GOZO TOURISM AWARDS 2025



Worker of the Year Award Young Worker of the Year Award

OBJECTIVES

- To acknowledge the service given by the employee during the performance of his/her duties in the Gozitan touristic sector.
- To acknowledge the employee who with his/her performance and his/her qualities was a role model to his colleagues.
- To acknowledge the employee who through his/her performance was not only enhancing his/her place of work, but was also instrumental in improving the touristic sector on Gozo.
- To acknowledge the employee who with the performance of his/her duties, was enticing confidence in a career in the tourism sector.
- To reward the employee who has shown innovative and creative skills, through the performance of his/her duties.
- To reward the employee who excelled in the hospitality he/she offered in terms of friendliness, helpfulness and enthusiasm.

CONDITIONS & REGULATIONS

Following are the general guidelines being recommended for each nominee to follow carefully, in order to submit an appropriate nomination application form.

General Guidelines for Awards Nominations Applications

- 1. **Independent Judging Panel:** The judging panel, composed of a chairperson and three (3) other members is independent, and the members may not be familiar with you. It is important to provide a clear and comprehensive presentation of your achievements.
- 2. **Present Yourself Effectively:** Your nomination should go beyond just submitting a CV. Highlight your key achievements, initiatives, and attainments in a well-rounded, engaging and presentable way.
- 3. **Include Testimonials and Feedback:** Customer reviews, testimonials, write-ups, or any other forms of feedback can be highly valuable in demonstrating the impact and success of your career's achievements. Make sure to include these where applicable.
- 4. **Relevant Certifications:** If you have earned any certifications, qualifications or received recognition that supports your application, be sure to include them. These credentials can enhance the strength of your nomination.
- 5. **Highlight 2025 Achievements:** Emphasise the most significant achievements or milestones you reached in 2025. Showcase how these accomplishments have made a tangible difference to your work, workplace and colleagues.

Participation Regulations

- 1. The attached Nomination Form can also be obtained from the Offices of the Gozo Tourism Association or downloaded from the GTA website: www.islandofgozo.org
 If you send us a scanned copy of the form, please make sure to fill it in using blue ink.
- 2. Page 1 of the nomination form should:
 - Be duly filled.
 - Include a recent photo of the nominated person, affixed to the application form.
 - Include the signature of one proposer who is over 18 years of age.

- 3. Page 2 of the nomination form should include details and signature of the proposer as per form.
- 4. Together with the Nomination Form, and as explained by the General Guidelines on page 2, please annex the following:
 - A detailed curriculum vitae and the attributes by which the nominee qualifies for this award (page 4)
 - The proposer should state how the nominee distinguished himself/ herself both in the service offered and creativity at his/ her place of work.
 - Copies of any **testimonials and certificates** concerning the nominee's career are, to be attached as per page 4.
 - Each and every declaration (pg. 1, pg. 2 & pg. 4) should include the signature of the proposer.
 - Photocopy of **ID card** from both sides of the person being nominated, is to be attached with the application form.

To assist the adjudication panel in better assessing the nominee, it is highly recommended that the nomination form be supported by the relevant documentation mentioned earlier.

- 5. The nomination form duly filled together with all the necessary **documentation** and **declarations** mentioned in the check list on page 3 (where applicable) and page 5, should be delivered by hand to **The Gozo Tourism Association**, Flat 4, Ta' Mliet Court, Gorg Borg Olivier Street, Victoria Gozo by not later than noon on **Monday 19**th **January 2026** for the proper vetting by GTA officials before deposited in the appropriate box.
- 6. If it deems fit, during the adjudication, the selection board reserves the right to interview the nominee to clarify further the application.
- 7. GTA reserves the right to ask for photos or take video footage of the nominated persons during the performance of their duties in order to be featured during the presentation of nominees.

Opening of Nomination forms:

Envelopes with nominations will be opened by the Selection board on the date, time and location which will be published by the GTA two (2) days prior to date.

These Awards which has been established by the Gozo Tourism Association will be conferred on Friday 6th February 2026, during a purposely organised event at a venue to be announced at a later date.