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AWARDS

And the winners are . . .

*The **Tradesperson Award** recognizes someone with five or more years of experience that is currently working in the field, who not only knows their tradecraft but is keen to develop it further, shows a commitment to their career and to the industry.*

2024 TRADESPERSON AWARD



Steve Honnens, Kingery Construction Co.

As Lead Superintendent, Steve oversees and guides all activities necessary to meet the project schedule, bringing over 50 years of experience in managing complex projects across various sectors. His ability to consistently deliver projects within budget and on time while maintaining an excellent safety record speaks volumes about his mastery of the trade and dedication to precision.

*The **Groundbreaker Award** recognizes an individual with five or less years of experience that demonstrates innovation, is a trendsetter and a developing leader.*

2024 GROUNDBREAKER AWARD



Mason Mettler, Beckenhauer Construction

Mason interned with Beckenhauer Construction for two summers before joining full-time, and his rapid progression from Intern to Project Manager speaks volumes about his drive and enthusiasm. Mason became the youngest employee in the company to receive the Employee of the Year in 2021. His dynamic presence and commitment to excellence make him a trendsetter in our industry, and his potential for future growth is undeniable.

*The **Mentor Award** recognizes a front-line manager that supports the professional growth of other employees and inspires everyone to reach their full potential.*

2024 MENTOR AWARD



John Culver, Ronco Construction

John is deeply committed to the professional growth of others. He makes it a point to hold regular check-ins. He wants his team to know they have a resource, a sounding board and dedicated support. Beyond these touch points, he participates in monthly Lunch and Learn sessions, fostering an environment where knowledge sharing and continuous learning are the norms. As an active participant in the field engineer program, he is helping guide students and interns into promising careers. His passion for mentorship inspires everyone to strive for excellence.

*The **Innovator Award** honors those that contribute innovation, creativity, skills and integrity to projects consistently, along with being a good role model and promotor of construction careers.*

2024 INNOVATOR AWARD



Matt Miller, Hausmann Construction

From starting as an intern on a demo crew, Matt built and now leads a successful estimating department known for delivering competitive estimates and creative cost solutions. Matt also developed a specialized in-house estimating tool that provides quick, accurate estimates throughout design, allowing for comprehensive analysis and impact assessment. Matt's contributions and role modeling exemplifies his dedication to both industry excellence and future workforce development.

*The **Community Support Award** recognizes a member that uses their talents and leadership in and out of their workplace to support, promote and move the industry forward.*

2024 COMMUNITY SUPPORTER AWARD



Quinn Texmo, Turner Construction

Quinn is passionate about advancing minorities and women in the AEC industry. She has gone above and beyond her role to launch the first area Turner School of Construction Management Program. She has co-created “Negotiation Skills for Women,” to educate and develop skills for women to advance pay equity in our industry. This workshop has been delivered more than 15 times to area organization and conferences including, CREW, NAWIC and Women in Architecture. She has devoted research time on pay equity that has been presented to many organizations and nonprofits.



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This program is designed by the Nebraska Building Chapter's Board of Directors to celebrate and recognize the achievements of individuals who "go above and beyond" in their communities, profession, or company.