



BLUEBEAM EXTREME AWARDS 2017

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Every year the Bluebeam eXtreme Awards recognize project teams across the country that are using Bluebeam solutions to raise the bar on project communication and collaboration. Winning entries showcase how Revu and other Bluebeam solutions have helped teams achieve real results through innovative thinking and outstanding implementation.

Interested in submitting? You'll find all the details below.

The submission deadline is 11:59 PM EDT on Friday, June 23, 2017.

CATEGORIES

We encourage multiple eXtreme Awards submissions, but the same project may not be submitted under more than one category. Each submission must be assigned to only one category.

The type of submission will determine the category. For example, a hospital build would be submitted under Healthcare; a light rail system would be submitted under Transportation/Infrastructure; and a robust onboarding program would be submitted under Company, for Best Internal Training Program.

PROJECTS

This year we will be honoring excellence in four separate fields. Finalists will be determined not by project size or budget, but by the scope and impact of their innovations using Bluebeam solutions.

- **Transportation / Infrastructure**
- **Commercial / Residential**
- **Arts, Entertainment & Sports**
- **Healthcare**

COMPANIES

- **Best Internal Training Program**

Whether you have an office of ten people or work for a company with thousands of employees across the world, it's important to ensure that your team is trained on the tools, processes and workflows that meet your organization's standards. This award recognizes companies that are developing and implementing creative, effective and ongoing training programs to educate staff on Bluebeam Revu.

- **Best Academic Partnership**

Is your company focused on student mentorship, internship programs, curriculum development or faculty engagement? Are you serving on Industry Advisory Boards, sponsoring scholarships, or collaborating with AEC student organizations like ASC, AIAS or ASCE? This award recognizes companies that are partnering with academia in unique and innovative ways.

- **Best Advanced Use of Revu**

Have you developed a complex process or customized tool in Revu? Are you so deep into the software that you've incorporated scripting, tagging, digital signatures, 3D PDFs or other advanced features into your workflows? Are you using the Studio API for external application integrations? This award recognizes the most complex applications of Bluebeam solutions.

- **Best Comprehensive Use of Revu**

Have you discovered the extraordinary flexibility and versatility of Revu? Have you been using it across the entire project lifecycle for workflows as wide-ranging as design reviews, shop drawing reviews, takeoffs, document management and control, punchlists, billing, project closeout, facility management and more? This award recognizes power users who are getting the most out of Revu.

INNOVATORS

Is there someone within the AEC community that inspires you? Someone who pushes the boundaries of what is possible and envisions a better solution for us all, be it a new workflow, streamlined process or technology? This award category recognizes innovators within AEC that are sparking change as they tackle challenges and develop solutions that meet the demands of the interconnected and complex world we live in.

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Review the specific category questions below. When ready, enter the submission portal at www.bluebeamextreme.com/awards.

PROJECT CATEGORY QUESTIONS:

- Contact information
- Company name and address
 - This should be the appropriate address and contact to receive your trophy, should you be awarded.
- Category selection (see [detailed explanations](#) above)
 - Projects
- Project name/submission title
- Project partners
- Project location, budget, scope, size and timeline
- Owner
- Project description
- What challenges did you know you were going to face going into the project (e.g. environmental, political, team structure, financial constraints, timeline)?
- Which tools and features in Revu did you use to create efficiencies on the project (e.g. Bluebeam Studio for collaboration, Revu's automation/batch tools, etc.)?

- Results achieved (e.g. efficiencies gained, dollars saved)

COMPANY CATEGORY QUESTIONS:

All Company Categories

- Contact information
- Company name, address and contact information
 - This should be the appropriate address and contact to receive your trophy, should you be awarded.
- Category selection (see [detailed explanations](#) above)
 - Company
- Company description
- Company size
- Location
- Industry

Best Internal Training Program

- Training program/scope
- Training budget (if applicable)
- Training infrastructure and delivery methods
- Evaluation/metrics

Best Academic Partnership

- What defines your company's desire to build academic partnerships?
- Describe your most outstanding academic partnership program.
- Who is involved in your academic partnership program?
- Why is your academic program important for preparing the next generation of the AEC workforce?

Best Advanced Use of Revu

- Explain how your organization is using Revu in an advanced or unique way.
- How has this use of Revu benefited your company and produced real results?

Best Comprehensive Use of Revu

- Explain how your company is using Revu across the entire project lifecycle.
- How has your company benefited from using Revu as an end-to-end solution?

INNOVATOR CATEGORY QUESTIONS:

- Contact information
- Company name and address
 - This should be the appropriate address and contact to receive your trophy, should you be awarded.
- Category selection (see [detailed explanations](#) above)
 - Innovator
- Submitter name:
- Submitter company:
- Submitter title:
- Submitter email:
- Relation to the nominee:
- Nominee name:
- Nominee company:
- Nominee title:
- Nominee email:

- Nominee industry:
- What makes this person an innovator?
- How are their contributions impactful to you, your company and/or the AEC community?

SUPPORTING FILES (optional):

- Include all supporting documents (architectural renderings, PDFs, training tutorials and other documents) that highlight your submission. Accepted file formats are JPEG, PNG, PDF or DOC.

Before you submit your information, you will be asked to check a box indicating that you have read the Terms and Conditions. Our terms and conditions are minimal, but we expect that your submission is approved by your employer and that you have been granted permission to use your company logo for awards purposes.

Please note: *Finalists and winners are responsible for their own eXtreme Conference registration, hotel and transportation expenses.*

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Does it cost anything to submit for an eXtreme Award?

No, submissions are free and there are no limits to the number of entries per company. So submit one project or dozens!

Do I have to attend the Bluebeam eXtreme Conference in order to receive an eXtreme Award?

While you are not required to attend the Bluebeam eXtreme Conference in person, we encourage you and your team to be present. If you are a finalist, your project and project team will be honored in front of the industry's top professionals and fellow Revu enthusiasts. It's a great opportunity to promote your company and team achievements.

When is the 2017 Bluebeam eXtreme Conference?

The 2017 Bluebeam eXtreme Conference will be held August 14–16 in Los Angeles, CA. More information about how to register can be found on our [website](#).

How many finalists and winners are there?

Each category may have up to three finalists. One winner will be chosen per category.

When are finalists announced?

Finalists will be notified in July via email, and will be announced on our website prior to the conference.

When are winners announced?

Winners will be announced at the conference during the Bluebeam eXtreme Awards Luncheon on Tuesday, August 15, 2017.

If you have questions about the submission or review process, contact us at bluebeamextreme@bluebeam.com.