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BLUEBEAM EXTREME AWARDS 2018 SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Every year the Bluebeam Extreme Awards recognize project teams across the country that are using Bluebeam solutions to raise the bar on project communication and collaboration. Winning entries showcase how Revu and other Bluebeam solutions have helped teams achieve real results through innovative thinking and outstanding implementation.

Interested in submitting? You'll find all the details below.

The submission deadline is 11:59 PM EDT on Friday, July 13, 2018.

CATEGORIES

We encourage multiple Bluebeam Extreme Awards submissions, but the same project may not be submitted under more than one category. Each submission must be assigned to only one category.

The type of submission will determine the category. For example, a hospital build or a light rail system would be submitted under Projects while a robust onboarding program would be submitted under Company, for Best Internal Training Program.

PROJECTS
Each year, architecture, engineering and construction companies deliver creative and cutting-edge projects around the world. The Bluebeam Extreme Awards provide a platform to recognize projects at the forefront of innovation and technology. Projects that are exceeding client expectations, meeting increased demands, and achieving real results (e.g. time and cost savings) using Bluebeam solutions. All projects are welcome regardless of project size or budget.

COMPANIES

- **Best Internal Training Program**

Whether you have an office of ten people or work for a company with thousands of employees across the world, it's important to ensure that your team is trained on the tools, processes and workflows that meet your organization's standards. This award recognizes companies that are developing and implementing creative, effective and ongoing training programs to educate staff on Bluebeam Revu.

- **Best Academic Partnership**

Is your company focused on student mentorship, internship programs, curriculum development or faculty engagement? Are you serving on Industry Advisory Boards, sponsoring scholarships, or

collaborating with AEC student organizations like ASC, AIAS or ASCE? This award recognizes companies that are partnering with academia in unique and innovative ways.

- **Most Advanced Use of Revu**

Have you developed a complex process or customized tool in Revu? Are you so deep into the software that you've incorporated scripting, tagging, digital signatures, 3D PDFs or other advanced features into your workflows? Are you using the Studio API for external application integrations? This award recognizes the most complex applications of Bluebeam solutions.

- **Most Comprehensive Use of Revu**

Have you discovered the extraordinary flexibility and versatility of Revu? Have you been using it across the entire project lifecycle for workflows as wide-ranging as design reviews, shop drawing reviews, takeoffs, document management and control, punchlists, billing, project closeout, facility management and more? This award recognizes power users who are getting the most out of Revu.

INNOVATOR OF THE YEAR

This award recognizes an industry professional who pushes boundaries and thrives on developing new, unique solutions to make a process, workflow and/or technology more efficient and valuable. Is there someone in your office or on your jobsite who pushes the industry forward because of their passion to innovate and improve? This category highlights the change agents of the industry who are driven to innovate toward a better way to build.

BLUEBEAM CHAMPION

Is there someone in your company or on your project team who is always the go-to Bluebeam pro? Are they the first person to get really excited about a new Bluebeam initiative and can't wait to tell the rest of the office or the jobsite? This award recognizes someone who not only acts as the Revu Wizard and an ambassador to all things Bluebeam, but also inspires as a connector and teacher. A Bluebeam Champion enjoys sharing their knowledge and is excited by the concept of learning from and collaborating with other colleagues, disciplines and companies across an area or project team.

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Review the specific category questions below. When ready, enter the submission portal at www.bluebeamextreme.com/us/awards.

PROJECT QUESTIONS:
- Contact information
- Company name and address
    - This should be the appropriate address and contact to receive your trophy, should you be awarded.
- Category selection (see detailed explanations above)
    - Projects
- Project name/submission title
- Owner
- Project partners
- Project location, budget, scope, size and timeline
- Project description

- What challenges did you know you were going to face going into the project (e.g. environmental, political, team structure, financial constraints, timeline)?
- Which tools and features in Revu did you use to create efficiencies on the project (e.g. Bluebeam Studio for collaboration, Revu's automation/batch tools, etc.)?
- Results achieved (e.g. efficiencies gained, dollars saved)

COMPANY CATEGORY QUESTIONS:

All Company Categories
- Contact information
- Company name, address and contact information
  - This should be the appropriate address and contact to receive your trophy, should you be awarded.
- Category selection (see [detailed explanations](#) above)
  - Company
- Company description
- Company size
- Location
- Industry

Best Internal Training Program
- Training program/scope
- Training budget (if applicable)
- Training infrastructure and delivery methods
- Evaluation/metrics

Best Academic Partnership
- What defines your company's desire to build academic partnerships?
- Describe your most outstanding academic partnership program.
- Who is involved in your academic partnership program?
- Why is your academic program important for preparing the next generation of the AEC workforce?

Most Advanced Use of Revu
- Explain how your organization is using Revu in an advanced or unique way.
- How has this use of Revu benefited your company and produced real results?

Most Comprehensive Use of Revu
- Explain how your company is using Revu across the entire project lifecycle.
- How has your company benefited from using Revu as an end-to-end solution?

INNOVATOR OF THE YEAR & BLUEBEAM CHAMPION CATEGORY QUESTIONS:
- Contact information
- Company name and address
  - This should be the appropriate address and contact to receive your trophy, should you be awarded.
- Category selection (see [detailed explanations](#) above)
  - Innovator
- Submitter name:
- Submitter company:
- Submitter title:
- Submitter email:
- Relation to the nominee:

- Nominee name:
- Nominee company:
- Nominee title:
- Nominee email:
- Nominee industry:
- What makes this person an innovator?
- How are their contributions impactful to you, your company and/or the AEC community?

SUPPORTING FILES (optional):
- Include all supporting documents (architectural renderings, PDFs, training tutorials and other documents) that highlight your submission. Accepted file formats are JPEG, PNG, PDF or DOC.

Before you submit your information, you will be asked to check a box indicating that you have read the Terms and Conditions. Our terms and conditions are minimal, but we expect that your submission is approved by your employer and that you have been granted permission to use your company logo for awards purposes.

Please note: *Finalists and winners are responsible for their own Extreme Conference registration, hotel and transportation expenses.*

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Does it cost anything to submit for an Extreme Award?
No, submissions are free and there are no limits to the number of entries per company. So submit one project or dozens!

Do I have to attend the Bluebeam Extreme Conference in order to receive an Extreme Award?
While you are not required to attend the Bluebeam Extreme Conference in person, we encourage you and your team to be present. If you are a finalist, your project and project team will be honored in front of the industry's top professionals and fellow Revu enthusiasts. It's a great opportunity to promote your company and team achievements.

When is the Bluebeam Extreme Conference 2018?
The Bluebeam Extreme Conference 2018 will be held September 17-19 in Austin, TX. More information about how to register can be found on our [website](#).

How many finalists and winners are there?
Each category may have up to three finalists. One winner will be chosen per category.

When are finalists announced?
Finalists will be notified in July via email, and will be announced on our website prior to the conference.

When are winners announced?
Winners will be announced at the conference during the Bluebeam Extreme Awards Luncheon on Tuesday, September 18, 2018.

If you have questions about the submission or review process, contact us at bluebeamextreme@bluebeam.com.