

**CATEGORY 28:
THE MARIE WATSON-BLAKE AWARD
FOR OUTSTANDING
CONTRIBUTION BY AN
INDIVIDUAL**



This award recognises the extraordinary personal and professional achievement and contribution by an individual over many years to the Australian, and particularly the Queensland tourism industry.

**Total score for submission 50 points
No site visit or interview required**

Important Notes:

- Entry into this category does **not** require accreditation or certification in order to be eligible.
- The award will not be made to the same person twice.
- Nominations are acceptable from any party except the nominee.
- Entry into this category is open to couples and families.
- The word limit for this submission is 2500 words (not including CV, letters of recommendation, etc).
- The nominee's Curriculum Vitae and no more than 5 letters of recommendation may be included.
- This award will be presented at the discretion of the judges, based on the submissions received.
- This category is awarded in Queensland only.
- This award will not necessarily be recognised annually.

The judges will take into account the following aspects of the contribution when assessing a nomination.

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QUESTION 1 OVERVIEW OF THE NOMINEE (10 MARKS)

Provide a brief overview of the nominee, highlighting their outstanding attributes. Include a brief history of their career in tourism, and a description of their current employment or other participation, if applicable.

QUESTION 2 NOMINEES PROFESSIONAL CONTRIBUTION AND SERVICE (20 MARKS)

Provide examples and the benefits of the nominee's professional contribution and service to the Queensland and, if relevant, Australian tourism industry.

QUESTION 3 NOMINEE'S PERSONAL CONTRIBUTION AND SERVICE (20 MARKS)

Provide examples and the benefits of the nominee's personal contribution and service to Queensland and, if relevant, Australian tourism industry.

SUBMIT YOUR ENTRY

- Rules for entry:** <http://www.queenslandtourismawards.com.au/entrant-information/rules-for-entry>
Submissions due: 5pm - Monday, 21 August 2017.
Submit online: Log in using the details you created when you registered to nominate.
Questions: awards@qtic.com.au or phone 07 3236 1445
Gala Ceremony: Friday, 10 November 2017 – Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre.