

Innovative Material and/or Product Specifications

BARCELONA BUILDING CONSTRUMAT 2017 AWARDS FOR INNOVATIVE MATERIAL AND/OR PRODUCT

1. WHAT PRODUCTS OR SERVICES CAN BE NOMINATED TO PARTICIPATE

Innovative materials and/or products exhibited at the Show and related to the construction sector presented in this call are eligible for these awards. Participants in the 'Material and/or product call at the Future Arena Showroom' will be directly nominated to participate in the awards. Materials or products that have been selected as finalists in previous editions may not be submitted.

2. WHO CAN NOMINATE THE WORKS

The proposals you wish to nominate for the Awards must be submitted by the natural or legal person holding the space or by the person responsible for the space in which they are displayed at the Show. The proposer is responsible for the accuracy of information and compliance with current intellectual property laws. As many proposals as deemed appropriate may be submitted, but one registration must be issued for each proposal.

3. REGISTRATION AND DOCUMENTATION

Registration will take place online through the exhibitor's private area <http://www.construmat.com/formulario-showroom>. The registration form must be filled in before 23:59 GTM+2 on 31 March 2017, according to the participation method:

- Method 1: Completing the registration form for the material and/or product exhibition call in the Future Arena Showroom + What's new website + call for the BBC Awards in the Innovative Material and/or Product category.
- Method 2: Completing the registration form for the BBC Awards call in the Innovative Material and/or Product Category.

and submitting the following documents:

- A maximum of two A4-sized pieces of paper, with the technical specifications for the innovative material and/or product. The format should be PDF and may not exceed 5 MB.

Registration is **FREE**, it can only be carried out online and is only valid if the documentation is submitted within the time periods specified in these rules.

4. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

The awards organisers reserve the right to reproduce the selected and awarded products and/or services' information and images in all documented media deemed necessary. The proposals submitted in this call and not selected as finalists shall not be made public.

The winning or final proposals may state the distinction obtained in their technical documentation.

5. PARTICIPATION AND QUERIES DEADLINES

The deadline for proposal submission is 23:59 GTM+2 on 31 March 2017.

Queries on the call should be made to: congresos@firabarcelona.com, telephone (+34) 93 409 74 82.

6. JURY AND TECHNICAL SECRETARIAT

The jury will be made up of renowned professionals and academics selected by the Mies van der Rohe Foundation, centre for research, discussion and promotion of architectural culture.

The composition of the Jury will be published on the competition website <http://www.construmat.com/premios-bb-construmat-2017> in early March.

Any additional information requested by the Jury should be made available.

The Technical Secretariat for the requested documentation for participating in the Barcelona Building Construmat 2017 Awards is Barter Partnership, C/ Aragó 179, 1º 1ª Barcelona, Spain.

7. SELECTION CRITERIA

The Jury will consider the following criteria to give its verdict:

- Degree of innovation of the material or product.
- Social and architectural impact of the material or product.
- Environmental impact of the material or product.
- Economic impact of the material or product.

A selection of final proposals from among all the works submitted that meet the terms of the call will be carried out. The jury will grant the Barcelona Building Construmat 2017 Award for the best innovative material and/or product from among them.

8. COMMUNICATION

The Technical Secretariat of the Awards will notify participants of the finalist proposals two weeks before the Show.

9. AWARD

The Award is granted to the natural or legal person submitting and/or exhibiting the proposal at the Show. If appropriate, the jury may make mentions.

The prize consists of an award and a diploma for the natural or legal owner of the winning innovative material or product.

All finalist proposals will receive a diploma.

Awards may not be declared void or granted ex aequo.

10. INCIDENTS

It will be the Jury's sole responsibility to resolve any issues that may arise regarding the granting of the awards. The Jury's decisions are unquestionable.

11. AWARDS CEREMONY

The reading of the verdict and the awards ceremony will take place at a public event to be held on Wednesday, 24 May 2017 at the trade show.

12. ACCEPTANCE OF THE RULES

Participation in these awards implies acceptance of these rules.