

Call for Nomination of 2013 EASTS Outstanding Transportation Project Award (OTPA)

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Dear Board Members of EASTS,

Thank you for contribute to our activities.

Nominations are welcomed for the 2013 EASTS Outstanding Transportation Project Award (OTPA). Application submission opens until April 30, 2013.

Please send your applications to Secretary of the EASTS.

Sincerely yours,

Chairperson of EASTS Outstanding Transportation Project Award (OTPA)

Dr. William H.K. Lam

<About Outstanding Transportation Project Award>

1. Objective

To foster and support excellence in transportation project in Eastern Asian region.

Project is classified into two categories: (1) Construction Project is concerned with construction of transportation infrastructure; (2) Planning Project is related to transportation planning and feasibility study, transportation-related matters such as organization, achievement, business model, initiative, government reform, public consultation, etc. are also considered.

2. Schedule

- October, 2012: 1st Notice to EASTS Board Members
- December, 2012: 2nd Notice to EASTS Board Members (check their intention to apply)
- April 30, 2013: Deadline of Submission
- September 9-10, 2013: Screening Meeting
- September 11, 2013: Report at Board Meeting
- September 12, 2013: Awarding at Closing Ceremony

3. Category of Prize

- 1 Construction Project
- 1 Planning Project

4. Criteria of Prize Selection

- Expected Social Impact
- Expected Transportation Impact
- Method/Technology of Project (Construction or Planning)
- Financing and Management
- Uniqueness

5. History (see http://www.easts.info/activities/awarding/award_project/award_project.html)

- In Hanoi conference (2001): The Incheon International Airport, Korea
- In Fukuoka conference (2003): No nominations
- In Bangkok conference (2005): The Construction of Minatomirai line to Create the New

- City Space of the Cosmopolitan City "Yokohama", Japan. (among three nominations.)
- In Dalian conference (2007): The Seoul Bus System Reform and the Suvarnabhumi Airport (New Bangkok International Airport). (among four nominations)
- In Surabaya conference (2009): Kaohsiung Mass Rapid Transit (MRT), Taiwan. (among three nominations)
- In Jeju conference (2011): Journey Time Indication System in Kowloon, Hong Kong (among three nominations)

6. Award Committee

- Chairperson: Mr. William H.K. LAM
- Members: TBA

<Application Guideline for Outstanding Transportation Project Award>

1. Deadline of the Submission: April 30, 2013

2. Contents of the Application

- (1) Name of the Project
- (2) Outline of the Project
 - Category of the Project: Construction or Planning
 - Brief History
 - Project Cost by Item (US\$)
- (3) Impact of the Project
 - Social Impact
 - Transportation Impact
- (4) Method/Technology of Project (Construction or Planning)
- (5) Financing and Management
- (6) Uniqueness of the Project
- (7) Pictures and Drawings on the project (either in Hard paper or in Electronic format)
- (8) Point of Contact Person: Telephone, Facsimile, e-mail

3. Address of Submission

Secretary of the EASTS
 c/o Association for Planning and Transportation Studies,
 K-WING 6F, 5-2-1, Kojimachi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, 102-0083, Japan
 e-mail: easts@eastst.info

4. Others

- (1) Maximum 3 candidates per category per country
- (2) Application should be between 4-6 pages per project (except pictures)
- (3) The candidates' project should be approved by its domestic society
- (4) Both file (MS-Word) and 2 hard copies should be submitted
- (5) The project should be completed in recent 2 years