2015 Award for the Best Entrepreneurial Educator of the Year

AWARD GUIDELINES
Objective
To recognise the importance of education in the process of developing and nurturing entrepreneurs and to showcase best practice in entrepreneurial education.

The Award is part of a program of prestigious awards initiated in 1998 to recognise outstanding achievements in collaboration between business and higher education. The objective of the program is to highlight at a national level the benefits of such collaboration and enhance links between industry and universities.

Award Presentation
The presentation of the award will be made at the B/HERT Awards Dinner on Tuesday, November 17, 2015 in Melbourne, Crown Towers, Palladium C. The winner of the Best Entrepreneurial Educator of the Year Award will be presented with an engraved trophy and a travel voucher to the value of $1,000.

Guests at the dinner and Award presenters will include B/HERT members, vice-chancellors, CEOs, senior executives from industry/professional associations, key stakeholders, government representatives and members of the community.

Eligibility
Educators of post-secondary school, vocational education, training institutions, universities, employment programs to adult education programs are eligible.

Criteria for Assessment
1. Effective involvement of industry in the design, implementation and evaluation of entrepreneurial educational activities.
2. Encouragement of students in the practice of entrepreneurship.
3. Is the educator’s work a model for others?
4. Demonstrable outcomes of the educator’s work - development by students of new products, processes or services.
5. Has the educator’s work made a difference to the attitudes, self-esteem, behaviour, opportunities, values and employment outcomes of their students?

Note: Provision has been made for submissions to attach tables, photographs, graphics or video clips (a maximum of 10Mb can be uploaded as an attachment; files larger than 10Mb should be uploaded on YouTube via upload button and the link provided below.) The inclusion of such multimedia demonstrations is highly recommended if they serve to highlight the scope of a project’s effectiveness.

All applications must be submitted electronically at:
http://bhert.eawards.com.au/newentry/myinfo.php In the event that the submission is successful and receives an Award, B/HERT may want to utilise some of this material to better illustrate what the program/ project involves at the Awards Dinner.
Application Process

1. Applications open **Monday June 1st, 2015.**

2. Deadline for applications is **Monday September 7th, 2015, COB.**

3. Judging panel will be comprised of members of the B/HERT Board.

4. Winners of the B/HERT Awards will be announced at the 2015 B/HERT Awards Dinner on **Tuesday November 17th 2015 in Melbourne, Crown Towers, Palladium C.**

5. The winner will be presented with a trophy at the Awards Dinner and a travel voucher to the value of $1,000.


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