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CALL FOR ENTRIES
Closing date 25/02/22

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MEMBERS ONLY MEMORANDUM No. 8-22

2022 STRUCTURAL STEEL DESIGN AWARDS

Members are advised that entries for the 2022 Structural Steel Design Awards should be submitted (in digital format) by **Friday 25 February 2022**. There is no charge for the submission of entries.

Copies of the Call for Entries and the Entry Form for the 2022 competition are attached.

The objective of the Scheme is to celebrate the excellence of the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland in the field of steel construction, particularly demonstrating its potential in terms of sustainability, cost-effectiveness, aesthetics and innovation.

The Awards are open to steel-based structures situated in the United Kingdom or overseas that have been built by UK or Irish steelwork contractors and should have been completed during the calendar years 2020 and 2021 – previous entries are not eligible.

A panel of independent judges assesses the Awards.

The Awards are sponsored by BCSA and Trimble Solutions (UK) Ltd.

CHRIS DOLLING
Manager, Marketing and Technical Development

celebrating excellence in steel

Call for entries for the 2022 Structural Steel Design Awards

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Now in their 54th year, the Awards celebrate the excellence of the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland in the field of steel construction, particularly demonstrating its potential in terms of efficiency, cost-effectiveness, aesthetics and innovation. The Awards are open to steel-based structures situated in the UK or overseas that have been built by UK or Irish steelwork contractors.

“Trimble are proud to again be associated with the SSDA and look forward to another successful Awards that showcases the breadth and depth of talent and expertise within our steel construction industry”, Steven Insley, National Sales Manager, Trimble Solutions (UK) Ltd.

Why enter?
If your project is shortlisted, your company would have the kudos of being part of a prestigious Awards scheme - one with a long history, focussed solely on steel construction and the only one where expert judges visit every shortlisted project to truly appreciate its qualities. In addition, you’ll receive:

- Free publicity for you, your project and your client, both online and in the construction press.
- Free attendance at a major Awards event in central London for your project team.
- Recognition of excellence for your project, be it large or small.

How to succeed?
Plan ahead and involve the whole project team from the outset in preparing a high-quality submission, don’t leave it to the last minute. Read the entry criteria and particularly the ‘Submission Material’ section on the entry form and provide exactly what is required, nothing more, nothing less. In addition:

- High quality photos will portray your project at its best.
- A well written, flowing description of the context, concept design, outstanding features and key construction details will allow the judges to swiftly appreciate the essence of your project.
- Broad representation from all parties at the judges’ visit will demonstrate collaboration and enthusiasm.

To find out more and download an entry form visit https://www.steelconstruction.info/Structural_steel_design_awards or call Chris Dolling (BCSA) on 020 7747 8133

Closing date for entries: Friday 25th February 2022

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2022 Entry Criteria

The Structural Steel Design Awards Scheme

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1. **Operation of The Awards**
   The Awards are open to steel-based structures situated in the United Kingdom or overseas that have been built by UK or Irish steelwork contractors. They must have been completed and be ready for occupation or use during the calendar years 2020-2021; previous entries are not eligible.

2. **The Panel of Judges**
   A panel of independent judges who are leading representatives of Architecture, Structural Engineering and Civil Engineering assess the entries. The judging panel selects award winners after assessing all entries against the following key criteria:

   Planning and Architecture
   - Satisfaction of client's brief, particularly cost-effectiveness
   - Environmental impact
   - Architectural excellence
   - Durability
   - Adaptability for changing requirements through its life
   - Efficiency of the use and provision of services
   - Conservation of energy

   Structural Engineering
   - Benefits achieved by using steel construction
   - Efficiency of design, fabrication and erection
   - Skill and workmanship
   - Integration of structure and services to meet architectural requirements
   - Efficiency and effectiveness of fire and corrosion protection
   - Innovation of design, build and manufacturing technique

3. **Submission of Entries**
   Entries, exhibiting a predominant use of steel and satisfying the conditions above, may be submitted by any member of the design team using the appropriate form. The declaration of compliance with the award requirements must be completed by the entrant. Entrants should ensure that all parties of the design team have been informed of the entry.

4. **General**
   The structures entered must be made available for inspection by the judges if they so request. All entrants will be bound by the decision of the judges, whose discretion to make or withhold any award or awards is absolute. No discussion or correspondence regarding their decision will be entered into by the judges or by the sponsors. The decision of the sponsors in all matters relating to the Scheme is final.

   A shortlist of projects will be announced and the project teams notified directly. The results of the Scheme will be announced in the autumn – no advance notification will be given to the project teams as to which structures will receive Awards.

5. **Awards**
   Each firm of architects and structural engineers responsible for the design receive an award as do the steelwork contractor (see note 7 below), main contractor and client.

6. **Publicity**
   The sponsors assume the right to publish the drawings, photographs, design information and descriptive matter submitted with the entry to publicise the award-winning structures in relation to the Structural Steel Design Awards Scheme.

   Any party involved in a project that is no longer in business for whatever reason will not receive any recognition in the Structural Steel Design Awards.

7. **Membership of BCSA Ltd**
   Where the steelwork contractor on any project entered into the Structural Steel Design Awards is a not a member of BCSA Ltd as at the closing date for entries, the steelwork contractor shall not receive any award or public recognition whether at the Awards event, in any promotional literature before the event nor in any booklet or other communication published after or in support of the Structural Steel Design Awards.

Closing date for entries - Friday 25th February 2022

Further Details
All correspondence regarding the submission of entries should be addressed to:
Chris Dolling, BCSA, Unit 4 Hayfield Business Park,
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2022 Entry Criteria

Structural Steel Design Awards

Please complete all sections below in full (including email addresses)

Name of building/structure: . . . . . .

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Location: . . . . . .

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Programme of construction: . . . . . .

Completion date: . . . . . .

Total tonnage: . . . . . .

Approximate total cost (£): . . . . . .

Cost of steelwork (£): . . . . . .

Declaration of Eligibility

As the representative of the organisation entering this structure in the Structural Steel Design Awards 2022, I declare that this steel-based structure has been fabricated by a UK or Irish steelwork contractor. It was completed during the calendar years 2020-2021. It has not been previously entered for this Awards Scheme.

Signed: . . . . . Date:. . . . . .

On behalf of:. . . . . .

Person Submitting this Entry

Name: . . . . . .

Tel: . . . . . .

Email:. . . . . .

Submission Material

The submission material should include:

- Completed entry form (PDF file)
- Description of the outstanding features of the structure (c 1,000 words), addressing the key criteria – see note 2 (MSWord file)
- Architectural site plan (PDF file)
- Six drawings (e.g. plans, sections, elevations, isometrics) illustrating the essential features of significance in relation to the use of steel (PDF files)
- Eight different high resolution colour photographs which should include both construction phase and finished images (JPEG files at 300dpi A5 size minimum)

Architect

Company Name: . . . . . .

Address: . . . . . .

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Contact: . . . . . Tel: . . . . . .

Email: . . . . . .

Structural Engineer responsible for design

Company Name: . . . . . .

Address: . . . . . .

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Contact: . . . . . Tel: . . . . . .

Email: . . . . . .

Steelwork Contractor (see note 7)

Company Name: . . . . . .

Address: . . . . . .

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Contact: . . . . . Tel: . . . . . .

Email: . . . . . .

Main Contractor

Company Name: . . . . . .

Address: . . . . . .

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Contact: . . . . . Tel: . . . . . .

Email: . . . . . .

Client

Company Name: . . . . . .

Address: . . . . . .

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Contact: . . . . . Tel: . . . . . .

Email: . . . . . .

Entry material should be sent via a file transfer service to chris.dolling@steelconstruction.org no later than 25th February 2022