




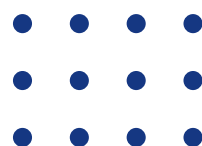

# Young Australian Space Leader 2022

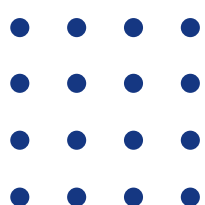


## Scholarship Awards Info Booklet



**Scholarships to attend the Space  
Generation Congress and the International  
Astronautical Congress, in Paris (France)  
in September 2022**





The Young Australian Space Leader (YASL) Award is a scholarship for the Youth of Australia to attend the Space Generation Congress and the International Astronautical Congress, wherever it might be in the world; from South Africa to Mexico to Adelaide.



The 2022 Space Generation Congress and International Astronautical Congress will be in Paris, France in September. After two years of COVID restrictions, we now have the opportunity to send multiple Young Australian Space Leaders to Europe to represent Australia to the greater global Space Industry, selected from a variety of backgrounds.

Young Australian Space Leaders are chosen based on their impact on the Australian Space industry - from community outreach to interdisciplinary initiatives and industry engagement, each recipient has demonstrated that they are the future leaders of our Space Industry.

Each category has been assessed by an independent panel, with representatives from relevant industry and/or experience in their private ventures, ranging from former Astronauts to space executives the Victorian Space Science Education Centre and former YASL recipients.





# YASL 2022 Categories



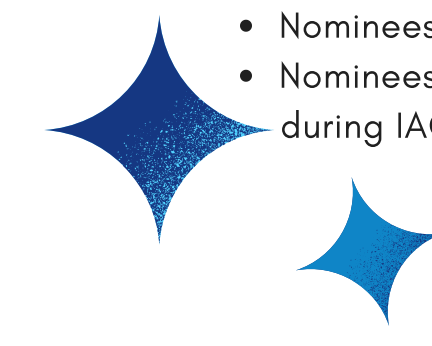
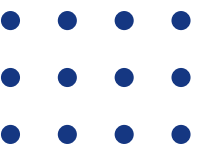
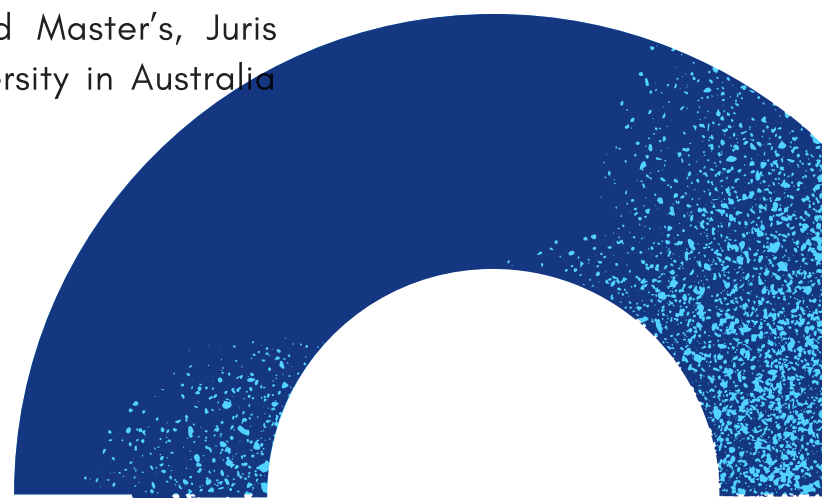
In past years YASL has run as an Aerospace Futures exclusive scholarship. This year, however, we are happy to announce that we will be opening up the scholarship to multiple programs and events! In collaboration with key stakeholders (industry representative and donors), we have can proudly present the following categories:

**Young Australian Space Leader - Excellence Award**  
*for AYAA nominees*

**Young Australian Space Leader - Impact Award**  
*for AURC Team participants (2019 & 2020)*

**Young Australian Space Leader - Industry Award**  
*for Astra Program participants (2021 & 2022)*

More detail on eligibility and process is presented on the following pages. Not all categories open at the same time, so take note of dates. Across all categories, the following applies with regard to eligibility:

- Nominees must be a current full-time Bachelor's, integrated Master's, Juris Doctor or Doctor of Medicine student at an accredited University in Australia during IAC.
  - Nominees may not have held a YASL award before.
  - Nominees must be between the age of 18 and 30 (inclusive) during IAC.
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# Young Australian Space Leader – Impact Award

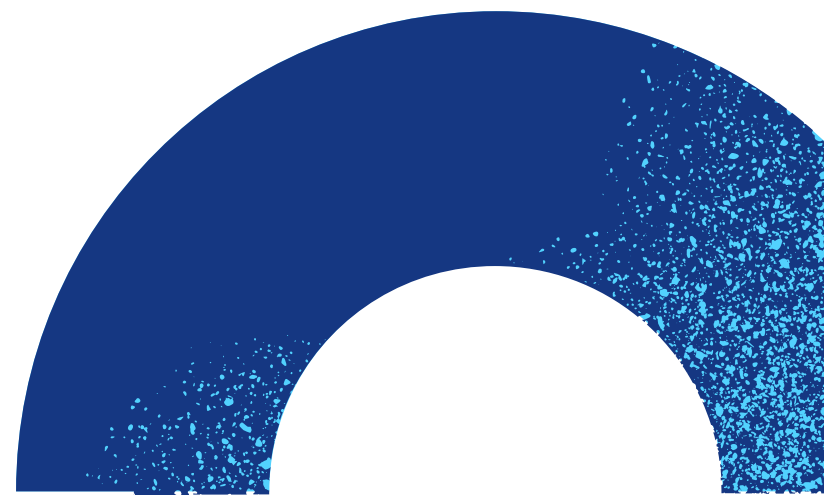
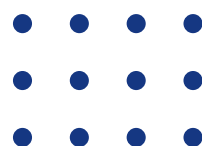


The YASL Impact Award is awarded to two individuals from the AURC teams of 2019 and 2020. Teams are given the opportunity to nominate three outstanding individuals who have had the largest impact on their team, their community and their university over the course of their tenure.

AURC participants have demonstrated expert capability and showcase the promising capabilities within our future workforce. Teams are encouraged to consider broad impacts, such as diversity and outreach, as well as technical excellence, initiative and resilience for their nominees.

Applications will close on the 4th of May 11:59 AEST.

The selected Young Australian Space Leaders of 2022 in this category will be announced in May.





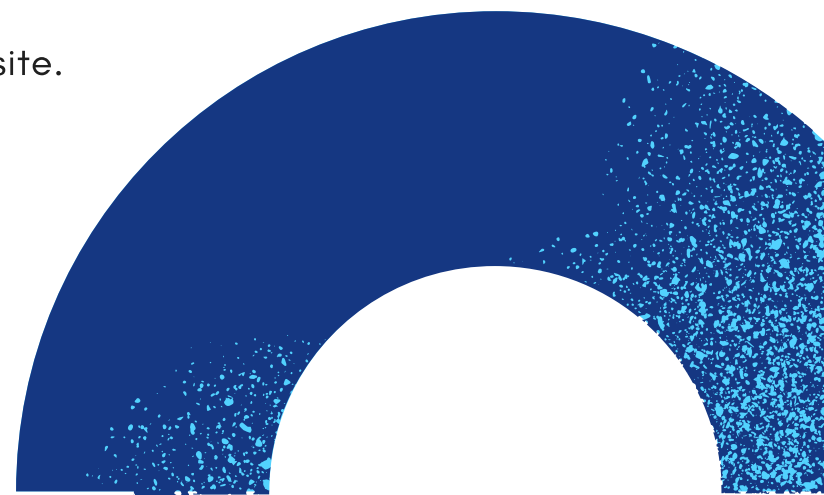
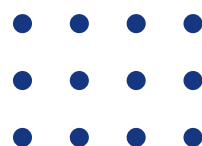
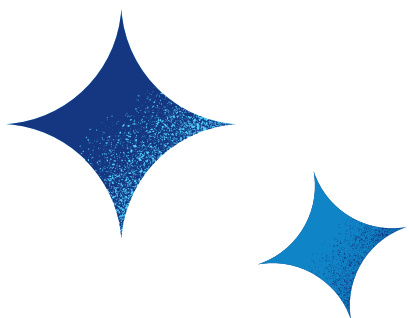


## Eligibility of Nominees

- Nominees must be from an AURC rocket team that meets one of the below conditions:
  - Is in the Top 5 Teams of the 10,000 ft and/or 30,000 ft Category Leaderboards for AURC 2019 and/or 2020;
  - Is on the SHOAL Awards for Modelling & Simulation Leaderboard for AURC 2020;
  - Received an Australian Youth Aerospace Association Award for AURC 2020.
  - Nominees must have been on the AURC team at the time of competition, but may have moved on currently.

## Condition of Nomination

- Each eligible team/organisation can nominate up to 3 team members, regardless of how many awards or listings they hold.
- Each submission must include an endorsement from a University faculty representative listing the nominee(s) by name.
  - Ideally this is an academic advisor, however, other senior faculty members will also be deemed acceptable. This cannot be signed by casual university staff or student/staff.
  - We recommend having a single letter (or saved pdf of emails) with all names to reduce workload, but the method is up to individual discretion.
- Nomination forms will be made available on the AYAA website.





# Young Australian Space Leader – Industry Award

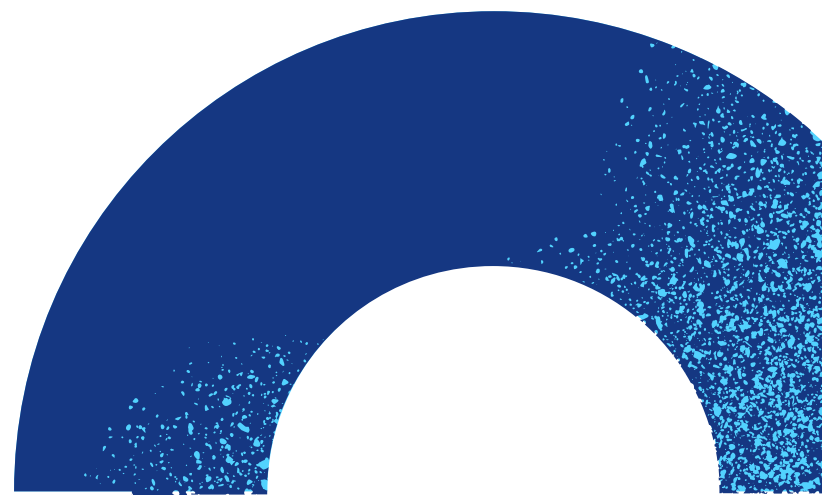
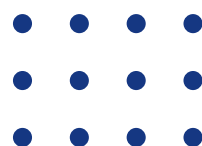
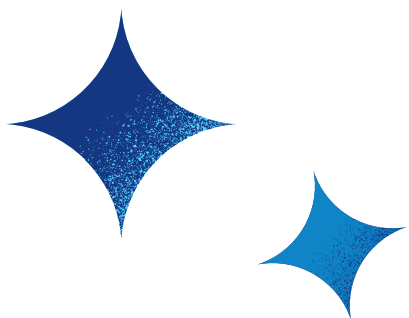


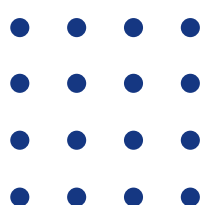
The YASL Industry Award is awarded to individuals who have participated in the ASTRA Program of 2021 and/or 2022. Showcasing the industry of the future, from legal to engineering to sustainability, this award is dedicated to the demonstration of interdisciplinary capability and knowledge.

As the industry continues to rapidly grow and expand, people with this multidisciplinary passion and experience will be essential to broad, long-term success. Individuals involved with the Astra program have demonstrated that they are subject matter experts on the Australian Space Industry and its capabilities.

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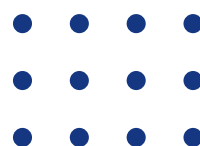


## Eligibility of Nominees

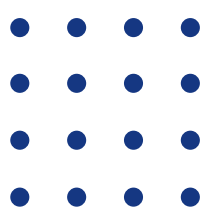
- Nominees must be participants or committee members in the Astra program in either:
  - 2021, or;
  - 2022.
- Where nominees have applied for the Impact and Industry award the Industry Award will take precedent and the Impact submission will be disregarded.

## Condition of Nomination

- Each submission must include an endorsement from an Astra committee member or participant in the year that the nominee participated.
  - Each person may only endorse two applicants, any endorsement after two will be disregarded and treated as not received.
  - This endorsement may take form of a short message, or email.  
Nominees will not be judged on the method of endorsement, only on the content (positive/negative) and its existence.
- Nomination forms will be made available on the AYAA website.







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