

K-12/STEM YOUTH OUTREACH AWARD NOMINATON

Revised September 2018

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| Name of Nominee: |  |
| Region: |  |
| Chapter: |  |
| Address: |  |
| Phone: |  |
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Nomination submitted by:

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**Award**

The Student Activities Committee awards the K-12/STEM Youth Outreach Award annually to an ASHRAE member who actively engages a K-12 audience in their country, region or local community through science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) activities. The selected nominee will receive the award during the Plenary Session of the next annual meeting.

**Nomination and Deadline**

The Assistant Manager of Student Activities must receive nominations by midnight eastern standard time December 31. The nomination must include a completed version of this form, current ASHRAE biographical record, and digital photo of the nominee. Submit your nomination to the Assistant Manager of Student Activities through e-mail at [kthomson@ashrae.org](mailto:kthomson@ashrae.org).

**Criteria**

The following criteria are for the K-12/STEM Youth Outreach Award:

1. The K-12 / STEM Youth Outreach Award shall be presented annually but may be omitted if a suitable candidate is not identified.
2. The K-12 / STEM Youth Outreach Award will consist of an 8x11-inch plaque, which will state: “In recognition for outstanding achievement ensuring children receive STEM training for future success.”
3. The Student Activities Committee will review nominations and recommend one nominee for consideration to the Honors and Awards Committee.
4. The Student Activities Committee shall consider the points and the written explanation in its deliberations.
5. Award points shall be cumulative with at least 30 points required. Use the following table:

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| **Item Description** | **Available** | **Maximum** | **Earned** |
| Serve as the Chapter K-12/STEM Chair | 2 / year | 8 |  |
| Earn the Chapter K-12/STEM Leadership Award | 3 / award | 12 |  |
| Participate in an Engineering for Girls Program  *Examples: Introduce a Girl to Engineering Day, GEMS, Girl Scouts, Girls in Engineering, etc.* | 1 / hour | 20 |  |
| Participate in a one-day event for school kids *Examples: Math Counts, Future City Competition, Engineering Festival* | 5 / event | 20 |  |
| Participate as a coach, mentor, judge, or grader for student group  *Examples: First Lego® League, Math Counts, Future City Competition, Engineering Festival, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, STEM Scouts* | 1 / hour | 20 |  |
| Organize a technical tour for a K-12 student group | 5 / tour | 20 |  |
| Conduct a K-12 school visit  *Examples: career fair, classroom presentation with activity, science fair* | 2 / visit | 20 |  |
| Volunteer for the U.S. Department of Energy Solar Decathlon | 10 / event | 10 |  |
| **Total Points Earned** *(minimum of 30 points required for consideration)***:** | | |  |

**Explanation of the nominee’s qualifications***(include list and description of actual activities)*

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