

## ALAN HUMANITARIAN LOGISTICS AWARDS 2025 CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

**Purpose:** American Logistics Aid Network desires to honor businesses and individuals whose contributions improve humanitarian outcomes through unique or creative supply chain solutions. The **ALAN Humanitarian Logistics Awards** were established to recognize those businesses and individuals committed to "saving lives through logistics."

**Categories:** The ALAN Humanitarian Logistics Awards are presented in four categories. Awards may not be presented in every category each year, and the organization reserves the right to award special recognition in categories other than those listed.

- Outstanding Contribution To Disaster Relief: Recognizes businesses or individuals for their financial or in-kind supply chain services donations to crises or humanitarian initiatives.
- Employee Engagement: Recognizes businesses for their employee volunteer activities around a crisis or humanitarian initiative.
- Research/Academic Contribution: Recognizes business or individual contributions to the body of knowledge supporting humanitarian supply chains.
- Lifetime Achievement: Recognizes an individual whose work or philanthropic interests have made a substantial positive impact to crisis or humanitarian supply chain activities.

**Eligibility**: Awards are open to businesses of all sizes as well as individuals. \* Organizations and individuals do not need to have a prior relationship with ALAN to be eligible.

Any entity may nominate itself or be nominated by a third party. Those nominating another individual or business should ensure the nominee is aware and is willing and prepared to participate in awards activities.

Eligible entities can be nominated for more than one category, but separate applications must be submitted for each. Companies or individuals can only be named as a finalist in one category.

Past recipients are not eligible for consideration for three years in the category for which they received recognition.

No more than three companies or individuals will be named as finalists in any given category.

**Nomination Process and Awards Timing**: The ALAN Humanitarian Logistics Awards are presented at the annual CSCMP EDGE conference. For 2025, these awards will be presented on **Sunday**, **October 5**. The 2025 CSCMP EDGE conference is being held at the Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center at National Harbor, Maryland. More information about the conference is available at <u>https://www.cscmpedge.org</u>

This year, ALAN's call for nominations will open on **Wednesday**, **May 7**, and will close at 11:59 pm, U.S. Eastern time on **Friday**, **July 11** as published on the ALAN website and in other official communications.

To nominate an individual or business, complete the award nomination form(s) available at <a href="http://www.alanaid.org/humanitarian-awards-nomination">http://www.alanaid.org/humanitarian-awards-nomination</a>. If you are nominating an entity for more than one category, please complete the relevant form for each category.

Nominations will be reviewed for completeness by ALAN staff and volunteers and provided to the judging panel following the nomination deadline. Judges are supply chain and humanitarian professionals who volunteer their time to support the selection of the awards.

Information on previous award recipients is available at https://www.alanaid.org/humanitarian-logistics-awards-previous-winners.

Award recipients will be notified no later than Friday, August 15, 2025.

For questions regarding these awards, please contact Dr. Liana Valente at Liana@alanaid.org

\*Note: We kindly ask that 501(c)(3) non-profit organizations do not nominate themselves. If you're a nonprofit organization and believe you're eligible for one or more of our awards, please reach out to us before submitting a nomination.