



**JCI’s Ten Outstanding Young Persons (TOYP) 2019**

Program Guide and Nomination Form

**What is the JCI Ten Outstanding Young Persons (TOYP) Program?**

JCI Australia seeks nominations of exemplary young active citizens from across the country in all fields of service, with honourees recognised at the JCI Australia National Convention.

National honourees will have an opportunity to represent JCI Australia in the global TOYP Program.

Each year JCI serves to formally recognise young people who excel in their chosen fields and create positive change through the TOYP Program. By recognising these young people, JCI raises the status of socially responsible leaders in this world. The honourees motivate their peers to seek excellence and serve others. Their stories of discovery, determination and ingenuity inspire young people to be better leaders and create better societies.

Since 1983, JCI has honoured nearly 300 individuals from 57 nations. Past recipients of national awards include such well-known personalities as John F. Kennedy, Henry Kissinger, Elvis Presley, Jackie Chan, Wayne Gretzky and many more, all named before the age of 40 and before they had achieved national prominence. Honourees selected in past years have represented the heights of progress in numerous human endeavours. Many have gone on to even greater achievements. All have continued to serve humanity in a great variety of ways.

If successfully selected by the international program as a TOYP honouree, Australian honourees will be sponsored by JCI to travel to the 2019 World Congress in Tallinn, Estonia from November 4-8 to attend the formal awards ceremony. This includes complimentary registration to World Congress, with flights and accommodation included.

**Australian TOYP Honourees**

A full list of honourees can be seen below, including Thankyou Founder and Managing Director, Daniel Flynn (2014), The Oaktree Foundation Founder and Global Citizen CEO, Hugh Evans (2004) and Zambrero Owner and CEO, Dr. Sam Price.

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| **YEAR** | **TOYP HONOUREE** | **CATEGORY** |
| 2018 | Andrew Mellody | Humanitarian and/or Voluntary Leadership |
| 2018 | Sally Hetherington | Humanitarian and/or Voluntary Leadership |
| 2018 | Weh Ming Yeoh | Contribution to Children, World Peace and/or Human Rights |
| 2017 | Emma Fulu | Contribution to Children, World Peace and/or Human Rights |
| 2017 | Melissa Abu-Gazalah | Humanitarian and/or Voluntary Leadership |
| 2017 | Mr. Scot Farquhar | Business, Economic and/or Entrepreneurial Accomplishments |
| 2016 | Mr. Robert Gilles | Humanitarian and/or Voluntary Leadership |
| 2015 | Dr. John van Bockxmeer | Medical Innovation |
| 2014 | Mr. Daniel Flynn | Business, Economic and/or Entrepreneurial Accomplishments |
| 2014 | Mr. Darren Lomman | Scientific and/or Technological Development |
| 2013 | Ms. Linh Do | Moral and/or Environmental Leadership |
| 2009 | Ms. Leigh Mathews | Contribution to Children, World Peace and/or Human Rights |
| 2008 | Dr. Sam Prince | Humanitarian and/or Voluntary Leadership |
| 2008 | Miss Tania Major | Political, Legal and/or Governmental Affairs |
| 2005 | Mr. Matthew Albert | Contribution to Children, World Peace and/or Human Rights |
| 2004 | Mr. Hugh Evans | Humanitarian and/or Voluntary Leadership |
| 2001 | Mrs. Moira Therese Kelly | Contribution to Children, World Peace and/or Human Rights |
| 1998 | Mrs. Janine Shepherd | Personal Improvement and/or Accomplishment |
| 1988 | Mr. Marty Gauvin | Scientific and/or Technological Development |
| 1987 | Ms. Susan Clasohm | Moral and/or Environmental Leadership |
| 1984 | Mr. Lloyd Fourmile | Political, Legal and/or Governmental Affairs |
| 1984 | Mr. Michael Waldock | Political, Legal and/or Governmental Affairs |

**Nomination Process**

If you know an outstanding young person who is an **Australian citizen** between **18 and 40 years of age**, then you may nominate them in **one of the ten categories** for the Ten Outstanding Young Persons as determined by the International Guidelines:

1. Business, economic, and/or entrepreneurial accomplishment
2. Political, legal, and/or governmental affairs
3. Academic leadership and/or accomplishment
4. Cultural achievement
5. Moral and/or environmental leadership
6. Contribution to children, world peace, and/or human rights
7. Humanitarian and/or voluntary leadership
8. Scientific and/or technological development
9. Personal improvement and/or accomplishment
10. Medical innovation

Note that nominees must also meet the criteria within the General JCI TOYP and TOYP Rules section within this Program Guide.

The Nomination Form can be found at the end of this document.

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| **MILESTONE** | **DATE** |
| Applications open | 11th March 2019 |
| JCI Australia’s TOYP Program nominations close | 6th May 2019 |
| JCI Global TOYP nominations close | 3rd June 2019 |
| Notification of successful TOYP nominations | June/July 2019 |
| JCI Global TOYP honourees announced | 31st August 2019 |
| JCI Australia National Convention, TOYP Forum | 23rd - 24th November 2019 |
| JCI World Congress | 4th  - 8th November 2019 |

**General JCI TOYP and JCI Australia TOYP Rules**

* Nominees must be between 18 and 40 years of age.
* The nominee must be an Australian citizen, or must have applied for Australian citizenship by January 1, 2019.
* Nominees need NOT to be members of the organization, provided they meet all other requirements and register through a JCI National Organization.
* The nominee may not be a current member of the Board at the International, National or Local levels of JCI. In addition, paid staff members will not be considered for the JCI TOYP program.
* The nominee must attend the JCI TOYP Awards Ceremony in Tallinn, Estonia barring extreme circumstances, if selected as a 2019 Honouree.
* Each Nominee may be nominated in only one category per nomination form.
* Nominees must be willing to promote the ideals of JCI for the year 2019/2020 after winning the award.

**Procedures for Judges**

For the 2019 Program, JCI Australia will form a judging panel, which includes at a minimum JCI Australia National President or their delegation, a JCI National President from another National Organisation (if applicable) and one category sponsor representative (if applicable).

In determining the recipients of this recognition, the judges will consider each nominee’s adherence to the principles embodied in the JCI Values:

*That faith in God gives meaning and purpose to human life;*

*That the brotherhood of man transcends the sovereignty of nations;*

*That economic justice can best be won by free men through free enterprise;*

*That government should be of laws rather than of men; That earth’s great treasure lies in human personality; And that service to humanity is the best work of life.*

Furthermore, judges will:

* Examine and assess how each person’s achievement may have benefited his/her community, nation and/or the world.
* Evaluate how each person’s achievements or leadership may have inspired others.
* Assess the nominee’s potential to inspire and connect with JCI members in Australia and whether they would be a positive representative for JCI Australia.
* Use the JCI Australia TOYP judging form for all judging duties.

**Publicity and Media**

JCI Australia will seek media opportunities to promote the 2019 TOYP Program. Local Organisations are encouraged to contact local media contacts to promote and highlight their local nominations for the national program. The Twitter hashtag “#JCIATOYP2019” will be used to publicise and promote the 2019 program on social media**.**

**Local Organisations are requested to tag JCI Australia in all such promotions. For support on Public Relations or Media Matters please email** [**schen@jciaustralia.org.au**](mailto:schen@jciaustralia.org.au) **or reach out via the TOYP Coordinator, Jeffrey Xia on** [**jxia@jciaustralia.org.au**](mailto:jxia@jciaustralia.org.au)**.**

**2019 JCI Australia Ten Outstanding Young Persons Program Nomination Category:**

**[INSERT CATEGORY]**

**Instruction:** Please ensure this Nomination Form is completed in its entirety before its submission. Please adhere to the word limit when prepare the submission. If the field does not apply, please type “N/A”. After completing fully, please email this document and all supporting documents to [**jxia@jciaustralia.org.au**](mailto:jxia@jciaustralia.org.au)

**Part 1: About the Nominee**

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|  | **Instructions** | **Response** |
| First Name | As it appears in ID |  |
| Last Name | As it appears in ID |  |
| Title | Dr, Mr, Ms, Mrs |  |
| Name to Appear on the Award |  |  |
| Citizenship |  |  |
| Date of Birth | YYYY/MM/DD |  |
| Home Address | Incl. City, State,  Post Code |  |
| Email Address |  |  |
| Phone Number |  |  |
| Mobile Number |  |  |
| Profession |  |  |
| Business Name | If applicable |  |
| Business Address | If applicable |  |
| Business Email Address | If applicable |  |
| Business Phone Number | If applicable |  |
| Civil Status | Single, Married,  Divorced, Widowed |  |
| Spouse Name |  |  |
| Children |  |  |
| Affiliations | If applicable |  |
| May JCI Australia contact the Nominee directly regarding the results? |  |  |

**Part 2: About the Nominee’s Academic History**

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| **Education: Degrees, Academic Honours, etc. (max. 500 words)** |
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| **Published works: List most important with a brief description (max. 500 words)** |
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**Part 3: About the Nominee’s Career**

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| **Career Timeline: Outline the Nominee’s career or field of activity (max. 1500 words)** |
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| **Achievements: Provide details on the Nominee’s exceptional achievements, and/or the challenges they have overcome to achieve them (max. 500 words)** |
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**Part 4: About the Nominee’s Honours**

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| **Awards: List the Nominee’s most important awards that illustrate their achievements with a brief description (max. 500 words)** |
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| **Authorities Quotes: List any quotes from authorities that illustrate his/her achievements (max. 500 words)** |
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**Part 5: About the Nominee’s Awards**

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| **Creed: Explain how the Nominee exemplifies the principle expressed in the following line of the JCI Creed, “That service to humanity is the best work of life” (max. 500 words)** |
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| **Summary: In your own words, why do you believe that the Nominee should be selected as one of the JCI Outstanding Young Persons of the World? (max. 500 words)** |
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**Part 6: Documentation**

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| **Documents** | **Instructions** |
| Photograph | Nominee is to provide a good quality, 4" x 6" (10 cm x 15 cm), headand-shoulders photograph along with this nomination form. The photograph must be in JPG format |
| Passport/Drivers Licence/ Birth Certificate | Nominee is to provide a certified copy of his/her ID along with this nomination form to prove the age of the Nominee. This file must be in JPG or PDF format and cannot be greater than 3MB |

**Part 7: Nominator’s Details**

The Nominator, National President and National Board Director will be sent all communications regarding the results.

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| First Name | As it appears in ID |  |
| Last Name | As it appears in ID |  |
| Email Address |  |  |
| Phone Number |  |  |
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**Part 8: Nominee’s Declaration**

The Nominee must sign and declare that the information provided in this nomination form and any attached documents are true and correct and understand that, by signing this form, the Nominee also agrees to:

* Grant JCI Australia the permission to use the information provided in this document to promote JCI events, programs and projects. Information in this case may be reproduced for promotional purposes.
* Support JCI Australia’s ideals by being a JCI Australia Champion for the year 2019/2020 and be willing to promote and/or attend events, programs and projects organised by JCI Australia and its local Chapters.
* Attend, barring extreme circumstances, the JCI Australia National Convention in Melbourne, October 2019, if selected as a 2019 national honouree.
* Attend, barring extreme circumstances, the JCI TOYP Awards Ceremony in Tallinn, Estonia on 4 - 8 November 2019, if selected for a 2019 global honouree.
* We collect your personal information in connection with our role as a professional organisation for young professionals providing education, information and networking opportunities. JCI Australia will not forward your information to other local service providers, corporate partners or any other third party other than JCI. JCI Australia may provide your personal information to event participants and service providers that perform services on their behalf (such as mailing houses). In most cases, you are able to gain access which we hold, on request. In addition, from time to time, JCI Australia may share personal information with corporate partners, joint venture partners or other third parties to promote through direct mail a service or product that they consider to be of personal and/or professional benefit to you. By submitting this form, you consent to them using and disclosing your personal information for this purpose.

**Nominee’s Signature (PRINT NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS):**

**Date:**