**THE ENGINEERING FIRM OF THE YEAR AWARD**
AWARD CRITERIA

**The Engineering Firm of the Year Award will be presented to the NEPIC member company that can clearly showcase business excellence from across the consultancy and engineering sector. The winning firm will demonstrate innovative and timely solutions to engineering problems and ‘best-in-class’ project delivery performance. An understanding of how the firm has developed and how it plans to grow is also of interest.**

As well as receiving a trophy to mark the winner’s success at the prestigious NEPIC Annual Awards Dinner, held at Hardwick Hall on the evening of Friday 22 March 2024, the winning organisation will also receive £2,000\* to donate to a local school of their choice to fund a science related project - a wonderful way to raise your company’s profile further within your local community and attract future talent to the sector.

**Award Criteria**
To apply, companies should indicate why they should be awarded the Engineering Firm of the Year award by responding to the questions in the form. Entrants must be members of NEPIC’s engineering community and have been trading for a minimum of two years as of March 31, 2023.

**How to enter**
Entries should be submitted electronically, clearly stating your organisation name and the category in which you are applying for on the top of the document.
 **Closing date**
All entries are to be submitted by close of business on **9th February 2024.**

*\* Subject to category sponsorship*

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APPLICATION FORM

**Please complete the following application form and respond to the follow-up questions.**

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| **Company Details** |  |
| Organisation |  |
| Contact Person |  |
| Job Title |  |
| Company Address |  |
| Postcode |  |
| Telephone No. |  |
| Mobile No. |  |
| E-mail Address |  |
|  |  |
| **Your Nominated School** |  |
| School Name |  |
| School Contact |  |
| Address |  |
| Postcode |  |
| Telephone No. |  |
| E-mail Address |  |

In no more than 750 words, tell us why you should be considered for the Engineering Firm of the Year Award by responding to the following:

1. **Company Overview**

Give a brief description of your company. Indicate why you should be considered for the Engineering Firm of the Year Award. Clearly describe key milestones and achievements.

1. **Innovation and Impact**

Comment on your involvement in NEPIC’s focus areas of digital technologies, asset management and productivity, and Net Zero & sustainability. Highlight any innovations in your organisation related to all or any of these areas.

1. **People’s Development**

Please describe how you have invested in people and skills development in you organisation. Provide concrete examples to support this.

1. **Client Satisfaction**

Provide evidence of your client’s satisfaction with work by including case studies or testimonials showcasing high satisfaction with the quality of the product/service provided.

1. **Provide any other information that you think would be relevant to your application.**

Please submit your application to NEPIC by close of business on **9th February 2024** via the following e-mail address: **awards@nepic.co.uk** stating **ENGINEERING FIRM OF THE YEAR AWARD ENTRY** within the subject line.