



# THE RELIABILITY OF EVERYTHING CULTURE IMPROVEMENT *Awards*

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Entries will be accepted between Jan. 15, 2019 and June 30, 2019. A panel of experts will select finalists. The selected companies will be evaluated through site visits conducted by Klaus Blache of the Univ. of Tennessee Reliability and Maintainability Center.

Winners will be announced in the Dec. 2019 issue of *Efficient Plant* magazine and recognized in a ceremony at the MARCON conference in March 2020.

#### FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Establishing and sustaining a positive/collaborative culture in industrial enterprises is critical to overall success and profitability. Such cultures, often unheralded, don't simply need to be sustained, they need to be recognized.

To further efforts to develop and improve organizational cultures, *Efficient Plant* magazine and the Univ. of Tennessee Reliability and Maintainability Center are establishing The Reliability of Everything Culture Improvement Awards, a program designed to recognize successful efforts in three categories:



## ENTRY PROCEDURE

- ▶ Enter online at [efficientplantmag.com/2019cultureawards](http://efficientplantmag.com/2019cultureawards).
- ▶ The initial entry form is simply a declaration of your intent to participate in the awards program.
- ▶ Upon submission of the initial entry form, (submit as soon as possible), you will receive a spreadsheet file designed to organize your data.
- ▶ The spreadsheet file will be accompanied by a phone call to help you understand how to effectively submit your data.
- ▶ Final submission of all data and supporting information must be received by June 30, 2019.
- ▶ If you are a finalist, Klaus Blache will schedule a plant visit to further evaluate progress you've made toward developing an effective culture.

#### RECOGNITION

- ▶ Award winners will be recognized in a feature article in the Dec. 2019 issue of *Efficient Plant* magazine, and in individual feature articles in 2020.
- ▶ Winners will be acknowledged in the MARCON 2020 opening ceremony and at the awards-presentation ceremony.
- ▶ A winning-company representative will be part of the MARCON Culture Track Round Table discussion.

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