****

Emerging Professional / Apprentice Award 2020

This Award is open to CIHT Members including Apprentices, Graduates, entry level professionals and those early in their career/career change professionals, with less than 10 years relevant experience who are making a valuable contribution to highways or transportation in the West Midlands and establishing themselves as a positive role model for the industry.

Entries must clearly explain how the submission meets the criteria specified. Emerging Professionals and Apprentices who are members of CIHT may nominate themselves for the Award or be nominated by their CIHT Region or their employer.

Maximum marks attainable for each criteria noted in brackets.

**Judging Criteria for the award:**

* Contribution to the West Midlands highways or transportation sector (40)
* Role model for highways or transportation (40)
* Active in positively promoting the industry/sector within the West Midlands

(20)

**How to enter:** To enter this award please provide the following and return to :

<https://www.ciht.org.uk/about-us/uk-nations-regions/west-midlands/west-midlands-awards-2020/>

* Nominee's full name
* Nominee's email address
* Nominee's membership number
* Number of years in highways or transportation
* Current job title
* Current employer
* Nominator’s name (if applicable)
* Nominator's email address (if applicable)
* Supporting statements – 1,000 words maximum.

The deadline for entries is 23:59 on Wednesday 1 April 2020. Judging will commence on 2 April 2020 and shortlisted entries will be notified in early April. Winners of the CIHT West Midlands Emerging Professional /Apprentice Award 2020 will be announced at the CIHT West Midlands Awards Dinner on the evening of Thursday 7 May 2020 and details published through a variety of media platforms.