**Outstanding Alumni Award of PolyU BRE 2025**

**Department Award**

**The Award**

The Outstanding PolyU Alumni Award is organised at three levels to promote championship of recognition and engagement of alumni at Department, Faculty/School and University levels.

Established in the 1930s, as part of its ongoing commitment, the Department of Building and Real Estate (BRE) of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (PolyU) has been offering a selection of comprehensive academic programmes to nurture preferred graduates for the construction and real estate industry. Our alumni have excelled in their professions in the region and beyond. The Outstanding Alumni Award of PolyU BRE (formerly named ‘the Outstanding BRE Alumni Award’) aims to give public recognition to outstanding graduates of the Department for their distinguished accomplishments in their professions and staunch contributions to the community, PolyU and BRE.

Nominations for **Outstanding Alumni Award of PolyU Department of Building and Real Estate (BRE)** are now invited for submission.

* Call for nomination starts from 1 July 2025
* Nomination Form returns by 31 July 2025

Selection for Outstanding Alumni Award of PolyU BRE 2025 will be conducted in August 2025.

 **Eligibility**

The nominated candidate must be a graduate who successfully completed a full-time or part-time programme offered by the Department of Building and Real Estate (BRE), PolyU (formerly, ‘Building Department’, ‘Department of Building, Surveying and Structural Engineering’ & ‘Department of Building and Surveying’ of PolyU) which led to academic award accredited by the respective department.

The proposer can be PolyU graduates, Honorary Graduates, University Fellows, PolyU staff, current PolyU Council and Court members and current Advisory Committee members. There is no limit to the number of nominations to be submitted by each proposer. However, the proposer cannot be the candidate himself/ herself or a direct relative of the candidate.

**Award Categories and Selection Criteria**

In addition to honouring distinguished graduates for their distinction in their chosen fields, the Award recognises the alumni’s active support to their alma mater. ***Support and Contribution to PolyU*** is one of the key selection criteria at all levels.

Three specific areas of achievement would be given recognition, they include ***Professional Achievement, Entrepreneurial Achievement, Scholarly Achievement*** and ***Community Service Achievement***.

Alumni who are aged at/under 40 would be eligible for the Outstanding Young Alumni Award.

**Selection Criteria**

The selection of the Award considers two criteria:

1. **Support and Contribution to PolyU**: This key criterion considers nominee’s support and contribution to PolyU, including his/her leadership and/or support in University event and/or alumni activities, support in advisory committee, teaching, research, or student development, as well as support rendered to PolyU initiatives including financial / in-kind donation, or sponsorship.
2. **Achievement Areas:** Three achievement areas serve as a framework for assessing nominee’s achievements in the concerned areas. They include ***Professional Achievement, Entrepreneurial Achievement,*** and ***Scholarly Achievement***.

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| **Achievement Area** | **Description** |
| Professional Achievement  | This achievement area recognises alumni who have attained distinguished achievements, demonstrated exemplary leadership, and made a strong impact on their profession / industry / society.  |
| Entrepreneurial Achievement | This achievement area recognizes alumni who have demonstrated outstanding innovation and entrepreneurship, as well as founded or advanced business or technology ventures with impact.  |
| Scholarly Achievement | This achievement area recognises alumni scholars who have made notable scholarly or research contributions in their disciplines, with proven track record and excellent reputation in the field.  |

*Notes: The bestowal of the award shall subject to individual merits of the candidates. No award shall be given out in a certain category if no suitable candidate is identified.*

Alumni who are aged at/under 40 in the award selection year would be eligible for the Outstanding Young Alumni Award.

**Nomination to Next Level of Award**

The Department’s awardee(s) of current year (one senior awardee and one young awardee) will be normally nominated to the Faculty Award (Outstanding Alumni Award of PolyU FCE). All Faculty/School awardees of current year will be nominated to the University Award (Outstanding PolyU Alumni Award).

 **Selection Committee**

The Selection Committee of Department of Building and Real Estate will examine the nominations and assess candidates’ qualifications and performance for the awards.

**Confidentiality**

All information submitted on the nomination form will be kept strictly confidential and will only be used by the Selection Committee for the purpose of the selection process. The candidate will not be contacted by the Secretariat until he/she is selected as the awardee of the Outstanding Alumni Award of PolyU BRE.

**Notice of Revocation of Awards**

Failure to provide complete and accurate information in respect of the nomination by the proposer may result in disqualification of the candidate. After an award is presented, it may be withdrawn by the University when it is deemed appropriate. The University reserves the rights to amend the rules and criteria at all times.

**Enquiries**

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**Nomination Form for Outstanding PolyU Alumni Award of PolyU BRE 2025
Department of Building and Real Estate (BRE)**

*This form contains six parts, and all parts must be completed.* ***Please submit a color passport photo of the candidate, and photocopy of certificate(s), award(s), and supplementary documents, if any, with this form to bscyeung@polyu.edu.hk by 31 July 2025 (Hong Kong Time).*** *If necessary, candidates may be requested to produce the originals of the certificate(s), award(s), and supplementary documents for verification.*

**Part I – Candidate’s Personal Particulars**

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| Salutation: Prof. / Dr / Ir / Sr / Mr / Mrs / Ms / Miss *(please delete where appropriate)* |
| Name in English: |
| Name in Chinese: |
| Year of Birth:  | Mobile No.: |
| Email Address: | LinkedIn, *if any*:  |
| Correspondence Address: |
| Educational Background: (*Academic qualifications awarded by PolyU and other tertiary institution, in reverse chronological order*)e.g. Bachelor of Science in Electronic Engineering, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (2000) |
| Professional Qualifications:e.g. CPA, CFP, J.D., M.D. |
| Honour(s) and Award(s):e.g. JP, MH, BBS, SBS, GBS. |
| Career History:*(Current and previous job position(s) and organization(s), in reverse chronological order*)e.g. Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, ABC Corporation (1 Feb 2000 – present) |
| Current Job:

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| Organisation:  |  |
| Website: |  |
| About the organisation: | Please briefly describe the size (e.g. no. of employees, offices) and nature of the organisation.  |
| Position: |  |
| Description of roles and responsibilities: |  |

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**Part II – Candidate’s Support and Contribution to PolyU**

*Please list out candidate’s support and contributions to PolyU, and provide the details.*

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| Leadership and/or participation in University events and/or alumni activities:e.g. A guest speaker of an alumni talk, serving as a committee member of alumni association

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| Support in advisory committee / teaching / research / student development / knowledge transfer:e.g. Serving as an external examiner, a member in departmental advisory committee, as a mentor for students, or offering internship or WIE to students

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| Financial contribution / in-kind donation / sponsorship: |
| Other support*, if any*: |

**Part III – Nomination for Achievement Areas**

Please tick one area that best exemplifies the candidate’s achievements.

* **Professional Achievement**
*This achievement area recognises alumni who have attained distinguished achievements, demonstrated exemplary leadership, and made a strong impact on their profession / industry / society.*
* **Entrepreneurial Achievement**
*This achievement area recognises alumni who have demonstrated outstanding innovation and entrepreneurship, as well as founded or advanced business or technology ventures with impact.*
* **Scholarly Achievement**
*This achievement area recognises alumni scholars who have made notable scholarly or research contributions in their disciplines, with proven track record and excellent reputation in the field.*

**Part IV – Candidate’s Achievements / Accomplishments**

*Please provide the details and provide supplementary information, where applicable.*

**(1) Professional Achievement**

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| Accomplishments and reputation in the profession / industry / public service:  |
| Innovation and impact on the profession / industry / community / society:  |
| Recognition and awards received from the profession / industry / community / society: Please specify the name of the recognition/ award, organizer, country/ region, and year of recognition.  |

**(2) Entrepreneurial Achievement**

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| Nature, size and development of the business or technology venture / enterprise:

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| Candidate’s role:  | 🞏 Founder / Co-founder 🞏 Shareholder 🞏 Management (Please specify candidate’s roles) |
| Year of establishment: |  |
| About the venture / enterprise: | For Startup, please specify the stage of development e.g. Seed stage, Series A, if applicable.For others, please indicate it is a listed or private company.  |
| Website: |  |
| Major products / services: |  |
| Development: | Please describe the candidate’s leadership and contributions in developing or advancing a business or technology venture (such as a startup) or an established enterprise. |
| Technology: | Please specify the technologies developed, if any. |
| Financial information: | Revenue (in HKD): Valuation*, if applicable* (in HKD):  |

*Please provide and attach relevant information on the above if applicable.*  |
| Innovation of the venture / enterprise, and impact on industry / community / society: |
| Recognition and awards received from the industry / community / society:Please specify the name of the recognition/ award, organizer, country/ region, and year of recognition.  |

**(3) Scholarly Achievement**

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| Scholarly and research achievements with an emphasis on impact on society:Please highlight the impact of the scholarly and research activities of the candidate.  |
| Reputation and leadership in the field: |
| Scholarly / research recognition and awards:Please specify the name of the recognition/ award, organizer, country/ region, and year of recognition.  |

**Part V – Proposer’s Recommendation**

*In no more than 200 words, please share why you recommend this candidate for the Award.*

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**Part VI – Proposer’s Particulars**

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| Affiliation with PolyU:🞎 Graduate of PolyU or its forerunners (Award Year: \_\_\_\_\_\_; Award Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)🞎 Staff member of PolyU 🞎 Honorary Graduate / University Fellow 🞎 Member of Council / Court of PolyU 🞎 Member of advisory committee of Department / Faculty / School / University  (please specify: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) |
| **Personal Information Collection Statement** All information submitted on this nomination form will be kept strictly confidential and will only be used by the Selection Committee for the purpose of the selection process. The Department of Building and Real Estate will send information to the proposer and candidate including results announcement, etc. through various communication channels by using the personal data provided (including name, email address, mailing address and telephone number). Proposers and candidates can access to or change their personal data by contacting the Department of Building and Real Estate of PolyU at **Tel: (852) 2766 5815 / Email: bscyeung@polyu.edu.hk**. **Declaration**I attest to all the facts in this nomination form (and its attachments). I hereby declare that I agree to abide by the selection regulations for the Outstanding Alumni Award of PolyU BRE. I am prepared to provide any further information or documents requested by the Department of Building and Real Estate.  |
| Signature of Proposer:  | Date: |