

FIDIC YP Awards – Frequently Asked Questions

1. Nomination letter

Q1-1 Do you evaluate a nominee based on one project or one activity? If the nominee's technical achievement and leadership achievements are displayed in "the project A" but his/her remarkable social and community contributions are demonstrated in "the project B" can the nominee write both project and activities in a nomination letter?

A1-1 The evaluation will be made based on contribution of the individual. This will be demonstrated through the candidate's activities. The term "activities" may include:

- (i) projects relating to consulting services in which the candidate initiatively served an important role,
- (ii) social activities which provide positive influence to the society or consulting industry, etc.

Q1-2 Can you please clarify (if possible with a sample) the "Nomination Letter".

A1-2 The "Nomination Letter" is one of the required document for entry of the YP Award. In the Nomination Letter, you can describe your activities (see 1-1) which you thought worthy of the YP Award. We do not have a sample letter which we can provide you.

2. Letter of support from employer

Q2-1 In case that a nominee is a business owner (a company president), who will issue the support letter from employer?

A2-1 The candidate is requested to receive a support letter from MA or to submit a letter from her/his company with her/his signature.

3. Client testimonials

Q3-1 In case that a nominee's activity/project does not have clients, how does the nominee prepare the client testimonials? e.g.

- i) A nominee's activity/project is running by his company as research
- ii) A nominee's activity/project is non-profit activities (volunteering basis activities)

A3-1 In case a nominee's activity/project does not have a client, the testimonial can come from a supervisor or colleague.

Q3-2 Please explain if the 2 client testimonials should be addressed to the candidate or to the company for which the candidate has worked with?

A3-2 The Client Testimonials can be addressed to either the nominee or his/her company or both. The Client Testimonials should clarify the nominee's role and valuable effort specifically.