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## 2025 IWA Water and Development Awards nominations

### International Water Association (IWA)

The call for nominations for the 2025 IWA Water and Development Awards is now open! The awards recognise excellence, leadership, and innovation in the water sector and aim to encourage the sustainable management of water in low—and middle-income countries.

- The Water and Development Award for Practice celebrates outstanding accomplishments in the practice of forward-thinking applications and solutions to advance clean and safe water and sanitation in low and middle-income countries. These solutions can range from specific technologies and infrastructure to innovative approaches that improve performance, efficiency and sustainability in operations and maintenance. The award also recognises social innovation, social enterprise and social entrepreneurship.
- The Water and Development Award for Research recognises and promotes high-quality, impactful research. Research is the powerhouse of disruptive and breakthrough innovation. This award celebrates research that is challenging existing methods and approaches to create new opportunities in the area of sustainable water and sanitation in low- and middle-income countries. It is open to research of all types, as well as early-stage business projects that are not yet market ready.

### Eligibility

- The awards are open to individuals (IWA member or non-member) or organisations active in the sector.
- Eligible individuals/organisations can be drawn from practice, academia/science, consultancy, equipment manufacturers, NGOs and civil society, international organisations or government

The 2025 winners will be announced and receive their awards at the IWA Water and Development Congress & Exhibition, 8-12 December, Bangkok, Thailand.

The call for nominations closes on 11 May 2025 at 23:59 BST (London time).

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