Benner Award Nomination Form

**Deadline for Nominations: July 20, 2020**

***Email form to:*** [*lfischer@BCxA.org*](mailto:lfischer@BCxA.org) ***with subject “Benner Award Nomination”***

In memory of Nancy Benner, the Benner Award recognizes outstanding achievement in making building commissioning "business as usual." This was Nancy's mission, her personal dream, and her challenge to each of us working in the commercial building industry. The Benner Award Committee is accepting nominations for the Benner Award, a prize for excellence in efforts to make commissioning business as usual.

The committee seeks nominations of ***individuals*** *and* ***programs/organizations*** that have engaged in educational, demonstration, policy, or actual commissioning activities that successfully promote excellence in building commissioning. Nominations in each of the two categories will be accepted and will be judged separately. Resubmission of previous nominees is encouraged. Criteria are listed on the second page of application.

Award recipients are selected by a committee of national experts on commissioning representing the public and private sectors. The committee may award multiple or no awards in each category.

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| **Contacts** | |
| **Nominee** | **Nominator (if different than nominee)** |
| **Name:** Click here to enter text.  **Nomination Category: (check one)**  Individual  Program or Organization | **Name:** Click here to enter text. |
| Company: Click here to enter text. | Company: Click here to enter text. |
| Address: Click here to enter text. | Address: Click here to enter text. |
| Phone: Click here to enter text. | Phone: Click here to enter text. |
| Email: Click here to enter text. | Email: Click here to enter text. |

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| **Justification** | | |
| (Lines will be added as you type or attach additional pages.)  Click here to enter text. | | |
| **Reference: Provide at least two contact to support the merit of the nominee:** | | |
| Name: Click here to enter text. | Phone: Click here to enter text. | Address: Click here to enter text. |
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## Award Criteria

All applications must be complete with enough detail to support the candidate’s nomination.

## Individual

1. Impact of the nominee's commissioning work (for example: total square footage commissioned, types of buildings commissioned, programs and policies established, energy savings, number of clients, etc.)
2. How the nominee has promoted commissioning within his or her organization
3. How the nominee has promoted commissioning outside of his or her organization
4. What makes the nominee's approach innovative and successful
5. How the nominee's work has contributed to the commissioning marketplace
6. How the nominee’s has helped to mentor or train new entrant to commissioning.

## Program/Organization

1. Volume of work over time (number of projects in number of years)
2. Geographic regions served
3. How the nominee has publicized the success of the program or organization (for example, case studies, marketing materials, presentations)
4. Focus of nominee's commissioning-related research or educational activities, if any
5. Tools and resources developed to facilitate commissioning, if any
6. What makes the nominee's approach innovative and successful