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regeneration and sustainable communities' awards

Over the last five years, Creating Excellence has had the privilege of working with many outstanding people, we would like to celebrate their achievements and give recognition to the projects in the region where excellent work and outstanding results have helped communities and improved people's lives.



To this end we are launching **Rewards 2010**, three years on from our last awards competition Rewards 2007. In addition to the recognition that winning will bring, these projects will feature on Creating Excellence's website and within our publicity materials and the winners and commended schemes will be entitled to free places at our events and training programmes.

The winners in 2007 were Cornwall Sustainable Energy Partnership, while commendations were for West Cornwall Migrant Worker Action Group and Beyond the Immediate, a report on the needs of the over 50s in Wiltshire.

Rewards 2010 is open to the public, private, voluntary and community sectors and submissions are invited from across the south west region. Nomination is short and straightforward and the criteria inclusive and any project or output in the region which can illustrate its achievements, against the criteria during or within the period 2008 – 2010 is eligible to apply.



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Criteria

The criterion for eligibility is as follows:

- Projects should demonstrate innovative approaches to either regeneration, urban design, sustainable development, quality of place, community cohesion or community empowerment in the South West of England

Additional criteria, which will be applied by the judges and to which you should refer in your submission are:

- A project or partnership that has improved an organisation's outcomes through learning
- A project or partnership that has made the community a better place
- A project or partnership that has achieved a sustained improvement within a given neighbourhood or community over at least three years

Applications

Please submit your application by **Friday 30th April 2010** setting out:

The name of the proposer

The project/scheme nominated

A description of the project (100 words max)

A contact in the relevant organisation, address, telephone, e-mail and website

An explanation of how the project/scheme meets the criteria (500 words max)

No illustrative or supplementary material is required, although this may be requested by the judges later in the process.

Applications can be made either electronically to:
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Or by post to:

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Winners

The winners will be notified by early July and invited to receive the award at a prestigious regional event later in the year. Winners' submissions (edited by agreement) will be displayed on the Creating Excellence website and used in publicity.

Information will also be made available on our website at www.creatingexcellence.org.uk