THE EDUCATIONAL COMPUTING ASSOCIATION OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA (INC)



ECAWA EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR 2024

In association with the

Australian Council for Computers in Education

and the

AUSTRALIAN COMPUTER SOCIETY

Each year the Australian Council for Computers in Education (ACCE) and the Australian Computer Society (ACS) host the ACCE Educator of the Year Award. This award recognises exemplary educational practice, involving the use of computer technology in the teaching and learning environment.

Nominees for this award are usually the individual state Educator of the Year winners.

Nominations are now being called for the Educational Computing Association of Western Australia's Educator of the Year Award.

The award is intended to recognise the efforts of ECAWA members who are contributing very significantly to the use of ICTs in their schools.

While it is understood that university based educators, school administrators and district / regional personnel also contribute to the professional computer education community, this award focuses on the efforts of classroom-based educators. Nominees must be based in a school and considered a member of that school's teaching staff.

To be considered for ECAWA's Educator of the Year Award, educators may be nominated by their peers or may nominate themselves.

Selection Process

The selection committee for the award will consist of a panel of committee members designated by the President of ECAWA, and will consider the submissions according to the criteria. Any current nominee will not be eligible to serve on the selection committee. The selection process remains confidential.

Submission Process

An electronic copy of the nomination shall be supplied to the ECAWA Secretary by Tuesday the 8th of October 2024.

Application should include:

- Cover Sheet (Use the Nomination Form on the next page)
- Nomination Statement (2 pages maximum)
- Curriculum Vitae (1 page)
- Letters of Recommendation from Referees (minimum of two)
- An additional 4 pages may (min 10pt font) may elaborate on any of the above.

Eligibility

To be eligible for the award candidates must be financial Individual members of ECAWA to at least the date listed on the nomination form, and K-12 classroom based educators.

Recognition

The recipient of the award for the ECAWA Educator of the Year will be recognised on ECAWeb and presented with their award at a general meeting of the association – if they are able to attend.

Criteria for Selection

Candidates should submit an application that contains a brief curriculum vitae and organizes evidence under the following headings. The evidence should show that the applicant is respected as a leader and innovator both internal and external to their own institution.

- Significant positive impact on technology use in education; locally, regionally, state wide perhaps nationally, worldwide.
- Efforts to involve the community in the initiative or program to facilitate partnerships with business and/or legislative initiatives to advance the use of technology in education.
- Works tirelessly to genuinely improve the quality of education.
- Integrates deliberate planning in an effort to improve education through the use of technology.
- Education and/or work experience has been significantly advanced in the nominee's workplace as a result of the nominee's efforts.
- Active member of ECAWA (with financial Individual Membership) and possibly, of other professional organizations.
- Contributed to the profession by presenting at professional conferences, seminars and/or workshops or publishing articles in print or through electronic media, such as ECAWeb, LOGIN Light, etc..
- Work can be used as a model.
- Work reflects the mission and purpose of ECAWA and the ACCE.
- Will represent ECAWA well in all forums.

Nomination Form – Cover Page ECAWA Educator of the Year 2024

NOMINEE DETAILS					
Name:					
Email Address:					
ECAWA Membership:	Nominee's financial Individual Membership of ECAW	A is valid to at least 30/03/2025	YES	NO	
Institution:					
Institution Address:			Postcode:		
Telephone:	Work:	Mobile:			
Line Manager Name:					
Line Manager Position:					
Line Manager Contact:	Telephone:	Email:			
NOMINATOR DETAILS					
Name:					
Email Address:					
ECAWA Membership Type:					
Institution:			1		
Institution Address:		1	Postcode:		
Telephone:	Work:	Mobile:			
REFEREE 1 DETAILS					
Name:					
Email Address:					
Institution: Institution Address:			Destands		
	Manta	Makila	Postcode:		
Telephone:	Work:	Mobile:			
REFEREE 2 DETAILS					
Name:					
Email Address:					
Institution:					
Institution Address:			Postcode:		
Telephone:	Work:	Mobile:	•		
Signatures					
Nominee Signature					
Nominator Signature					

Nominations will be accepted once personal membership has been confirmed and the nominator has been contacted to verify the validity of the nomination.

Completed nominations must reach ECAWA by 5.00pm on Tuesday, October 8th 2024. .

ECAWA Educator of the Year Scoring Rubric

Directions: Rank each application in the categories below. Use a 4-1 scale with 4 the highest and 1 the lowest in terms of quality of response. (4=strongly agree, 3=Agree, 2 = disagree, 1= strongly disagree).

Name of Nominee:		
The application is complete and ECAWA membership is financial to the date required. (If no, nominee is disqualified.)	Rank	
 Application should have: Cover Sheet – refer to first page re use of Nomination Form as the cover page. Nomination Statement (2 page maximum) Resume or Vitae (1 page) Letters of Recommendation (minimum of two) An additional 4 pages, can elaborate on any of the above. 		
The nominee is a PK-12 classroom teacher.		
The nominee's work has had a significant positive impact on technology use in education; locally, regionally, state wide, and perhaps, nationally, worldwide.		
The nominee has made efforts to involve the community in the initiative or program to facilitate partnerships with business and/or legislative initiatives to advance the use of technology in education.		
The nominee works tirelessly to genuinely improve the quality of education.		
The nominee has integrated deliberate planning in an effort to improve education through the use of technology.		
The quality of education and/or work experience has been significantly advanced in the nominee's workplace as a result of the nominee's efforts.		
The nominee is an active member of ECAWA, and possibly other professional organizations.		
The nominee has contributed to the profession by presenting regularly and recently at ECAWA events, professional conferences, seminars and/or workshops or publishing articles in print or through electronic media such as ECAWeb, LOGIN <i>Light</i> , etc.		
The nominee's work can be used as a model.		
The nominee's work reflects the mission and purpose of ECAWA and the ACCE.		
The nominee will represent ECAWA well in all forums.		
Average Rank		