

DOWNTOWN

NEW JERSEY

Excellence

Awards - 2014



**Built Projects
Tools of the Trade
Individuals of Excellence Award**

Downtown New Jersey is non-profit corporation comprised of individuals, business leaders, government and non-profit representatives that are passionate about downtowns. New Jersey downtowns act as a focal point for our communities, reflecting their unique identities, and providing residents with a convenient local place of commerce, and an opportunity to gather and enjoy their community.

Downtown New Jersey is a resource dedicated to ensuring the vitality of our downtowns.

The Excellence Awards

Each year Downtown New Jersey recognizes New Jersey's best downtown projects and programs **completed within the last 2 years.** Winning submissions are considered models worthy of emulation and are promoted on DNJ's website and will be recognized at the awards reception in **December 10, 2014** at The Heldrich Center, New Brunswick, NJ.

Partners

The Heldrich Center ♦ NJ Economic Development Authority ♦ Economic Development Association of NJ ♦ NJ Future ♦ Main Street, NJ ♦ NJ American Planning Association ♦ Congress for The New Urbanism- NJ Chapter ♦ Regional Plan Association-NJ ♦ NJ Transit ♦ NJ International Council of Shopping Centers ♦ AIA-NJ

Categories

Built Projects:

New Construction, Renovation of Existing Structures, Mixed Use and Streetscape Projects

Tools of the Trade:

Planning Documents, Design Manuals, Strategic Plans, Wayfinding Plans, Marketing Plans, Creative Placemaking

Individuals of Excellence Award:

Individuals demonstrating leadership and dedication to downtown development

Deadline for Submissions: October 10, 2014

Downtown New Jersey Excellence Awards Nomination Form

◆ Nomination for Built Project or Tools of the Trade

Name:

Location:

Mayor:

Address:

City/State/Zip Code:

County:

Telephone/Facsimile:

Email:

Cost of Built Project or Tools of the Trade: \$

Source of Funding for Built Project or Tools of the Trade:

Consultant/Business Administrator/Downtown Manager/Company who contributed to the Built Project or Tools of the Trade Program:

Name:

Company Name:

Address:

City/State/Zip Code:

Telephone/Facsimile:

Email:

◆ Nominator information

Nominator:

Company Name:

Address:

City/State/Zip Code:

Telephone/Facsimile:

Email:

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Submission Guidelines

**All materials must be
submitted**

**electronically to:
info@downtownnj.com**

Please include:

Completed Nomination Form
 Narrative description of the project or the special attributes of your nominee for the Individuals of Excellence Award (two pages maximum)

A one-paragraph summary of your project with quotes from local leaders – for press releases

Separate page with the list of other significant contributors to the Built Project or Tools of the Trade

Photographs of your Built Project or Tools of the Trade (maximum 10 photos in pdf or jpg formats) – No PowerPoints please

Electronic versions of relevant brochures, excerpts of planning documents or other printed materials in pdf or jpg formats

Entry Fee: \$50 for DNJ Members \$75 for Non-Members

Check for entry fee payable to Downtown New Jersey

Please contact Downtown New Jersey with any questions:

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Downtown New Jersey Excellence Awards Nomination Form

◆ Nominations for the “Individuals of Excellence Award”

Nominee:

Company:

Address:

City/State/Zip Code:

Telephone/Facsimile:

Email:

On a separate page, please describe how this individual demonstrates leadership and dedication to downtown development.

◆ Nominator information

Nominator:

Company Name:

Address:

City/State/Zip Code:

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