
2025 MANUFACTURER CALL FOR ENTRY

Introduction:

The Creative Install Award celebrates the vital role Manufacturer's Representatives play in the design industry by recognizing innovative product applications in a single space. This is your opportunity to showcase how a product was uniquely integrated into a project—whether through creative problem-solving, standout aesthetics, or an unexpected use of materials.

This award is exclusively open to and accepting submissions from Manufacturer's Representatives who are IIDA members. Submit your best work and highlight the impact of your product in bringing design visions to life! If the winning creative installation was in collaboration with a local design firm, the firm will also receive recognition at the award ceremony.

Schedule:

April 28th, 2025: Call for Submissions Opens

June 27th, 2025: Call for Submissions Closes

September 4th, 2025: iDesign Awards Ceremony

Entry Fee:

- There is a \$100.00 per project entry fee.
- Submission and payment must be received by June 27th, 2025 at 11:59 pm.

Requirements:

- The submission process is entirely digital; no hard copy submissions are accepted.
- Provide a 500 word maximum description of the installation, highlighting specialized use of your manufacturer's products. Description to **NOT INCLUDE** manufacturer name or specific product names.
- (2) images representing the installation (High resolution, if possible)

Please send any questions regarding the 2025 iDesign to:

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Submit the Entry:

- Step 1: Visit Google form link below to submit entry
 - o Website: <https://forms.gle/r4YmwbHbbavByPix6>
 - o Have the following information ready:
 - Manufacturer
 - IIDA Industry Member Name
 - IIDA Member Number (must be an active member)
 - IIDA Member email
 - Specifying Firm (if applicable)
 - Project Name
 - (2-5) images representing the installation (High resolution, if possible. Professional photos are not required!)
 - 500 word maximum description of the creative installation, highlighting specialised use of your manufacturer's products. Description to **NOT INCLUDE** manufacturer name or specific product names. Questions to consider:
 - How is this creative installation impactful to the end user and community?
 - What makes this solution unique compared to other projects?
 - In what ways does this solution demonstrate innovation or break new ground?
 - What makes this solution a forward thinking or cutting edge approach?
- Step 2: Visit IIDA Ohio Kentucky website to Submit Payment
 - o Website: <https://www.iidaohky.org/clevak-designawards>

Please remember that the submission deadline is June 27th, 2025 at 11:59pm.

Awards:

- Submitters will not be notified in advance if their installations win an award.
- A panel of distinguished judges will review the installation entries to determine outstanding achievement in design. The jury will consider each installation based on its own unique program, needs, and challenges.
- IIDA Cleveland Akron will promote and recognize winners on the IIDA Cleveland Akron websites, newsletters, and social media. All press releases will be sent to the local media.
- If there was an A&D firm specifying the winning design, the firm will also be recognized.
- The awards ceremony will be held on the evening of Thursday, September 4th, 2025.

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