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# GREEN KEY ENVIRONMENT AWARD

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## **GREEN KEY ENVIRONMENT AWARD 2018 AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE**

### **CALL FOR NOMINATIONS AND SUBMISSIONS**

Nominations for the Hotel Association of Canada's (HAC) annual Awards of Excellence are now open. The Awards of Excellence proudly recognize HAC members that have demonstrated significant accomplishments, exemplary leadership and tireless commitment to Canada's lodging industry. This year's Awards of Excellence winners will represent some of the finest examples of professionalism, quality and perfection. The Awards of Excellence are chosen by HAC's esteemed Awards Committee.

We encourage your participation and invite you to join us in celebrating the contributions made by your associates and fellow professionals at the HAC Annual Conference at a special evening event on **February 27, 2019**.

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### **INSTRUCTIONS**

- HAC encourages the electronic submission of all nominations and support materials.
- Please email your submissions, marked with the subject line: HAC Awards Submission plus the name of the award category you are submitting to.

Email to: [info@hotelassociation.ca](mailto:info@hotelassociation.ca)

**NOMINATION DEADLINE:**

**NOVEMBER 1, 2018**

## **AWARD DESCRIPTION**

Recognizes lodging properties/companies or suppliers that have developed a culture toward integrating environmental management practices that improve everyday lodging operations while maintaining quality service and guest expectations. The program must demonstrate success in one or more of the following areas: energy conservation, solid waste reduction, effluents and emissions, water conservation, purchasing, and business issues (i.e. guest demands, community issues, land use/development, training and policy).

## **ELIGIBILITY CRITERION**

- Be currently and actively involved in the HAC's Green Key Program.
- Have demonstrated measurable success in conservation, reduction and education/awareness.
- Have demonstrated significant contributions towards a culture of sustainability within the organization and surrounding community.
- Self-nominations are accepted.

## NOMINEE FOR GREEN KEY ENVIRONMENT AWARD

### NOMINEE:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Property/Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### NOMINATED BY:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Property/Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please attach a one-or-two-page narrative illustrating why the nominee is deserving of this award. The selection committee will carefully evaluate details of all efforts made by the company/hotel/individual to reduce their ecological footprint. Supporting materials are encouraged (ex: completion of Green Key Eco-Hotel)*

*Rating version 3, evidence of involvement in organizations/community events related to environment/energy conservation; examples of energy-saving retrofits, sample of Corporate Environmental Policy and/or action plan, and any other applicable example of how the nominee has reduced their ecological footprint. Press releases, videos, guest information, samples of packaging, leaflets, staff training programs, etc. will also be accepted. **Ideally, all material should be submitted electronically.***