

The Paper Gold Medal NOMINATION FORM



The Gold Medal Award has been awarded for over 50 years and each year companies, associations and individuals are invited to nominate an individual, in recognition of their personal excellence and achievements above and beyond their normal duties, who has made a unique and significant contribution to the UK's Paper-based Industries.

Whilst the origins of the Gold Medal were focused on the paper manufacturing sector, the Award has now become more inclusive and today is open to nominations from the ever-increasing number of sectors and specialisms that supply an amazing range of products based on paper. These include, but are not exclusively limited to, paper and board manufacturing, printing, newspapers and magazines, direct mail and catalogues, envelopes and stationery, retail and transport packaging, bags and tissues.

Digital and broadcast media are outside the scope of the Award.

The award of the Gold Medal is a prestigious career achievement and the recipient automatically gains membership of the exclusive Gold Medal Association; receiving a substantial solid gold presentation medal as well as a discreet replica medal to be worn on appropriate industry occasions.

Recipients are also invited to write a paper on a topic of their choosing and expertise which will be made available by the Gold Medal Association for publication.

Nominations are invited from Companies, Individuals and Associations which span the industry as well as Medallist Members of the Association. To enter, you and your nominee should be UK-based, in the paper and board sector, cellulose fibre-based sector, or graphics and print sector.

Find out more about the award at: <https://papergoldmedal.org.uk/the-medal/>

Timetable

1. The opening date for nominations is **Thursday 11th November 2021**
2. The closing date for nominations will be **Friday 11th February 2022**
3. The recipient will be advised by **Friday 8th April 2022**

Conditions of Entry

The recipient shall accept the conditions of the Award below.

- Agree to his or her nomination, and citation, being made public
- Agree to receive the Gold Medal at the Paper Industry Gold Awards function
- Agree to become a Member of the Association

If no candidates are deemed to be of sufficient merit, then the judges may decide that there will be no award.

You may also attach supporting material to your nomination which you believe is relevant (no more than 10 A4 pages).

Nominations should be submitted by email to awards@paper.org.uk

If you have any questions email awards@paper.org.uk or telephone 01793 889612.

Disclaimer - The decision of the Judges is final. No correspondence will be entered into.

Your Contact details

Name

Address and Postal Code

Email

Telephone Home/Office

Telephone Mobile

Your Nomination

I would like to nominate the following individual for The Paper Gold Medal

Name of Individual being nominated

Current position of nominated individual and name of their employer

Links to nominated individual's public profile, LinkedIn, Website, Social Media links etc.

How do you know this individual?

Taking into account the Award criteria above, please provide your reasons why this individual has made, or is making, over and above their daily duties, an outstanding contribution to the UK's Paper-based Industries in or affecting the United Kingdom.

Are there any other factors or considerations that the Awards Committee should be aware of?