

Call for Entries Southwest Contractor's Best of 08

Submission Deadline: August 22nd, 2008

Southwest Contractor is seeking outstanding construction projects located in Arizona, Nevada and New Mexico for its Best of 2008 competition. Winners will be featured in the December issue of *Southwest Contractor*, and will be honored at our 6th annual awards banquet in December.

CRITERIA/ JUDGING

- There is no entry fee.
- Construction must be completed between July 1, 2007 and September 31, 2008 (phased projects are allowed).
- Winners will be selected by a panel of independent judges selected from the industry.
- There is no limit to the number of projects you can enter.
- You can enter each project in up to three (3) categories.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Please include the following with each project submittal.

All items should be hard-copy and sent in a binder or folder:

- **Entry Form** - available on our website at www.southwest.construction.com
- **Project Description** - address the following criteria, relating to the category you are entering in: 1) Design Excellence 2) Quality of Construction 3) Innovation 4) Overcoming Challenges 5) Contribution to the Community and Construction Industry.
- **Project Team** - List your project team, including owner, architect, GC, engineers and subcontractors.
- **Photography** - Include several photographs of the project. Most entries include 3 to 15 photographs. Renderings are allowed but must be accompanied by completed project photos.
- **Disc** - If possible, include a disc with your photos in digital form in addition to the hard copies for judging. The disc will be used for the magazine and awards ceremony.
- **Organize** - Place your entry materials in a folder or binder. The judges will review each entry packet in hard copy form, so entirely electronic entries cannot be accepted.

CATEGORIES

You may submit your project in up to three categories.

Your description/photos should relate to the categories you are entering in.

- Healthcare
- Retail/Restaurant/Hospitality
- Office/Industrial
- Government
- Education (K-12 or Higher Education)
- Transportation
- Civil/Infrastructure (Water/Waste/Utility)
- Private Project, Other
- Public Project, Other
- Sustainable Public "Green" Project
- Sustainable Private "Green" Project
- Interior Design/T.I.
- Landscape/Urban Design
- Engineering Design
- Renovation/ Restoration
- Masonry
- Mechanical/Electrical
- Steel
- Concrete
- Best Project Management, Project Team and Delivery
- Casino/Gaming (Nevada only)



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Mail entries to: Best of 2008, Southwest Contractor, 4747 E. Elliot Rd., #29-339, Phoenix AZ 85044

For Entry Form, visit our website at www.southwest.construction.com.

Questions? Call Tom at 480.656.7764 or Scott at 480.656.7615, or email scott_blair@mcgraw-hill.com

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**Please complete the information exactly as it should appear in print.
Copy this form if needed for additional submissions. Please insert into your binder.**

Name of project _____

Construction Start Date _____ Completion Date _____

Construction Cost _____

Entry category (ies) _____

Submitting Company _____

Submitter's Contact Name _____

Contact phone _____ Fax _____

Contact email _____

Contact Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Project GC or CM _____

Project Design Firm _____

Project Owner/ Client _____

Submissions Checklist

- Entry Form
- Hard Copy Photos for Judging
- Print-ready photos on disk or high resolution hard copies
- Written project description
- List of all project participants including gc, owner, architect, subcontractors and engineers.

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