

THE OUTSTANDING TECHNOLOGY COMMERCIALIZATION AWARD (Gregorio Y. Zara Medal)

The award is given in recognition of the efforts of technology generators and developers whose technologies have been commercialized. Only one award will be given every year.

Entries may come from any of the following such as:

- Agriculture (including Fisheries and Forestry)
- Industry and Engineering (Energy, Environment, Earth Science, Textile, Process, Mining and Minerals, Materials Science, Transportation, Wood and Wood Products, Construction)
- Health and Nutrition and Related Pharmaceuticals and Social Sciences
- Information Communications Technology (ICT), Multimedia, Electronics, Software, etc.

CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION

The Outstanding Technology Commercialization awardee will be chosen by the Board of Judges. The Board of Judges will formulate their own guidelines of judging based on the suggested criteria:

- Contribution to technological development
 - a. originality/novelty/usefulness, innovation/adaptation (Patentability)
 - b. potential for local value-added
- Commercialization Scale (Profitability and Productivity)
- Use of environment-friendly materials/technology
- Direct benefits to the public
- Presentation of Paper

GUIDELINES

- a) The contest is open to all technologists and inventors who are Filipino citizens
- b) Technology must have been commercialized within ten (10) years (from point of adoption) preceding the award
- c) Each entry must have a write-up on his/her technology which is incorporated in the nomination document.
- d) Nominations may be made by heads of government or private research institutions, departments of colleges or universities, or academic/professional organizations or societies.
- e) The Board of Judges may, if found necessary, visit the plant/s commercializing the technology and interview the candidates
- f) Decisions of the Board of Judges shall be final and unappealable.
- g) The Board of Judges has the right not to declare any winner.

THE PRIZE

Winner will receive a cash prize, medal and a plaque.

Nomination Form
(Please follow this format)

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1. Name of nominee:

First Name:

Middle Name:

Surname:

2. Date of Birth:
Place of Birth:

3. Age: Sex:
Civil Status: Nationality:

4. Address:

5. Telephone Number:
E-mail Address:

6. Organization/Institute represented:

7. Educational background (Tabulate School/University Address/Degree and Year Obtained)

Degree	Institution/University	Honors/Award	Year awarded

8. Research Project/Activities Published (only those in connection with the entry):
(Tabulate Author (s), Title, Publication, Volume, Page, Year)

9. Title of Entry:

A. Description of the Technology (not more than 1000 words)
-include information about the patent registration

B. Contribution to Technological Development
-originality/novelty/usefulness/innovation/adaptation (Patentability)
-potential for local value-added
-impact of the technology on productivity and profitability

C. Commercialization Scale (Profitability and Productivity)
-include profile of the production/services, marketing and financial operations (including list of technology adopters and their addresses)

D. Use of environment-friendly materials/technology

E. Direct benefits to the public

10. Three (3) references (Include addresses.)

11. Certification of nominator:

This is to certify that _____ nominates
_____ Name of Organization/Institution for the Outstanding Technology
Name of Nominee Commercialization Award (Gregorio Y. Zara Medal). This is also to certify that the nominee is known to me to be of good moral character.

Name and Signature of Nominator

Institution

Position/Designation

Address

Telephone/Fax Nos./Email address

Date prepared

Agreement of Nominee

I hereby agree to (1) abide by the rules and regulations of the competition; (2) give additional information as may be requested; (3) be available should the Screening Committee/Board of Judges require my presence; and (4) receive the award in person, if selected.

Signature of nominee over printed name