

Applicants who entered and <u>won</u> an award in 2024 are not permitted to enter the same award category in 2025.

By entering the awards, you must be available for an in-person interview on the 17th July between 9-5pm. Further information is provided once the shortlist has been announced.

Greater Birmingham Apprentice of the Year - This category is applicable to apprentices across all industries who have demonstrated exceptional skill development, dedication, gone above and beyond their role and impact within their organisation.

GBYPY - Creative Industries and Culture - This category is applicable to professionals working in creative fields such as design, media, performing arts, and cultural initiatives who contribute to the region's creative and cultural sector.

GBYPY - Digital, Tech & Innovation - This category is applicable to individuals working in digital, technology, and innovation-focused roles, including software development, cybersecurity, AI, and emerging technologies.

GBYPY - Sustainability and ESG - This category is applicable to professionals involved in environmental, social, and governance (ESG) initiatives, sustainability projects, and responsible business practices.

GBYPY - Events and Hospitality - This category is applicable to individuals working in the events, hospitality, and customer service industries who play a key role in delivering high-quality experiences.

GBYPY - Finance - This category is applicable to professionals in financial roles, including accountants, analysts, bankers, and financial advisors contributing to the finance sector.

GBYPY - Legal - This category is applicable to legal professionals, such as solicitors, barristers, legal executives, and in-house counsel, who demonstrate excellence in the legal field.



GBYPY - Built Environment and Engineering - This category is applicable to professionals working in architecture, construction, property development, and engineering disciplines.

GBYPY - People and Wellbeing - This category is applicable to individuals working in HR, diversity and inclusion, employee wellbeing, and workplace culture.

GBYPY - Marketing, Sales, and Communications - This category is applicable to professionals in marketing, sales, PR, advertising, and corporate communications who drive brand awareness and business growth.

GBYPY - Start-ups and Entrepreneurship – This category is applicable to entrepreneurs and start-up founders who have launched and grown innovative businesses.

GBYPY - Charity and Social Impact - This category is applicable to professionals working in the charity sector, social enterprises, or community-focused initiatives who drive positive social change.

GBYPY - Training and Education – This category is applicable to individuals involved in education, training, and professional development within schools, universities, or workplace learning environments.

Please direct any queries to <u>GBYPYAwards@birmingham-chamber.com</u>