and April 2024. Any size company is eligible to enter, including businesses headquartered outside Queensland or with global operations and a Queensland footprint.

Note: Projects that are partially completed or ongoing may still be eligible. The entry must be able to demonstrate significant and quantifiable milestone achievements during the entry timeframe. Eligibility of these entries will be assessed on a case-by-case basis.

Entries will be judged on their:

- Methodology
- Innovation
- Outcomes
- Entry quality
- Executive Summary
- Project Scope

## Judging

Award winners will be subject to the decision of the independent judging panel, which includes experienced industry representatives from all facets of management and leadership across the minerals and resources sector.

Entrants must provide sufficient information to soundly demonstrate that all selection criteria have been met, and to facilitate a fair comparison in the judging process. The entry forms clearly outline where additional evidence is required to support an entry. Entries will be assessed using a peer-reviewed judging matrix.

Referees must be provided for each entry and may be called upon to cross-check the information provided in your entry.

Please note that the judging panel's selection of finalists and winners in each category is final, and no correspondence will be entered into.



# Award Categories

*OPEN TO CONTRACTORS  
OR SUPPLIERS*

## PRODUCTIVITY

Have you saved time or cost for a client, through an innovation or new process? Your project should demonstrate continuous improvement and integration.

## INNOVATION - METS

Did you take a new approach to a project? This could be a new concept, technology or innovative process – we're looking for outcomes of increased operational efficiency or improved project delivery.

## BEST NEW PRODUCT

Have you launched a new product over the last two years? Tell the industry why it's a game-changer.

*OPEN TO MINING COMPANIES ONLY*

## INNOVATION - MINER

Did your team approach a project differently, or implement a new technology or process that's had amazing results? We want to hear your stories of increased operational efficiency or improved project delivery.

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OR MINING COMPANIES*

## ENVIRONMENT

What's your innovative or new approach to environmental protection, rehabilitation or net zero commitments? With environmental credibility more important now than ever, this is your opportunity to be recognised.

## COLLABORATION

Mining companies, suppliers and contractors produce outstanding work, and it sometimes takes a diverse team to make this happen. Tell us how you worked together at multiple levels to save costs or time, deliver results and put innovation into practice.

## COMMUNITY, STAFF ENGAGEMENT OR EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

How are you engaging your staff, community or diverse groups? We want to hear about your new consultation and engagement initiatives, or your innovative work in promoting equal opportunity (whether indigenous, women in mining or a regional initiative).

## SAFETY

Safety is always a priority – but have you dedicated a project or initiative to achieving safety outcomes? We want to see quantifiable results.

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## MINING CONTRACTOR OF THE YEAR

A winner will be selected from all contractor/supplier finalists, for excellence displayed across several categories.



# Conditions of Entry

The following conditions of entry apply for all applicants:

- Entry is open from Monday 15 January 2024 to 5:00PM Friday 26 April 2024.
- Entries and all supporting materials must be uploaded to the QMA Judgify platform by 5:00PM Friday 26 April 2024. No late entries will be accepted.
- Applicants must meet all Entry Criteria to be eligible.
- Entries must address the criteria applicable to the category and provide supplementary information as requested.
- All entries must be fully completed and uploaded on the Judgify platform to be eligible.
- Digital media can be uploaded to support entries. However, this type of supporting documentation will not contribute to the weighted assessment criteria and will be used for information purposes only.
- Projects/Initiatives must have been developed in Queensland or deployed in Queensland during the period April 2022 to April 2024.
- Products (for the Best Product Launch Category) must have been developed in Queensland (either by a Queensland-based company or the Queensland arm of a global company). Products developed in Queensland but launched elsewhere in the world are eligible.
- Projects that are partially completed or ongoing may still be eligible. The entry must be able to demonstrate significant, quantifiable milestone achievements within this timeframe, and will be assessed on a case-by-case basis.
- The same project can only be entered in a maximum of two separate categories.
- Each entry must be entered entirely independently (i.e. separate to another entry made by the same company).
- The entrant is responsible for the accuracy of all supplied information.
- Entrants may be asked to provide further documentation or evidence to support their application.
- Entry fees (as applicable) must be paid per category at time of entry via the Awards website and are non-refundable unless exempt below. Paid entries include one ticket to the QMA 2024 Gala Dinner.
- Entry fees are not payable for QME Exhibitors or Not for Profit Organisations.
- Those entrants who are shortlisted will be notified prior to the Awards Presentation Night, which will be held on Wednesday 24 July 2024 in Mackay as part of QME.
- Judges will select up to four category finalists and one category winner for each category. Judges will also award a 'Mining Contractor of the Year Award' chosen from the contractor/supplier finalists across all categories.
- The Judges' decision is final, and no further correspondence shall be entered into.
- A representative from each finalist company is required to attend the Gala Awards Presentation Night held on Wednesday 24 July 2024.
- BBMC reserves the right to distribute media and BBMC-owned images for publicity purposes pertaining to the BBMC 2024 Queensland Mining Awards. No confidential information received as part of an entry nomination will be disclosed.
- All applications are held and treated in the strictest confidence.

## Need more info?

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