



# Young Development Professional Award 2021



Young Development Professional Partner





## OVERVIEW

The UDIA WA & Stockland Young Development Professional Award celebrates and encourages the future leaders of our industry. For over a decade the annual Young Development Professional Award has recognised excellence in the next generation of development industry professionals, and promoted dedicated young professionals with the drive to succeed.

The winner of this prestigious award will not only gain entry to a range of educational and networking events throughout the year, they will receive industry wide recognition for their hard work and success to date.

On top of a significant cash prize, the scholarship also includes full registration to the UDIA Professional Development Program and access to a range of UDIA events throughout the year.

Self-nomination and third party nominations will be accepted. Please ensure that entry requirements as stated in this nomination kit/ online platform is completed and all required documentation is included. Submissions must be complete to be considered.

UDIA WA is focused on developing young professionals by exposing them to career development and networking opportunities through participation in activities offered by UDIA.

An upcoming young professional in the urban development sector will be selected as the most outstanding young talent in the industry.

Our chosen Young Development Professional will be the ambassador for the young development professionals in 2021/22 and act as a link between young development professionals, UDIA and the industry at large. The Young Development Professional for 2021 will be announced at the 2021 UDIA Awards for Excellence Gala to be held on Saturday, 11 September 2021 and will be awarded with the 2021 Young Development Professional Trophy.

\*Applicant must be 29 years old or younger at the entry closing date

#### THE 2021 SCHOLARSHIP PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- The 2021 Young Development Professional Award
- Complimentary registration to the UDIA WA Professional Development course in 2022 valued at \$4,580
- Complimentary ticket to attend each UDIA
  WA Industry Luncheon (x4 in 2022)
- Complimentary ticket to attend each UDIA
  WA Industry Breakfast (x4 in 2022)
- Complimentary ticket to attend each UDIA
  Outlook event (approx. 4 in 2022)
- A cash prize (cheque) for \$2,000
- The winning nominee will also have the opportunity to become an active member of the Outlook Committee in 2022

# 2021 KEY DATES\*\*

- 30 April Nominations Open
- 30 June Nominations Close
- 22 July Interviews Held
- 6 August
- Interviews Heid
- 11 Sept Winner announced at the UDIA WA Awards for Excellence Gala Dinner

\*\*Dates subject to change







#### FROM THE CEO



TANYA STEINBECK CEO, UDIA WA

It is our pleasure to open nominations for the 2021 UDIA WA & Stockland Young Development Professional Award for 2021.

This award is now in its 17th year and continues to offer young professionals working in the urban development industry recognition of their hard work and dedication to the industry to date.

Winners of this award have the opportunity to build on their knowledge, skills and connections in the development industry given the outstanding professional development and networking events included in the prize.

Previous winners of this award have gone on to prove what a fantastic opportunity this award can deliver, including career progression and greater involvement in the industry more broadly.

The YDP award panel will be looking for a young professional who has not only proven they have clear career aspirations, we are also seeking someone who wants to broaden their horizons and act as an ambassador to other young professionals.

We encourage young professionals to take advantage of what this award has to offer, and we look forward to meeting and working with the winner in the year to come.

## FROM THE SPONSOR



COL DUTTON General Manager Communities WA, Stockland

Stockland is proud to once again sponsor the Young Development Professional Scholarship in 2021.

At Stockland, we share the UDIA's recognition and support for the contribution that talented young professionals bring to our industry. Our own initiatives such as the Stockland Graduate Program and Ervin Graf Scholarship provide opportunities for high potential graduates and undergraduates to start their careers in the property industry.

It is these important programs and the ongoing work of the UDIA that will ensure our industry continues to attract great young talent, lead innovation and foster the early career development of our future leaders.

The Young Development Professional Scholarship is an amazing opportunity for anyone with a desire to succeed in our industry and I encourage you to nominate in 2021.







#### ENTRY DETAILS

Entries close COB Wednesday 30 June 2021 and are to be submitted through the online portal (<u>udiawa.awardsplatform.com</u>).

#### JUDGING CRITERIA

Your submission must address the following criteria:

- Qualifications (must have a minimum 2 years' experience following graduation from undergraduate qualification)
- Career overview detailing professional achievements and contribution to the industry
- Current position
- Career development goals for the next 5 years and an identified path to achieve these
- Ability to take on a UDIA ambassador role for young professionals and be actively involved in the delivery of new initiatives
- Two references supporting your submission-1 x personal and 1 x professional (these are additional to the 4 page limit)
- A high-resolution head-shot (minimum size 3MB) and an electronic copy of your biography

#### SUBMITTING YOUR ENTRY

Self-nomination and third party nominations will be accepted.

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#### JUDGING PROCESS

Submissions will be considered by a panel consisting of:

- The 2020 Award Recipient
- A senior representative from Stockland, the Young Development Professional Partner
- A UDIA Councillor

The panel will select a short list of entries to participate in an interview – the outcome of which will decide the winning nominee. Interviews will be held between 22 July and 6 August 2021.

The winner will be announced at the 2021 UDIA Awards for Excellence Gala on Saturday, 11 September 2021.

#### FURTHER INFORMATION

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