

NAIOP

COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE
DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

UPSTATE NEW YORK CHAPTER

2026 COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE AWARDS

June 3, 2026 | The Westin Buffalo

5:30PM - 7:00PM

Cocktails and Hors D'oeuvres

7:00PM - 9:00PM

Dinner & Awards Presentation

2026 Award Categories

Projects of the Year

Excellence in Development

Developing Leader

Nominations now open!

Submit a Nomination

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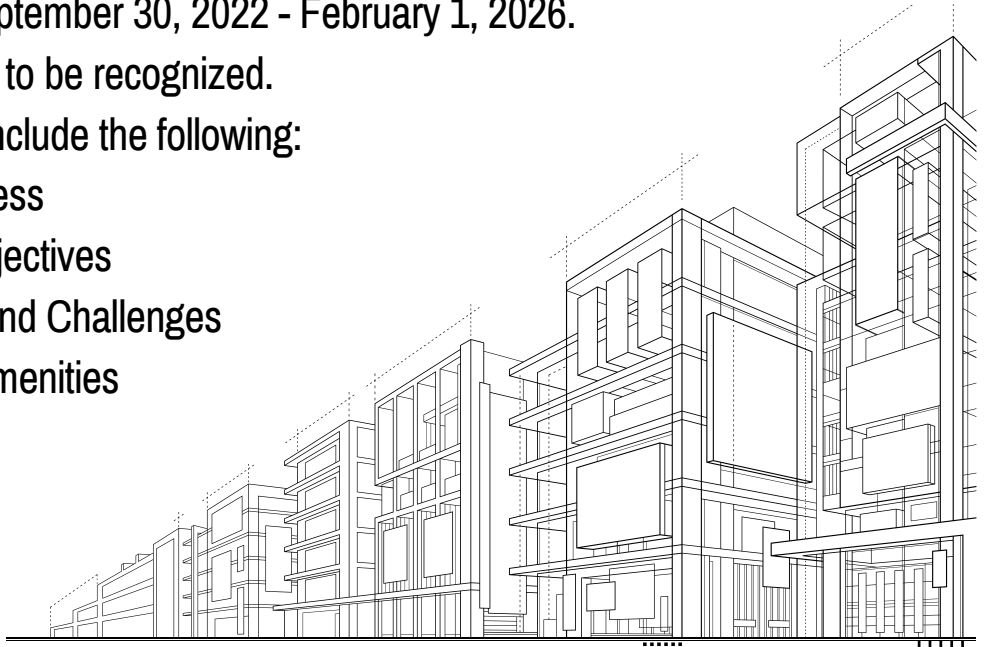
Awards Criteria:

Projects completed between September 30, 2022 - February 1, 2026.

Tell us why the project deserves to be recognized.

All project submissions should include the following:

- Property Description and Address
- Development Concept and Objectives
- Design Process- Innovations and Challenges
- Project Strengths, Features, Amenities
- Project Challenges
- Economic/Financial Success
- Project Team
- Advocacy
- Unique Opportunities



Judging criteria will be based upon how the project differentiates itself from other projects based on creativity, uniqueness of design, sustainability and economic and community impact.

Nominations will close on April 3, 2026.

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Excellence in Development

The association's highest honor, the award stands for quality and professional integrity both across the broader commercial real estate industry and within the local communities where these individuals operate.

The Excellence in Development Award is given to an individual that best exemplifies leadership and innovation in the commercial real estate industry.

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Developing Leader

A developing leader representing NAIOP's goals of advocacy, education, and business opportunities. Award Criteria: The Developing Leader Award is presented to a recipient who has shown exemplary achievements and demonstrated outstanding professional accomplishments in the commercial real estate industry.

The recipient of the Developing Leader Award will be selected based on the following:

- Leadership.
- Professional competency.
- Career goals.
- Community involvement.

The individual nominated must be:

A commercial real estate professional (full-time students are not eligible).

35 years of age and younger

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