

NSC AWARDS



Marion Martin Award

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This award celebrates accomplished women
safety professionals who have paved the way to
success for other women in our field.



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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



What is the NSC Marion Martin Award?

The National Safety Council established the NSC Marion Martin Award in 2016 to recognize and celebrate outstanding service and contributions in the field of safety by women. The Marion Martin Award recognizes women who have achieved professional excellence within their area of specialty and helped pave the way to success for other women in safety. Winners have distinguished themselves in a variety of professional settings and personify excellence on either the local, regional, national or international level.

Who is eligible to be nominated?

The nominee must be a woman, and may not be an active National Safety Council staff member or member of the NSC Women's Division Leadership Team. Self-nominations are not accepted.

Any woman working in safety is eligible for nomination. However, the nature of the contributions required for a successful submission limit a single individual to receiving this award only once in her lifetime. Other awards, including the NSC Rising Stars of Safety Award, may be more appropriate for women earlier in their careers.

Many of the candidates for this award may also be eligible for the Distinguished Service to Safety Award. Please review the criteria for that award at nsc.org/awards.

Does the nominee or nominator have to be a member of the National Safety Council?

No, membership in the National Safety Council is not required. Membership status or investment in the National Safety Council is not shared with the review committee.

My nominee received an award from the National Safety Council or another entity. Is she eligible for the NSC Marion Martin Award?

Yes. There is no consideration given to other awards during the judging process.

Is there a fee to apply?

There are no fees to apply for this or any other individual NSC award.

How and when will the winner be notified?

The NSC Marion Martin Award winner will be notified in advance and publicly honored at an upcoming NSC Congress & Expo.



**The winner will be publicly honored as part of the
NSC Congress & Expo.**

NOMINATION PROCESS

When and how are submissions accepted?

Submissions are only accepted [via an online nomination](#). The National Safety Council will accept submissions until Nov. 9, 2020, at midnight Central time. No paper or emailed submissions will be accepted.

How will my nomination be judged and by whom?

All submissions will undergo a technical and media review by National Safety Council staff. The top submissions are then forwarded to a review committee made up of individuals from across safety industries.

I've never completed a nomination before. What do I need to know?

The application can be started, saved and returned to repeatedly through the course of the nomination period. All eligible NSC Marion Martin Award nominees must have one to three letters of recommendation.

You will need to be able to answer questions in relation to:

- The nominee's contribution to safety
- How the nominee has demonstrated leadership in creating an inclusive work environment for women in the workplace
- How the nominee has encouraged professional safety development opportunities for women in the workplace

If I have additional questions, can I call the National Safety Council office?

Please access [our tips for writing a successful award application](#) or contact awards@nsc.org. Review of your submission and recommendations for improvements to your application are available prior to **Oct. 1, 2020**.



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