

MEDIA RELEASE

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New Category to Recognise Youth Contributions to Energy Sector under Singapore Energy Award 2019

Nominations for the Singapore Energy Award (SEA) 2019 open today with the introduction of a new Youth category. For the first time, the biennial award will recognise youths alongside organisations and individuals with significant contributions to Singapore's energy sector.

2. The Singapore Energy Award for Youths is a new category introduced for SEA 2019 to encourage and recognise the efforts of youths in the energy arena. Together with three other award categories, these aim to recognise contributions that are aligned with EMA's goals of catalysing innovation and enhancing capabilities in the energy sector.

3. Now into its fourth run, SEA 2019 will comprise:

- **[NEW]** Singapore Energy Award for Youths (Individuals only);
- Singapore Energy Award for Capabilities Development (Organisations only);
- Singapore Energy Award for Innovation (Individuals only); and
- Singapore Energy Award for Contributions to the Energy Sector (either Organisations or Individuals).

4. Nominations for SEA 2019 are open from 31 October 2018 to 30 April 2019. Details on the award categories, assessment criteria, assessment process and submission details are in Annex A. Nomination forms are available at www.ema.gov.sg/Singapore_Energy_Award.

5. Since its inception in 2013, SEA has honoured a diverse mix of outstanding individuals and organisations across the public and private sectors (refer Annex B for a list of past award recipients).

6. For enquiries, please contact the SEA Secretariat at SingaporeEnergyAward@ema.gov.sg. Alternatively, visit www.ema.gov.sg/Singapore_Energy_Award for more details.

Award Categories, Assessment Criteria, Assessment Process and Submission Details

Award Categories	The four award categories for SEA 2019 are the: • [NEW] Singapore Energy Award for Youths - Recognises outstanding <u>youths</u> (35 years and below) for their overall contributions to Singapore's energy sector. • Singapore Energy Award for Capabilities Development - Recognises outstanding <u>organisations</u> that have demonstrated strong and sustained efforts in nurturing a competitive, Singaporean-core workforce with the relevant skill sets for Singapore's energy sector. • Singapore Energy Award for Innovation - Recognises outstanding <u>individuals</u> for their specific and sustained contributions to drive technological and business innovations in Singapore's energy sector. • Singapore Energy Award for Contributions to the Energy Sector - Recognises outstanding <u>individuals or organisations</u> for their overall contributions to Singapore's energy sector. The SEA welcomes nominations from: public and private sector organisations/companies; educational/research/training institutions; and individuals (e.g. entrepreneurs and professionals from the energy sector).
Assessment Criteria	All nominations will be evaluated according to the following criteria: • Establishing benchmarks and/or models in growing relevant talent pool and/or enabling research translation; • Exhibiting outstanding leadership and governance in driving manpower efforts and enabling research translation that benefits Singapore's energy landscape; • Sharing knowledge that benefits industry stakeholders and/or wider society; and • Demonstrating successful implementation, taking into account scalability and sustainability of manpower initiative(s)/research outcome(s).

Assessment Process	All nominations are subject to a rigorous selection process culminating in the selection of award recipients(s) by a Judging Panel, which comprises a carefully considered selection of representatives across various disciplines.
Submission Details	Email: SingaporeEnergyAward@ema.gov.sg Or Post: The Singapore Energy Award Secretariat Energy Market Authority 991G Alexandra Road #01-29 Singapore 119975

Past Award Recipients

SEA 2017



Singapore Energy Award for Innovation

Professor Ng Wun Jern, Professor, School of Civil and Environmental Engineering, NTU;
and Former Executive Director, Nanyang Environment & Water Research Institute (NEWRI)



Singapore Energy Award for Contributions to the Energy Sector

Mr Tang Kin Fei, Former Advisor and Director, Sembcorp Industries

SEA 2015



Individual Category

Mr Neil McGregor, Senior Managing Director, Enterprise Development Group, Temasek
and former Chief Executive Officer, Singapore LNG Corporation*

*[*Mr Neil McGregor is now Group President & CEO of Sembcorp Industries (w.e.f. April 2017).]*



Organisation Category

Housing & Development Board

SEA 2013



Individual Category

Mr Quek Poh Huat, Senior Adviser, Singapore Power



Organisation Category

Senoko Energy



Special Mention Award

Energy Carta