# 2021 Solids Handling Industry Awards

Application Form

Awards Presentation 21st September

2021



**Solids Handling and Processing Association** 



## 2021 Solids Handling Industry Awards Application Form

**Closing Date 28/02/21** 

Category
Company:
Company contact
Email :
Contact number :
Please briefly explain your reasons for your company's application. Further details are to be provide to demonstrate the validity and provide sufficient evidence for the judges to assess the application. The supporting documentation should be no more than three A4 pages in length.
Each application must comply with the awards criteria and the rules set out in this application form and be signed by a Director of the Company.
Signed Position
Email Date



## Solids Handling and Processing Industry Awards 2021 Awards Criteria

**Export Award**. To be awarded to the organisation which has achieved a step change in their export activities, either by a percentage increase in exports or success in opening up new market(s). Award criteria:-

- Achievement(s) relative to the size of the organisation
- Increased export sales across several markets or in one market, demonstrated by relevant sales figures (confidentiality will be respected).
- A simple narrative explaining how this has been achieved
- Consideration will be given to new, imaginative or bold actions or specific activities that have resulted in export achievements.

**The Innovation Award**. To be awarded to the organisation/collaborating organisations responsible for introducing a new product or service, or substantial modification to an existing product or service. Award criteria:-

- Achievement(s) relative to the size of the organisation
- Innovation or innovative thinking, eg in design or application

**The Newcomer Award.** To be awarded to an individual who has contributed to the Member Company / organisation or developed in the field of bulk solids handling

- Contribution(s) in areas such as sales, design, innovation, apprenticeship or further studies that has/have greatly benefited themselves, their company or organisation.
- A simple narrative explaining how this has been achieved

**Shapa Company of the Year.** To be awarded on the basis of achievements, either through sales success or best practice. Award criteria:-

- Achievement(s) relative to the size of the organisation
- Increased sales
- Recognition for best practice
- Health and safety
- Resilience through Covid

### **Solids Handling and Processing Industry Awards 2021**

### **Awards Rules**

- Entry to these awards is open to all UK registered, member and non-member companies and
  institutions operating in the solids handling and processing industry. The industry comprises
  equipment manufacturers and systems suppliers directly involved in the handling and processing
  of particulate solids.
- 2. Winners will be announced and presented at the awards ceremony in the SHAPA Awards dinner Tuesday 21st September 2021
- 3. Shortlisted applicants are expected to attend the awards ceremony
- 4. All categories are awarded based on the decision of our independent panel of judges.
- 5. An organisation may enter multiple categories.
- 6. The deadline for applications will be the 28<sup>th</sup> February 2021
- 7. The shortlisted entrants will be notified in March 2021
- 8. The judges' decision is final, no correspondence will be entered into and no reasons given for decisions.
- 9. All information provided to the judges will be used solely for the purposes of assessing the entries. Potentially sensitive information will not be made public.
- 10. The winners of the award are able to use the award in any publicity providing that they quote the relevant year of attainment.
- 11. Shapa will publicise the award and its winners on its web site and in relevant journals

The engraved awards can be retained by the winners.