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Aim

To recognise an up-and-coming individual within the South Australian food and beverage industry, who has a commitment to excellence, and has already demonstrated evidence of leadership and vision, and a strong understanding of the industry and its future needs.

This award is open to individuals aged 35 or younger, living in South Australia and currently working in the South Australian food and beverage industry.

Questions

Maximum of 500 words per question.

- 1 Describe your current role, and recent and current professional and personal development.
- 2 Outline your significant career achievements to date.
- 3 Describe your contribution to the South Australian food and beverage industry.
- 4 Describe your future vision for yourself and the industry.

Please provide names and contact details for two referees with your application.

How to enter the Awards

Formatting your entry

- Entries must be formatted as a Word document using Times New Roman 12 point font, double spaced, with 5cm margins.
- Please include each question, followed by your answer. Please start a new page to answer Part B questions.
- Entries must comply with word limits as shown for each question. The use of dot point lists is accepted in answers.
- Do not include images, audio or video files, or attachments (other than the statement of financial stability) with your application.
- Save your completed entry as a pdf file and email it to apply@safoodawards.com.au with 2018 SA FOOD INDUSTRY AWARDS APPLICATION in the subject line of your email, and include your name, your company's name and address, and your contact email and phone number in the body of the email. Don't forget to also attach your financial statement if you are applying for a business award category.

Conditions of entry

- Entries open 9am Friday 4 May 2018 and close at 5pm Monday 9 July 2018. Late entries will not be accepted.
- Individuals can enter any individual award category (excepting industry nominated categories) providing you did not win in that category in 2017.
- Entries must be submitted according to the instructions below. Entries exceeding the word limit or not submitted using the formatting guidelines will not be accepted.
- Entries must be submitted by email to apply@safoodawards.com.au.
- Applicants must meet all criteria as defined below and on the South Australian Food Industry Awards website at www.safoodawards.com.au.
- Applicants who are shortlisted must agree to host the judging panel at an on-site tour and/or attend an interview. You may be required to provide further documentation for site visits or interviews.
- Award applications are confidential however Food South Australia reserves the right to use non-confidential information, images and video for promotional purposes associated with the South Australian Food Industry Awards Program and may provide contact information to Award Program sponsors.

Who can enter

Entry in business award categories in the South Australian Food Industry Awards is open to any business which is a food or beverage producer, manufacturer or franchisor, or which provides goods or services to the food and beverage industry, provided that:

- The head office or principal place of business for that business is in South Australia (and if the business is operated by a franchisee, the head office or principal place of business of the franchisor is in South Australia); and
- At least half the expenses of the business are incurred in South Australia.

Please note: Restaurants, cafes, food service and wine businesses are not eligible for these awards.

Entry for individual awards is open to individuals living in South Australia and currently working in the South Australian food and beverage sector.

Definitions

FTE	Full time equivalent staff involved in production and manufacturing processes (excludes retail sales representatives).
HACCP	Hazard analysis and critical control points
QMS	Quality management system
EMS	Environmental management system
OH&S	Occupational health and safety

Don't miss these dates!

MAY 03 South Australian Food Industry Awards Launch Event	MAY 04 Applications open Consumer Award Top 20 nominations open	JUNE 05 Award application workshop <i>Find out from the judges how to prepare a winning application</i>	JUNE 29 Consumer Award Top 20 nominations close
JULY 02 Consumer Award voting opens	JULY 09 Award applications close 5pm	JULY 16 Gala Dinner tickets on sale!	JULY 30 Judging commences <i>(Judges site visits will commence 1 September)</i>
SEPTEMBER 28 Consumer Award voting close 5pm	OCTOBER 17 Finalists announced	NOVEMBER 23 Winners announced at Gala Dinner at the Adelaide Convention Centre. Time to celebrate!	

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