



TECH10 AWARDS

Tech Collective's Tech10 Awards recognize the individuals and companies driving innovation, education, and growth across Rhode Island's technology ecosystem. These are the innovators; the geeks; the community and workforce partners; the ones inspiring the next tech generation; and the ones with the vision and leadership to bring leading technologies into common place use.

The 2016 Tech10 Awards are presented in partnership with Rhode Island Monthly. As Rhode Island's tech industry continues to grow economically and culturally, Rhode Island Monthly is shining the spotlight on our Tech10 recipients for all Rhode Islanders to see.

Established in 2011, Tech10 is the opportunity for Rhode Island's business and technology community to nominate its exceptional champions: employees, colleagues, clients, and partners. All are fostering Rhode Island's technology innovation, passion, and success. Tell us how.

Honorees will be featured in the November issue of Rhode Island Monthly magazine and be recognized at an awards celebration on Thursday, November 10th.

Technology is not about hardware, apps, or those tricky green lights. Technology is about connecting people, empowering business, and creating change in a global world. Don't miss this opportunity to recognize the Tech10 that make tech truly happen.

Learn more at www.tech10awards.com

NOMINATIONS AND APPLICATIONS

IT, digital media, and technology practitioners, educator, entrepreneurs, or companies working within or developing products/services for the technology industry are eligible for the Tech10 Awards.

Application Note: *Applicants may apply in multiple categories; and there may be multiple winners per category.*

Categories:

1. Entrepreneurship / Startups
2. Techies to Watch
3. CIO's / CTO's
4. Corporate Giving
5. Community Partner
6. Industry Networking/Education Group
7. Youth Engagement
8. Tech Education
9. Workforce Champion
10. Women in Tech



Eligible individuals apply for the Tech10 Awards via one of three ways:

1. Individuals may personally complete and submit the Application Form included below to enter themselves for Tech10 consideration.
2. Individuals may be nominated by a third party (i.e. co-workers, vendors, service providers, clients, or other industry peers). Upon receipt of the completed Nominated Form included below, Tech Collective will contact the Nominee to personally complete and submit the Application Form for Tech10 consideration.
3. Individuals may be entered for Tech10 consideration by a third party (i.e. coworkers, vendors, service providers, clients, or other industry peers). The third party may complete and submit the Application Form included below on behalf on the Nominee. Upon receipt of the completed Application Form, Tech Collective will contact the Nominee to inform them of their Tech10 consideration.

Tech Collective will make known the person/entity which has nominated or entered Nominee for consideration.

Honorees must be able to participate in a video interview to be played during the 2015 Tech10 celebration event. Award submissions will be reviewed and honorees selected by an independent panel of industry judges.

Completed Applications due no later than Monday, August 15th.

If submitting Nominations, please allow enough time for Nominee to complete Application by August 15th, 2016.

NOMINATION FORM

Send completed Nomination Forms to aroman@tech-collective.org or mail to Tech Collective, 166 Valley St., Building 3, Providence, RI 02909. Letters of Recommendation will be accepted with Nomination Forms.

Nominators: *Please allow enough time for Nominee to complete Application by August 15th, 2016.*

Nominee Information

Name:
 Title:
 Company:
 Address:
 Phone Number:
 Email:

Nominator Information

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Award Category (please choose one): Entrepreneurship / Startups Techies to Watch CIO's / CTO's
 Corporate Giving Community Partner Industry Networking/Education Group Youth Engagement
 Tech Education Workforce Champion Women in Tech