

CoreNet Global UK Chapter Awards 2026

Young Leader of the Year Award

OVERVIEW

This award recognises the **Young Leader of the Year** who showed dedication and enthusiasm for his/her work, exemplifies excellence and should be considered 'one to watch' in the broad field of corporate real estate (CRE) in any member category.

CRITERIA FOR NOMINEE ELIGIBILITY

- Paid Young Leader Member of CoreNet Global (must be age 35 or younger by October 2026)
- Actively engaged member over the previous 12 months (examples of engagement may include but are not limited to: attended a Summit, MCR candidate or other designation (LEED, registered architect, surveyor, ...), contributed to the content of a Chapter program/event, committee member)

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- The award is aimed at recognising a real estate professional (Young Leader) age 35 or younger by October 2026 who has demonstrated leadership and exemplified excellence in CRE.
- Nominees are encouraged to: - [Review the 2025 winning submission.](#)
- Provide balanced responses to each section.
- Ensure nominations are supported by clear and concise evidence of the nominees' achievements and inputs provided by a diverse audience of peers to ensure all achievements are noted, if relevant to the submission. Remember the nominations will be reviewed by senior members of the corporate real estate profession and the quality of nomination should reflect this.
- Bio or CV and Photo need to be included with submission.
- Shortlisted finalists will need to make themselves available for an interview with the UK judges (the winner will also then need to interview with the global team)

NOMINEE INFORMATION

Nominee's Name _____

Job Title _____

Company _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Number of years experience _____

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED / CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF GLOBAL WINNER

1. Developed and implemented initiatives that positively impacted the profession and how you used them in your current role (35 points)
2. Demonstrated quantifiable achievements that contributed to the employer's success (35 points)
3. Actively involved in real estate industry organizations and/or CoreNet Global over the previous 12 months. What was the biggest takeaway or learning achievement you experienced? (15 points)
4. Actively pursuing professional development. Provide 1 goal or more you would like to achieve. (15 points)

Maximum 400 words for all questions above

5. In the broad field of corporate real estate (CRE), what innovative or exciting new development do you believe will be 'one to watch' over the coming years? Please explain why this development should capture our attention and discuss the potential benefits it could bring to our organisations. (20 points)

Maximum 200 words for above question

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Deadline: COB 4th May 2026

SUBMIT AWARDS TO:

Award submission (pdf, word or power point) emailed to: ukchapter@corenetglobal.org.uk

UK AWARD WINNER ANNOUNCEMENT

4th June at the CoreNet UK Summer Party

3 submissions will be shortlisted.

PRIZE!

- UK winner gets ticket / flights / hotel for the North America CoreNet Summit and Awards Dinner taking place in October 2026. (Including registration, 3 nights accommodation at the summit hotel and flights up to the value of £1000.00).
- Coaching session with judges prior to global interview

GLOBAL WINNER ANNOUNCEMENT

All Chapter official nominees and Global winner will be announced during the North America Summit taking place from the 26th October to the 28th October 2026.

QUESTIONS

Any queries to be emailed to: ukchapter@corenetglobal.org.uk.