



NOMINATIONS | INFO PACK









CHECKLIST

Before submitting your nomination online, please check:

- 1. You are a permanent resident of Australia and reside in the NT.
- 2. All of the assessment criteria have been individually addressed within the word count applicable for each criteria. Prepare this prior to starting the online form.
- 3. The nomination in its entirety has been completed by you.
- 4. The nomination is endorsed by your employer (if applicable).
- 5. The nomination is endorsed by your Registered Training Organisation (if applicable).
- 6. Be prepared to sign a talent release.
- 7. You have photos and digital copies of certificates, awards etc. ready to attach to your nomination.
- 8. You and your employer acknowledge if shortlisted you must be available to attend the judging process.
- 9. You and your employer acknowledge should you be a finalist, you must be available to attend the GTNT Group Awards Ceremony on Friday, 6 June 2025.

10. Must be able to have FUN!

EVENT INFORMATION

EVENT	GTNT Group Awards
PURPOSE	Celebrating training excellence and achievements of GTNT Group's GTO apprentices, trainees, supervisors and Host Businesses/employers.
EVENT DATE	Friday, 6 June 2025
EVENT TIME	6pm - 10pm
VENUE	The Lawns, Mindil Beach Casino Resort, Darwin
DRESS	Territory Formal
AGENDA	Pre-dinner drinks and snacks from 6pm, followed by a 2-course meal, Awards Presentation and entertainment. Formalities commence at 6.30pm and conclude at 10pm. Photos/networking dancing from 10-11pm.
ATTENDEES	Local and interstate business and industry executives, apprentices and trainees from across the Northern Territory.
TICKETS	\$220 per ticket or \$2,000 for a table of 10.

KEY DATES

NOMINATIONS OPEN	November 2024
NOMINATIONS CLOSE	31 January 2025
TICKETS ON SALE	3 March 2025
FINALISTS ANNOUNCED	March 2025
INDIVIDUAL JUDGING & FILMING	March 2025



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^{*}Dates are subject to change





CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- All nominees will need to read and agree to the Conditions of Entry prior to submitting their nomination.
- The closing time and date for all nominations is 10pm, 31 January 2025. No nomination will be accepted after this date.
- All nominees must complete a nomination form and answer all criteria. You may ask your Employment Specialist for assistance in completing your nomination.
- Nominees must meet all other eligibility criteria.
- Nominees for individual categories must be employed or managed by GTNT Group.
- Nominees must agree to abide by the decision of the judging panel, which is final and cannot be appealed.
- Finalists must agree for their photographs, profiles and training details to be used for promotional purposes by GTNT Group and their host business.
- Finalists must be prepared to make a short video for use on the night.
- Finalists must be prepared to be involved in promotional events and activities if required.
- Finalists must be available for the judging interview, filming and GTNT Group Awards Night. (refer to key dates)
- Winners of individual categories must be prepared to present a short speech upon receiving their award.

Winners of selected categories may go on to submit for the same category at the NT Training Awards. Your Employment Specialist will contact you to discuss your nomination and the event details prior to the event in late August 2025.







CATEGORIES



+ INSTITUTE OF SKILLS AND TRAINING AUSTRALIA - STUDENT OF THE YEAR

• Completing/completed a Certificate II or above qualification through ISTA between 1 July 2024 and 30 June 2025.

+ SCHOOL-BASED APPRENTICE/TRAINEE OF THE YEAR

- Completing/completed a Certificate II or above qualification through an Australian School-based apprenticeship or traineeship between 1 July 2024 and 30 June 2025.
- Must have a Training Contract registered with the NT Training Authority Apprenticeships NT.

+ PRELUDE TO THE FUTURE OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE / TRAINEE

- Must have commenced their apprenticeship/traineeship in the Prelude to the Future 6 Program
- Must have completed Stage 1 (26 week milestone) of the program.
- Must have a Training Contract registered with the NT Training Authority Apprenticeships NT.
- + OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE STAGE 1
- + OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE STAGE 2
- + OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE STAGE 3
 - Must have completed first, second or third year of apprenticeship/traineeship between 1 July 2024 and 30 June 2025.
 - Must have a Training Contract registered with the NT Training Authority Apprenticeships NT.

+ NAWIC NT AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING FEMALE IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

• Open to any female apprentice or trainee at any stage of their training, currently working within the construction industry.

+ ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER STUDENT OF THE YEAR

- + TRAINEE OF THE YEAR
- + APPRENTICE OF THE YEAR
 - Must have completed or be due to complete your apprenticeship/traineeship between 1 July 2024 and 30 June 2025.
 - Must have a Training Contract registered with the NT Training Authority Apprenticeships NT.

+ HOST BUSINESS OF THE YEAR

- + SUPERVISOR OF THE YEAR
 - Must have a GTNT Group Apprentice hosted to your workplace between 1 July 2024 and 30 June 2025.
 - Must have been engaged as a Host Business or Supervisor prior to 1 July 2024.







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QUESTIONS

Read the questions and prepare your answers prior to submitting them online.

OVERVIEW (400 WORDS)

Please provide an overview of your reason for nominating for this award. *Consider:*

- What led you to choose an apprenticeship pathway Tell us why it was the right choice for you?
- What are some of the highlights from your training/workplace so far, and how has it changed/impacted your life?
- Have you had any community or industry involvement? Tell us about it!
- Describe the personal qualities you think are important to complete your apprenticeship/traineeship? How do you show these qualities in the workplace?

CRITERIA 1: TEAM AND COMMUNICATION (400 WORDS)

Consider any skills you have developed through your training such as:

- What have you been able to tell others, students, work mates, employers etc. about your training?
- What do you like about working in a team and why? What makes your team special?
- What traits do you think are important to work successfully within a team? How do you show these traits in the workplace?







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CRITERIA 2: ABILITY TO BE AN AMBASSADOR FOR TRAINING (300 WORDS)*

Tell us about when you have taken a leadership role inside or outside of work.

- What other activities have you been involved in where you have been a leader? Tell us about your experience.
- What makes VET a great pathway? How do you advocate for the VET sector, what do you think is great about it?
- If you were successful in winning this award, how would you use your win to advocate for VET in the community?

CRITERIA 3: ABILITY TO DEMONSTRATE INITIATIVE (400 WORDS)*

Consider things such as:

- Have you had to address any challenges that have impacted on your training? This can be personal or professional challenges we'd love to hear how you navigated them!
- Give us an example of when you have used your initiative either in your training, your personal life or your workplace?
- How would you describe the quality of your training? Talk about your workplace and RTO training experience.



CATEGORY:

+ HOST BUSINESS OF THE YEAR

QUESTIONS

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OVERVIEW (400 WORDS)

Provide a short overview of why you are nominating for this award, and an overview of your business.

- What makes you a great host business?
- Tell us about the total number of apprentices you have employed, qualified tradesman you have produced or provided structured work placement to.
- Are you involved in any industry councils/committees? Tell us about them!

CRITERIA 1: DEMONSTRATE ACHIEVEMENTS OF TRAINING (300 WORDS)

- What is your current percentage of your workforce that are actively engaged in training? What are the qualifications or courses they are undertaking?
- Tell us about the training organisations that are delivering the training.
- Briefly tell us how you take an innovative training approach. What makes your workplace unique? (e.g. mentoring, e-learning, collaborative learning)







CATEGORY:

+ SUPERVISOR OF THE YEAR

QUESTIONS

Read the questions and prepare your answers prior to submitting them online.

OVERVIEW (400 WORDS)

Provide a short overview of why you are nominating for this award, detail your current and past apprentices, their industry and qualification.

CRITERIA 1: DEMONSTRATE ACHIEVEMENTS TO TRAINING AND INDUSTRY (400 WORDS)

- Tell us about your industry experience, qualifications and career journey.
- Explain your motivation for training and mentoring apprentices/trainees. Mention any training success stories.
- Briefly tell us how you positively impacted apprentices/trainees in the workplace.