**NOMINATION FORM | 2019**

**YOUNG LEADER AWARD**

**Notes:**

1. Please refer to the criteria below the category and ensure your entry contains detailed information relevant to the category you are entering.
2. These awards are for the 2018/2019 year. Ensure all information submitted is relevant to that time period.
3. Deadline for submission – **1 March 2019**
4. Supporting information (video links, biographies, annual reports and photos) can accompany your nomination form. Please send big files via:

[www.dropbox.com](http://www.dropbox.com)

[www.wetransfer.com](http://www.wetransfer.com)

[www.sendspace.com](http://www.sendspace.com)

Email your completed nomination form and supporting documents to:

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**IMPORTANT DATES**

Entry forms available - NOW

**Entries close: 1 March 2019**

Judging: 4 – 22 March 2019

Verification: 27 March – 10 April 2019

Finalists announced: 15 April 2019

Industry Awards Gala Dinner: 15 May 2019

For further information on the awards please visit <http://www.african-utility-week.com/industryawards>

**2019 Award Categories**

**Individual Awards**

**Young Leader Award**

This award recognises a person under the age of 35 from a public or private company who has made an outstanding contribution to the energy or water sectors. This young professional has had commendable career achievements to date and is already playing a leading role in their sector.

1. **YOUR contact details**

Please add your contact details so we can contact you for further details about this nomination if needed.

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| Name |  |
| Surname |  |
| Company |  |
| Job title |  |
| Country |  |
| Contact number/s |  |
| Email |  |
| Relationship to nominee |  |

1. **NOMINEE contact details**

Please add the contact details of the individual or organisation you would like to nominate.

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| Name |  |
| Surname |  |
| Company |  |
| Job title |  |
| Country |  |
| Contact number/s |  |
| Email |  |

**Justification for nomination**

**Please provide a comprehensive description and motivation why the nominated individual/company deserves an industry award. Supporting documentation can be submitted in addition to the form.**

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**2019 Categories & Criteria**

**Individual Awards**

**Young Leader Award**

**This award recognises a person under the age of 35 from a public or private company who has made an outstanding contribution to the energy or water sectors. This young professional has had commendable career achievements to date and is already playing a leading role in their sector. Please provide information based on the past three year’s achievements but highlighting the past year (March 2018 – February 2019).**

1. The nominee must be 35 years or under when the award is presented (15 May 2019).
2. How has the nominee made an exemplary personal and professional contribution to the water or energy sectors in Africa?
3. How has the nominee raised awareness on water/energy/environmental issues?
4. How are they working to enhance energy access that resonates with local communities?
5. How is the nominee actively engaging leading decision makers on water/energy/environmental issues in his/her community?
6. How are they mentoring and developing other future young leaders?
7. What challenges have they overcome in furthering their career?

**Please include the biography, ID copy (to confirm age) and resume of the nominee for this category.**

**Deadline for return:** Please submit this form to [Saligh.dollie@spintelligent.com](mailto:kelly.easton@spintelligent.com) by **1 March 2019**.