

# Awards

## Climate Action Award 2023

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This award category is to recognise our region's impactful, innovative, and transformative activities, including carbon reduction and climate adaptation, leading the sector towards a highly resilient, sustainable, and low-carbon future.

Entrants should focus on the implementation of new processes, activities, projects, or solutions that achieve real and demonstrable results, this could include behaviour change programmes, collaboration programmes, positive sustainable action and outcomes for local communities, or climate research with exemplary and promising trials into viable real-world solutions.

Some key questions to consider for your entry include:

Have you demonstrated how you are doing things differently from previous practice?

Have you demonstrated or evidenced the benefits, impacts and attributes?

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Entries must clearly explain how the submission meets the criteria specified.

### Judging Criteria for the Award:

- Innovation (15)
- Impact (evidence, data, testimonials) (15)
- Implementation – how was this work rolled out / delivered? (10)
- Potential for wider implementation (10)
- Quality of submission (5)
- Any additional attributes, please consider the following examples (10):
  - Value for money
  - Efficiencies, cost savings
  - Ease of use
  - Alignment with strategy e.g., [CIHT Strategy 2022+](#)
  - Etc.

### How to enter

To enter this award please complete an [Entry Form](#) and provide a 1,000-word maximum (not including tables, figures etc.) supporting document on your entered project, and return it to [regions@ciht.org.uk](mailto:regions@ciht.org.uk).

Please ensure that you have read the [Important Submission Information](#) before submitting your entry. **The deadline for entries is 23:59 on Monday 14 August 2023.** Shortlisted entries will be notified in September. Winners will be announced at

the CIHT EM Awards Dinner at the Nottingham Belfry Hotel on the evening of Thursday 9 November 2023 and details published through a variety of media platforms.