

ICOM Australia Awards 2025

The ICOM Australia Awards recognise and celebrate outstanding work undertaken by Australian individuals and institutions that has strengthened international relations and contributed to the cultural richness of museums and galleries.

Australian museums and galleries enrich the cultural, social and intellectual lives of all Australians and contribute to well-informed, tolerant, cohesive communities. The exchange of ideas and expertise internationally is an important part of expanding these opportunities.

ICOM Australia encourages nominations for the 2025 ICOM Australia Awards. Guidelines Nominations are open to ICOM and non-ICOM members for both the individual and institution awards. Nominations must be made by current financial ICOM Australia Members.

Nominations can come from industry peers or self-nominations. Current Members of the ICOM Australia Executive Board are not eligible for nomination of an individual award, however their organisations can be nominated for institutional awards.

Assessment

An assessment panel, consisting of up to 4 members of the ICOM Australia Executive Board and one external member, will assess the individual and institution nominations received and recommend the Award recipients to the Executive Board.

The Board has the right not to confer an Award if they believe nominations are not of sufficient quality and relevance.

The Board's decision is final, and no correspondence will be entered into.

Copyright

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Awards Ceremony

To be presented at the ICOM Australia AGM in Sydney on 17 October 2025.

ICOM Australia may contribute to attendance costs at the ceremony if practical.

Nomination submission

Completed nomination form
Supplementary material (maximum 5 pages)

Nominations are due by COB 31 July 2025.

How to send nominations

Please complete and submit via post or email to ICOM Australia Awards Committee

Post to:

**ICOM Awards Committee
ICOM Australia
c/o Vicki Northey PSM
National Museum of Australia
GPO Box 1901
Canberra ACT 2601**
Email to:
info@icom.org.au

All nominations must be received by close of business 31 July 2025.
The winners will be advised before the end of September 2025.