

Leeds Manufacturing Awards 2023

The 2023 Leeds Manufacturing Festival sees the return of the Leeds Manufacturing Festival Awards, recognising the achievements of the sector's next generation of manufacturing leaders and rising stars, together with best practice in training and workforce development.

- Do you have an apprentice who has excelled at learning and has made a big impact in the workplace?
- Is there a younger member of your team who has achieved something exceptional or made an outstanding contribution to the business?
- Is there an employee who joined your business in an entry-level role but has progressed to a more senior position, supervisory or leadership role?
- As an employer, are you committed to best practice and invest heavily in training and workforce development?

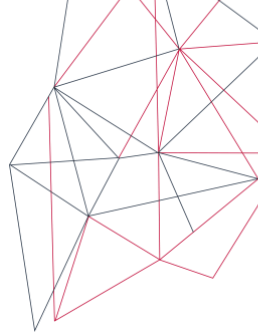
Then we want to hear about your staff, your company and your successes, which will be celebrated at an invitation-only awards evening to be compered by Greg Wright, business editor of the Yorkshire Post and hosted by MPM Ltd at its manufacturing facility in Bramley (Anchor Works, Swinnow Lane, Leeds LS13 4TY).

To nominate a member of your team in one of the four award categories, please complete the nomination form and return it no later than **Monday 3/4/23 to Ben Wilson, Chair of Leeds Manufacturing Alliance: Ben@mpmbradford.co.uk**

The award categories are:

- **Apprentice of the year:** this can be for a young person who has just joined the company as an apprentice or for an existing member of staff who has signed up for an apprenticeship to develop their career.
- **Future manufacturing leader:** for a young member of staff who has won the trust and confidence of their colleagues is making a difference as a team leader or in a supervisory / managerial role.
- **Rising star:** for a young member of your team who has made an outstanding contribution to the business.
- **Employer of the year:** recognising the employer that has shown outstanding commitment to training and workforce development

The awards ceremony will take place on **Thursday 20/4/23 (6pm – 8pm)**, with attendance by invitation only for award winners, sponsors, participants and supporters of the 2023 Leeds Manufacturing Festival.



EMPLOYEE NOMINATION FORM: 'Apprentice of the year', 'Rising star' and 'Future manufacturing leader'

Your name:

Position:

Email address:

Tel no:

Company name:

Turnover:

Category of award:

Name of nominee:

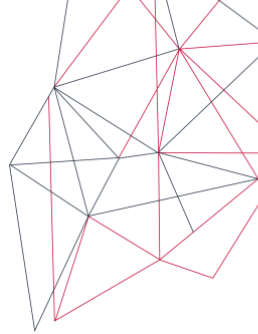
Position:

How long they have worked for your company:

Three words that best describe the person you have nominated and the contribution they make:

Explain in no more than 250 words why you have nominated them, including details of:

- The nominee's current role within the company.
- Work activities, achievements and personal qualities that are noteworthy and / or outstanding.
- Approach to personal development including any off-the-job training, qualifications gained or being studied for.
- Why, in overall terms, the nominee deserves the award.



COMPANY NOMINATION FORM: 'Employer of the year'

Your name:

Position:

Email address:

Tel no:

Company name:

Turnover:

Category of award: Employer of the year

Name of company representative who will receive award on your behalf:

Position:

Three words that best describe the company's approach to training and workforce development:

Explain in no more than 250 words your company's approach to training and workforce development, to include:

- The company's approach to induction and training new staff
- Details of apprenticeship training programmes and the training providers the company works with
- The company's approach to training and development of existing staff, to include professional qualifications, career pathways and personal development opportunities
- Why, in overall terms, the organisation deserves the award.