

28th Annual WAITTA INCITE Awards 2018-2019

Category Information Guide



CATEGORY: PETER FILLERY UNDERGRADUATE TERTIARY STUDENT PROJECT OF THE YEAR

Overview

This award recognises the most outstanding ICT project undertaken by a Western Australia-based tertiary undergraduate student or group of students, (registered as active undergraduate student in a higher-learning institution, such as a college or university);

NOTE: Tertiary postgraduate students or group of students (undertaking either coursework or research Masters, Doctoral or Post-Doctoral programs) are not eligible, but may enter the “Research and Innovation” Category.

Description

Entry is open to any ICT project or research performed by an undergraduate student or a group of undergraduate students whilst enrolled as an undergraduate student in the year of the award or the preceding year.

Students must own at least some of the intellectual property of their Innovation, or be in the process of negotiating IP ownership or licence agreement with their educational institution. If requested, details of the IP ownership or licence agreement of the Innovation must be able to be provided.

NOTE:

- Involvement of the supervisor in stage 2 judging can only be as an observer
- Tertiary postgraduate student(s) undertaking either coursework or research Masters, Doctoral or Post-Doctoral programs may enter the “Research and Innovation” Category).

Important Dates

28 February 2019	Entries Close
5 April 2019	Announcement of Finalists & PitchFest
2-8 May 2019	Judging Week Finalists Presentations to Judging panels
14 June 2019	Announcement of Winners at WAITTA INCITE Awards Gala Presentation Dinner

How to Enter

Entry instructions, frequently asked questions, terms and conditions can be found on our website:

www.inciteawards.org.au

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Criteria and Attributes

Entries in the Peter Fillery Best Undergraduate Tertiary Student Project of the Year award will be judged according to the following criteria:

Benefits Realisation

This criterion judges the advantages of the solution:

- Understanding the problem to be solved
- Effectiveness of the solution in delivering its stated outcomes /understanding the problem to be solved
- Understanding of the environment (environment in which the solution is intended to be used in the creation of the project)
- Understanding of the market/user base and the problem to be solved, and/or
- User uptake and acceptance.

Quality of Solution

This criterion judges the quality and application of the relevant scientific principles or technologies:

- Underlying scientific principles and/or technologies used
- Research methodology
- Application of design and development standards
- Proof-of-concept acceptance.

Innovation

This criterion judges the degree of innovation:

- Uniqueness
- Complexity - use of technology
- Creativity / trend setting.