



## **SCL International Medal Rules**

The SCL International Medal will be governed by the following rules.

### **1. Criterion**

The SCL International will present the SCL International Medal to an individual judged to have made a major contribution to construction law internationally.

### **2. Announcement of Medal Recipient**

- (a) Medal recipients will be announced in the final session of an International Conference (**Medal Announcement Date**).
- (b) The Medal will be presented at the International Conference if that person is present or, if the recipient is not present, the Medal will be presented by a representative of the SCL who nominated him/her, or in whose territory the recipient is based, or at another suitable event.

### **3. Nomination of Candidates**

- (a) The SCL International coalition will delegate a person (**Co-ordinator**) to co-ordinate the nomination and award process in accordance with these rules.
- (b) At least 6 months before the Medal Announcement Date, the Co-ordinator will invite all SCL members of the SCL International coalition to submit names of candidates who they consider merit the SCL International Medal.
- (c) Nominations are to be submitted by SCL Chairs/Presidents or their nominees to the Co-ordinator no later than 3 months before the Medal Announcement Date, which nominations are not limited to the country/region of the nominator.
- (d) Nominations must be accompanied by information supporting the nomination, including the reasons why each candidate for the award is nominated.
- (e) Each SCL member of the SCL International coalition shall be entitled to nominate up to 3 persons for the Medal. There is no requirement that a person nominated by an SCL member be a national or resident of the jurisdiction of the nominating SCL member.

### **4. Process for awarding Medal**

- (a) Nominations, together with the supporting information referred to in 3(d), above, will be circulated by the Co-ordinator to the SCL Coalition Chairs/Presidents no later than 14 weeks before the Medal Announcement Date.

- (b) Questions on the nominations may be directed to the Co-ordinator until no later than 12 weeks before the Medal Announcement Date and will be responded to by email to all SCL Chairs/Presidents or their nominees, no later than 10 weeks before the Medal Announcement Date.
- (c) The successful candidate will be decided by simple majority vote of the Chairs/Presidents of the various SCLs who vote, which vote will take place no later than 4 weeks before the Medal Announcement Date and votes may be given by email to the Co-ordinator, and, for this purpose, Chairs/Presidents may nominate a representative to cast the vote on his/her behalf.

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