

# Construction Excellence Awards (CEA) - Call for Nominees



**Application Deadline: Thursday, January 15, 2015**

**Construction Excellence Awards (CEA)** is an exclusive competition that recognizes outstanding Drywall and Plaster workmanship. Only **WACA** contracting members can enter this select competition. The **Construction Excellence Awards** honors contractors that have performed exceptional wall and ceiling construction projects in Northern California. The award recipients will be invited to the **Construction Excellence Awards** ceremony to showcase their winning projects. Entrants are evaluated by an independent panel of two certified American Institute of Architects (AIA) judges. These judges select the top projects, including our "Project of the Year" winners.

## Project Categories

- ❖ Residential Exterior & Interior
- ❖ Commercial Exterior & Interior
- ❖ Retail Exterior & Interior
- ❖ Institutional Exterior & Interior
- ❖ Historical Interior & Exterior
- ❖ EIFS
- ❖ Ceilings
- ❖ Green Building
- ❖ Project of the Year Under \$500,000 - Interior
- ❖ Project of the Year Under \$500,000 - Exterior
- ❖ Project of the Year Over \$500,000 - Interior
- ❖ Project of the Year Over \$500,000 - Exterior

## ELIGIBILITY & CRITERIA:

- All projects entered must have been completed or constructed in the last 12 months from the application deadline of **Thursday, January 15, 2015**.
- Only two (2) projects per company can be entered in each category.
- The application must be filled out thoroughly. One paragraph *minimum* is required describing the project. See application for details.
- **Project Photos Requirements: Minimum of 5 photos = required with application.** Photos should demonstrate the work from start to finish, exhibiting the quality of work performed. **Photos must be HIGH QUALITY/RESOLUTION.** This is so judges can properly evaluate the project. Project photos of winners will be used for the video production.
- Projects should be accessible to the judges for viewing.
- All projects entered must have been performed in Northern California by a **Wall And Ceiling Alliance (WACA)** contracting member.
- Photography and vignettes of winning projects will be used for WACA promotional use such as (but not necessarily limited to) eNewsletters, website, press releases, and industry publications.

**How to Enter:** There are two ways to enter. The application form and photos can be **emailed** to Mike Nonn at [mike@wcbureau.org](mailto:mike@wcbureau.org), OR **mailed** to Mike Nonn, WACA Office, 5726 Sonoma Drive, Pleasanton CA 94566.