

2025 WOMEN IN SUPPLY CHAIN

Nominations are open for *Supply & Demand Chain Executive's* and *Food Logistics'* 2025 Women in Supply Chain award, which recognizes female supply chain leaders and executives whose accomplishments set a foundation for women in all levels of a company's supply chain network.

What is the overall timeframe?

Entries open: Monday, March 10, 2025

Entries due: Friday, April 30, 2025 at 11:59 p.m. CST

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The criteria includes:

- This award is open to all female leaders in the supply chain that fall within all categories/markets within the *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* AND *Food Logistics* audience. Learn more about our audience here: <https://www.supplychainnetworkmediakit.com/>
- This year's Women in Supply Chain award is broken down into **four** distinct categories. Select (1):
 - **Rising Stars** -- Recognizes young or newer professionals (39 and under) whose achievements, hard work and vision have shaped the supply chain network.
 - **Trailblazers** -- Honors female leaders who continue to pave the way for future females in logistics. Must have at least 10 years' documented experience in supply chain and logistics.
 - **DEI Pioneer** -- Celebrates female leaders who continue to create and execute diversity, equity and inclusion efforts. DEI does not need to be in the nominee's title to apply; but must be able to showcase clear examples of DEI efforts in the submission.
 - **Workforce Innovator** -- Pays tribute to those female leaders whose efforts in supply chain education and workforce development help build a better workforce.
- There will be (1) overall winner per category, in addition to the regular winners. The four overall winners will receive the highest-level promotional package, which includes:
 - > Executive Profile in Online Article (Logo & Company Bio)
 - > Virtual Video Interview, posted to FoodLogistics.com and SDCExec.com.
 - > Company Logo Placement in Overall Winner Interview – Scrolls Along Bottom of Video Player
 - > Logo License (unlimited rights and full access to include, share and embed the award logo anywhere, everywhere at all times).
 - > A Commemorative Plaque
 - > The opportunity to participate in a panel discussion at this year's Women in Supply Chain Forum.
- **Who is eligible?** Executives, operators, managers, truck drivers and more. If this female nominee works in the supply chain or works for a company that has supply chain customers, she is eligible.
- Submissions must tell a story; they must detail the journey the nominee has taken to get to this current stage in her career. The more information, the better. Those submissions with one-sentence answers or no examples will not be considered.

- Winners ARE NOT determined based on relationship with *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics*. Winners ARE ALSO NOT determined based on their advertising position with *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics*. Nominee names and company names are hidden in the vetting process; *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics*' editorial staff vet applications based on the submission itself, which is why telling a story and providing clear examples is imperative to determining winners vs. non-winners.
- Nominees can be located nationally and/or internationally.
- All applications must be submitted electronically. Applications emailed to *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics*' staff or submitted through social media channels will not be considered.
- Names, titles and other information will publish as listed in the nomination form. *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics* will not be held responsible for publishing names or other information that was incorrectly submitted in the nomination process. Please proofread your work.
- Information provided in the application will be used in print and online. If there is information in the application that is proprietary/not to be shared, please indicate as such.
- **How many applications can I submit?** Limit one category per nominee; Limit up to three nominations (individuals) per company. Those submissions for the same person with multiple categories will be disqualified. Those submissions for more than three nominees per company could result in disqualification.
- Nominations can come from PR/marketing firms/agencies, suppliers, vendors, customers, co-workers and/or the companies themselves. Executives can self-nominate. PR/marketing firms can nominate one or more client. Nominees from PR/marketing firms/agencies are not applicable.
- Honorees are vetted by *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics*' editorial staff.
- Previous wins do not automatically guarantee a spot in this year's award. Multiple submissions for the same nominee may result in elimination. Wins from other awards not related to *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics* will also not automatically guarantee a spot in this year's award.
- Be sure to hit "Submit" at the end of the application process. Application must be completed in full to be considered. Incomplete submissions will be disqualified.
- 2024 Women in Supply Chain winners as well as winners from this year's Women in Supply Chain award will receive a special code for a discounted rate on registration to this year's Women in Supply Chain Forum, scheduled Nov. 18-19 in Clearwater Beach, Fla.
- **Nominations close Friday, April 30, 2025 at 11:59 p.m. CST.** *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics* will not accept any past due submissions.
- **Want more information?** [Check out our FAQs page.](#)
- Questions can be directed to editor-in-chief Marina Mayer at mmayer@iron.markets.

Your Name (required, will not publish):

Your Email (required, will not publish):

Your Phone Number (required, will not be publish):

Name of Nominee (required):

Nominee Title (required):

Nominee Email (required, will not publish):

Company Name or Organization (required):

Upload company logo here (encouraged, but not required):

Company or Organization Global Headquarters Address (required, will not publish):

Website (required):

Nominee's Social Media Handles (LinkedIn, Twitter) (optional, will not publish):

Upload nominee's headshot here (encouraged, but not required):

Nominee's Bio here (required, no word/character count limit):

What makes the nominee a top Woman in the Supply Chain in the respective category? Please list her achievements, initiatives, leadership roles, etc. Please describe the impact or results of those initiatives. Tell the story. Be specific. (required, no word count or character limit)

What inspires this nominee to "think outside the box"? (required, no word/character count limit):

Outline 1-3 examples of projects/initiatives/goals/achievements from the nominee within the past 12 months. Be thorough. Include as much detail as possible. (required, no word/character count limit):

What piece of advice does the nominee hold close that might inspire the next generation of women in the industry? (required, no word/character count limit):

Please describe something "worth noting" about this nominee that you believe is a competitive differentiator and would be of interest to *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics* readers. (required, no word count or character limit):

Select the category that best fits the nominee's company/market. (select one) (required):

Association

Consultancy

Education/Certification

Procurement/Sourcing

Risk Management/Safety

Software/Technology

Sustainability

Transportation

Warehousing

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Will the nominee be attending our fourth annual Women in Supply Chain Forum, Nov. 18-20 in Clearwater Beach, Fla.? (Head to WomenInSupplyChainForum.com to learn more).

Yes

No

Not sure