



EXCELLENCE IN MEDIA AWARDS 2019

TERMS & CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

By entering the CMAA Excellence in Media Awards ('Awards'), Awards entrants ('Entrants') agree to be bound by the following terms and conditions, as well as any relevant instructions specific to each Awards category. Failure to abide by these terms and conditions may render an entrant ineligible for the Awards.

IMPORTANT – please read all of these terms and conditions of entry and the instructions specific to each category, as they have changed since last year.

1. The Excellence in Media Awards are produced by the Christian Media & Arts Australia (CMAA) and are only open to CMAA members and individuals or groups authorised to represent members.
2. Entrants are required to obtain permission of their organisation's board Chairman or Manager before submitting their entry. If the board Chairman or Manager is the individual entering the award, permission will not be required.
3. Entries must be received by close of business, **Friday 1 March 2019, 5:00 pm AEST**. Entries received after this closing date will not be accepted.
4. All entries must be submitted via the online Awards entry system, Judgify. Entries will not be accepted by other means.
5. All entries must be focused on activities occurring between **1 January 2018 - 31 December 2018**.
6. Winners and finalists from previous years are ineligible from entering the same work in the same category. An entry will be deemed ineligible if the same content has previously won or been listed as a finalist in that category at a previous Excellence in Media Awards.
7. Entrants may enter the same work in more than one category if it fits the criteria for each category. A separate entry must be completed for each category.
8. When completing entries, use the name of the nominated organisation, program, initiative or individual exactly as they would appear on the finalist's certificate or winner's trophy. CMAA will not be responsible for incorrect spelling of names.
9. If your entry requires an audio or video component, it is the entrant's responsibility to ensure that this content is playable and accessible by judges.
10. If supporting documentation or audio/video is required and not provided via the Judgify system, the relevant entry or entries may not be considered for judging.
11. All supporting material loaded into the Judgify system must be clearly labelled with the organisations name and any program name details.

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12. All entries may be reproduced to promote the Awards and to champion the excellent work of Christian Media. If entrants do not own all copyright or there are restrictions in your right to use, any material included in your entry, it is the entrant's responsibility to obtain permission from all relevant third parties for CMAA to use the entry as described.
 13. Where misleading information is supplied within entries, regardless of intention, the CMAA reserves the right to disqualify such entries. By participating, entrants accept that the CMAA may run these Awards as it sees fit without right of appeal.
 14. Awards judges' decisions are final. No correspondence or discussion will be entered into regarding the judging process or any outcomes reached.
 15. Award winners may be asked to make themselves available for other CMAA activities outside the awards ceremony such as being involved in media and communications following the awards.
 16. CMAA may extend any deadline or time limit, terminate the Awards or vary the terms of entry at any time and for any reason at its sole discretion. The CMAA may also choose not to present any given award if none of the nominees sufficiently meet the qualifications for that award.

If you have further questions, please email the CMAA Awards team: awards@mediaarts.org.au.