

Nominations open for

# PMI KERALA AWARDS 2024





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#### **ABOUT US**

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PMI Kerala Chapter was established in the year 2003 with an aim to build professionalism in project management. The Chapter is jubilantly celebrating its 20th anniversary, marking two decades of excellence and dedication in the field of project management. Over the years, this chapter has grown into a vibrant and dynamic community of professionals who have played a pivotal role in advancing the discipline of project management across the region.

Submit your proposal to awards@pmikerala.org on or before July 10, 2024



# WHY GO FOR IT?



INDUSTRY RECOGNITION



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# **PMI KERALA AWARDS**

The prestigious PMI Kerala Awards represents the highest recognition for the project management community in the state.

Being one of the finest professional organizations, PMI Kerala has established various awards under different categories to recognize the contributions made by organizations in delivering successful projects.

We are looking for exemplary projects from Kerala and to meet resolute project teams who beat the odds to meet their project goals.

PMI Kerala chapter will distribute the awards during WAVES2024, in a luminous / grand event in presence of industry leaders, invited guests and august participants of the annual project management conference. The event will be covered by visual, digital and print media.

#### NOMINATIONS ARE FREE AND MULTIPLE SUBMISSIONS ARE ALLOWED. SHARE YOUR INSPIRING PROJECT STORY AND GET REWARDED!

## **AWARD CATEGORIES**

Award Title	Categories		
PMI Kerala Project of the Year Award	Large	Medium	Small
PMI Kerala Sustainability Project Award			
PMI Kerala Social Project of the Year Award			
PMI Kerala AI Excellence Award - Services Industry			
PMI Kerala Innovative Manufacturing Project Award			



### PROJECT OF THE YEAR AWARD

This award recognizes and honors a project team that has delivered exemplary results through application of project management practices par excellence and having social impact in any of the following categories of projects.



#### LARGE PROJECTS

A project or program or similar initiative which has budgeted project cost of **more than INR 100 Crores** with impact for a transformational change to millions of people and/or one or more services and involve cross functional team as well as multiple public and private stakeholders.

For Project of the Year - Large projects Award, the project should have been completed between the period of **April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024.** 

#### **MEDIUM PROJECTS**

A project or program or similar initiative which has budgeted project cost between **INR 5 crores to INR 100 crores** with a focused set of deliverables requiring a significant amount of work and having multiple stakeholders in agreement on the project goal

For Project of the Year - Medium projects Award, the project should have been completed between the period of **April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024.** 

#### **SMALL PROJECTS**

A project or program or similar initiative which has budgeted project cost less than INR 5 crores but more than INR 50 lakhs with defined scope and involves 10 or less team members.

For Project of the Year - Small projects Award, the project should have been completed between the period of **April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024.** 



## PROJECT OF THE YEAR AWARD

This award recognizes and honors a project team that has delivered exemplary results through application of project management practices par excellence and having social impact in any of the following categories of projects.



#### **NOMINATION CRITERIA**

- Project of any type, from any industry, in public or private sectors of Kerala.
- Demonstrated originality and uniqueness of applied project management techniques including innovative application of practices / methods
- Highlight the project complexity and depict the impact created.

#### **DETAILS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE NOMINATION**

- General Project Information Description, Stakeholders, Schedule, Cost, Scope, Risks
- Sample documents and artifacts of the processes
- Exhibiting technical aspects and advancement of the project management profession consistent with global standards in project management - an example being "A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK Guide)" - Seventh Edition or its equivalent
- Benefits Realization, demonstrating excellence in overcoming inherent complexity of the project and unusual conditions, issues and barriers that required special team performance and actions
- Project Change Management
- Lessons Learned



# SUSTAINABILITY PROJECT AWARD

PMI Kerala Sustainability Project Award recognises organizations or individual projects that demonstrate environmental sustainability practices in the development and delivery of their projects.



#### **NOMINATION CRITERIA**

- · Open to all organizations or individual projects executed in Kerala.
- Demonstrated originality of the project.
- Highlight the sustainability practices and depict the impact created.

#### DETAILS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE NOMINATION

- Description of the contribution and use of project management practices
- Benefits Realization / outcomes to end users
- Supporting images or graphics (Video and audio not accepted)

For Sustainability Project Award, the project should have been completed between the period of **April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024**.



### SOCIAL PROJECT AWARD

This award recognizes and honors significant initiatives undertaken by corporate bodies or organizations (as part of their Corporate Social Responsibilities activities) towards improvement and well-being of the community or addresses global concerns like disease prevention & treatment, equality, diversity & inclusion, health & wellbeing, etc.



#### **NOMINATION CRITERIA**

- Open to all organizations or individual projects executed in Kerala.
- Demonstrated originality of the project.
- Highlight the concern addressed and depict the social impact created.

#### DETAILS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE NOMINATION

- Description of the contribution and use of project management practices
- Benefits Realization / outcomes to end users
- · Supporting images or graphics (Video and audio not accepted)

For Social Project of the Year Award, the project should have been completed between the period of **April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024.** 



#### ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE EXCELLENCE AWARD- SERVICE INDUSTRY

In the evolving space of AI, organizations are leveraging this technology to solve real world problems. This is contributing to enhance products and services, thereby ensuring digital literacy, financial inclusion, improving the quality of life and so on. PMI Kerala Artificial Intelligence Excellence Award recognizes the project teams which have built unique solutions incorporating artificial intelligence.

#### NOMINATION CRITERIA

- Projects taken up within Kerala involving AI and creating lasting impact.
- · Should be an original idea or proof of concept.
- · Should be able to depict the impact created.

#### DETAILS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE NOMINATION

- Details to be included in the nomination (not limited to):
  - AI for predictive analytics.
  - Al for sentiment / text analysis.
  - AI for ML consulting / data strategy.
- Description of the contribution and use of project management practices
- · Benefits Realization / outcomes to end users
- · Supporting images or graphics (Video and audio not accepted)

For Al Excellence Award, the project should have been completed between the period of **April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024.** 



#### INNOVATIVE MANUFACTURING PROJECT AWARD

In the ever evolving manufacturing industry, organizations are leveraging digital and information technology to solve real world problems. This is contributing to innovation and use of generative AI and other tools and techniques. PMI Kerala Innovative Manufacturing Project Award recognizes the project teams which have built unique solutions for the manufacturing industry.

#### NOMINATION CRITERIA

- Novel manufacturing projects taken up within Kerala.
- · Should be an original idea or proof of concept.
- Should be able to depict the impact created.

#### DETAILS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE NOMINATION

- · Innovation introduced and tools / techniques used to create lasting impact
- · Description of the contribution and use of project management practices
- · Benefits Realization / outcomes to end users
- Supporting images or graphics (Video and audio not accepted)

For Innovative Manufactuing Project Award, the project should have been completed between the period of **April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024.** 



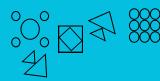




#### **PMIK AWARDS - ELIGIBILITY**

- The primary criteria for classification as Large, Medium or Small will be the budgeted cost of Project. However, if need be, the applicant's project may be re-classified by PMI Kerala keeping in mind the data furnished on project time-line and effort.
- In case of Project of the Year nomination, the project should have been accepted as complete by the Client/Owner, prior to sending the nomination
- In case of other awards, the project should have been accepted as complete by the Sponsor/Governing body of the nominating Organization, prior to sending the nomination
- · Permission is obtained for the use of copyrighted materials included in the submission.
- Research or development projects, which may contain proprietary or confidential, technical, or commercial information, are publicly disclosed by owner.
- Complete project management has been driven from Kerala, and significant portion of the project execution has been done in Kerala.
- The nominated project has been successfully completed using processes and approaches consistent with Global Standards in project management, an example being A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide) - Seventh edition or equivalent.
- Current sitting members of PMIK's Board of Directors or any Board Support Committees may not participate in the nomination or evaluation process of an award, nor are those members eligible to receive an award.
- Individuals or organizations that have failed to comply with PMI policies and procedures, including but not limited to
  PMI's Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct, will not be considered.







#### NUMBER OF AWARDS

For each category, a maximum of one Winner and one Runner-up will be identified out of the nominations received.

#### PRESENTATION OF THE AWARD AND RECOGNITION

The recipients will be presented with the awards at the PMI Kerala Chapter Annual Project Management Conference WAVES 2024 Award Ceremony, being held on 10 August 2024, at Hyatt Regency, Thiruvananthapuram

#### SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

#### Nominations have to be sent to awards@pmikerala.org on or before July 10, 2024

There is no limit to the number of project nominations each applicant can submit. For all nominations, complete project management must have been driven from Kerala and/or significant portion of the project execution has been done in Kerala.

All the nomination documents must be in English and submitted in electronic form, converted to a PDF non-editable format. The documents should be compressed into a single folder using WinZip etc. so that only a single compressed entity gets uploaded. Wherever possible applicants are encouraged to support their responses with metrics and quantitative figures. Submissions should include explanation of all industry and domain based acronyms, wherever used in their responses.







#### **AWARD NOMINATOR ELIGIBILITY**

The 'Award Nominee' could be a sponsor, a senior member of the project team viz. equivalent of Project Manager, Program Manager, Project Director or a senior representative of the organization. There must be one designated **Lead Nominator** with whom PMI Kerala will communicate regarding the nomination. **Lead Nominator's** responsibilities:

- Must have knowledge of the nominated project or nominee and the project management principles applied.
- Must document any direct personal or professional relationship of the lead nominator to the nominated project or nominee.
- Must ensure the nomination package is complete at the time of nomination.
- Must review the specific eligibility, restrictions, and content outlined on each award document.
- Must sign off on the electronic PMI Permissions and Release Form.







#### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

- The nomination package should be completed in conformance with the established format.
- All necessary clearance, release, and permission needed for public release of all submitted materials will be obtained in writing.
- Expenses will not be reimbursed for assembling the nomination package or for any presentation materials that may need to be created should the project be selected as the winner
- Any queries pertaining to this award should be sent to awards@pmikerala.org clearly mentioning "PMI Kerala Awards - 2024" in the subject line.
- The decision of the designated panel of reviewers will be final.
- The Project Manager or a person designated by the project team should be available to receive the award.
- In case the panel of reviewers feel that none of the individual submissions meet the minimum standards as stipulated in this web page, the award will stand cancelled and no Winner and / or Runner-up will be announced.
- The feedback collected from applicants at various stages during the submission process is treated anonymously. The feedback is not shared with the jury and have no bearing on evaluation of the nominations.







#### **CONTACT US**

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