

# 2025 Manufacturing Leadership Awards



## SAMPLE NOMINATION FORM – DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION LEADERSHIP FOR NONCORPORATE ORGANIZATIONS AND INSTITUTIONS SUBMITTING ON BEHALF OF A MANUFACTURING PARTNER

This sample nomination form for the Manufacturing Leadership Awards can be used as a reference for gathering required information for noncorporate institutions to complete an entry for an individual at a manufacturing partner company. **All nominations must be created and submitted through the online awards portal at <https://manufacturingleadership.awardsplatform.com>.**

Limit one (1) individual per nomination. Noncorporate organizations and institutions may submit an unlimited number of individual award nominations on behalf of external organizations, but may nominate no more than one (1) individual per external manufacturing enterprise. The nominee's name and company will be announced if they are selected as a finalist. **All other information submitted on this nomination form is strictly confidential.**

### Category Description

Individual finalists in the Digital Transformation Leadership category demonstrate excellence in their commitment to digital technology leadership to drive transformational change in their companies. Successful candidates transform their companies by helping to lead changes in culture, in how data is leveraged to improve decision-making, in how work is organized, and in how people are inspired to achieve excellence. They rise to become role models for other individuals and companies in the industry. They are experienced professionals at diverse levels of leadership within their organizations.

### Section 1: Manufacturing Company Information

#### Verification Statement

I verify that I am providing direct contact information for the nominated individual and that the individual has consented to this nomination. (Notice: A YES statement is required for this entry to meet eligibility requirements. This statement will be confirmed with the nominated individual.)

- Yes
- No

**Manufacturing Company Information (Nominee's Employer)**

<b>Manufacturing Company Name:</b>			
<b>Headquarters Address:</b>			
<b>City:</b>	<b>State/Province:</b>	<b>Zip/Postal Code:</b>	<b>Country:</b>
<b>HQ phone:</b>			
<b>Website:</b>			
<b>Company X (formerly Twitter) URL:</b>			
<b>Company LinkedIn URL:</b>			

**Company Size - Number of employees:** Please select one.

- 5,000 or more
- 1,000-5,000
- 500-1,000
- 100-500
- Less than 100

**Company Size - Annual Revenues:** Please select one. Note: This information is kept strictly confidential and is only used as a data point for tracking entries by company size. For project nominations, this data is used in consideration for identifying small/medium enterprises and large enterprises for Manufacturer of the Year award candidates.

- Over \$10 billion
- \$1 billion - \$10 billion
- \$500 Million - \$1 Billion
- \$100 Million - \$500 Million
- Under \$100 Million
- Confidential

**What does this company manufacture and what is its industry sector?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Communications/PR Contact Information:** List an individual at the manufacturing company who can assist with communications/PR and any marketing or promotional efforts

<b>PR Contact Name:</b>	<b>Title:</b>
<b>Company:</b>	
<b>Phone:</b>	<b>E-mail:</b>

**Awards Coordinator Contact Information:** If the manufacturing company has an Awards Coordinator, please list contact information below.

<b>Awards Coordinator Name:</b>	<b>Title:</b>
<b>Company:</b>	
<b>Phone:</b>	<b>E-mail:</b>

## Section 2: Noncorporate Organization/Institution Information

**Noncorporate Organization/Institution Contact Information:** This is the primary contact at the noncorporate organization that is submitting this nomination. This individual should be able to answer detailed questions about this nomination and will also receive award status notification e-mails. The contact information provided must be directly for an individual at the noncorporate organization – email addresses for general inboxes and/or general business (main switchboard) phone numbers will not be accepted. Nominations that do not include this information will be disqualified with no refund of entry fees.

<b>Noncorporate Organization Contact Individual Name:</b>		<b>Job Title:</b>	
<b>Noncorporate Organization (university/society/organization name):</b>			
<b>Address (Number and Street):</b>			
<b>Address Line Two (optional) (Suite Number, Mail Stop Code, etc.):</b>			
<b>City:</b>	<b>State/Province:</b>	<b>Zip/Postal Code:</b>	<b>Country:</b>
<b>Phone:</b>		<b>E-mail:</b>	
<b>Website:</b>			
<b>Institution X (formerly Twitter) URL:</b>		<b>Institution LinkedIn URL:</b>	

**Alternate Noncorporate Organization/Institution Contact Information:** List a second contact at the noncorporate organization/institution for this nomination. This contact will receive award status notification e-mails. This must be direct contact information for an individual at the noncorporate organization/institution – email addresses for general inboxes and/or main switchboard phone numbers without extensions will not be accepted. Nominations that do not include this information will be disqualified with no refund of entry fees.

<b>Alternate Noncorporate Org Contact Name:</b>		<b>Job Title:</b>	
<b>Noncorporate Organization (university/society/organization name):</b>			
<b>Phone:</b>		<b>E-mail:</b>	

**Noncorporate Organization Trophy Shipping Information:** Award trophies will be distributed to all organizations selected as Partners in Collaborative Innovation at the Manufacturing Leadership Awards Gala, June 18, 2024, in Marco Island, FL. However, in the event that the institution's team or parent organization is unable to send a representative to the gala, please provide shipping information for the recognition trophy. Note that this must be a physical street address; our shipping partners will not deliver to a P.O. box.

<b>Trophy Shipping Name:</b>		<b>Job Title:</b>	
<b>Noncorporate Organization (university/society/organization name):</b>			
<b>Address (Number and Street):</b>			
<b>Address Line Two (optional) (Suite Number, Mail Stop Code, etc.):</b>			
<b>City:</b>	<b>State/Province:</b>	<b>Zip/Postal Code:</b>	<b>Country:</b>
<b>Phone:</b>		<b>E-mail:</b>	

## Section 3: Contact Information for Individual Nominations

**Award Nominee Contact Information:** Contact information for the individual being nominated.

<b>Award Nominee Name:</b>		<b>Title:</b>	
<b>Company:</b>			
<b>Address:</b>			
<b>Address Line 2 (Optional) (Suite number, mail stop, etc.):</b>			
<b>City:</b>	<b>State:</b>	<b>Zip/Postal Code:</b>	<b>Country:</b>
<b>Phone:</b>		<b>E-mail:</b>	
<b>Nominee LinkedIn profile (optional):</b>			

**Award Sponsor Contact Information:** Individual from the nominee's manufacturing organization who is sponsoring this nomination or who can act as a reference for the nominated individual.

<b>Award Sponsor Name:</b>		<b>Title:</b>	
<b>Company:</b>			
<b>Phone:</b>		<b>E-mail:</b>	

## Section 4: Nominee Information

1. Describe this individual's achievements in digital transformation leadership. How has this person been a driving force in advancing their company's digital transformation goals, including demonstrating digital acumen in improving processes, adopting new technologies, and/or creating digital roadmaps or new organizational models?
2. How have this individual's efforts been of benefit to their company or institution?
3. In what ways have this individual's achievements served as a role model for other manufacturing leaders in their company or institution?
4. How could this individual's achievements serve as an example for other manufacturing companies and the way they conduct their operations?
5. Provide a brief biography or CV of this nominated individual. Include details on education, career history, and any awards or recognition they have received.