



CDEMA COUNCIL'S AWARD

The CDEMA Council's Award is the highest award of the Caribbean Disaster Emergency Management Agency (CDEMA) in recognition and honour of significant long-term efforts and contributions which have clearly influenced the advancement of Comprehensive Disaster Management in the CDEMA Participating States.

Eligible Recipients

Any individual, Agency, Institution or Association (including NGOs, CBOs, Private Sector entities) involved in disaster management in one or more of the CDEMA Participating States.

Criteria for Award

This highest and prestigious award recognizes and honours an individual, organisation or other entity that invests time and resources to make positive changes by:

- Supporting or being responsible for the development of programs aligned to the priority areas of the CDM Strategy which fundamentally change the delivery of disaster management for the better;
- Motivating people or organisations to become actively involved in comprehensive disaster management;
- Working for long-term changes which have positive national and/or regional implications with regard to strengthening disaster resilience

Award Presentation

The Award will be presented to an individual, Agency/Institution/Association at the Gala Closing, Dinner and Awards Ceremony of the 10th Caribbean Conference on Comprehensive Disaster Management on Friday, December 8, 2017 at the Melia Resort, Nassau Bahamas.

Method of Application

No candidate may nominate himself/herself or his/her organisation. Nomination through the attached form must be completed and supported by two references. Power-point presentations or other electronic illustrations of achievements may be submitted with application.

Submission of Application

All applications are to be submitted via electronic mail (email). The address is conferencecoordinator@cdema.org and the subject of the email must state – **2017 Awards Committee**.

Deadline for applications is **November 8th at 11:59p.m. (Barbados time)**

Selecting Awardee

The Awardee will be selected by a panel of judges whose decision will be final.



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NOMINATION FORM

1. CANDIDATE INFORMATION	
Full Name of Candidate	
Profession	
Company/Organisation	
Business/Home Address:	
Nationality	
Telephone: Work	
Telephone: Home	
Telephone: Mobile	
E-mail:	
2. DESCRIPTION OF ACHIEVEMENT (MAXIMUM OF 100 WORDS)	
3. JUSTIFICATION FOR AWARD (500-1000 words narrative describing in "non technical" language the key accomplishment, under the CDM priority area(s) for which the candidate merits this award. Power Point presentation or other electronic illustrations may be submitted along with the narrative.)	

4. NOMINATED BY:	
Name:	
Organisation:	
Address:	
Telephone: Work	
Telephone: Home	
Telephone: Mobile	
E-mail:	
5. SIGNATURE:	

To ACCOMPANY APPLICATION

Two Letters of support from authoritative individuals who are knowledgeable on the subject and familiar with the candidate's accomplishment. Recommendations should state the impact/influence that the Candidate's work has had or is having on the advancement of CDM. **(Not more than 500 words)**