

PAMELA HALL OUTSTANDING GROUP CRITERIA

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1 About the Award

The Company Outstanding Achievement (COA) Awards are presented by the Records and Information Management Practitioners Alliance (RIMPA) Global.

The Pamela Hall Outstanding Group Award is named in acknowledgement of Pamela Hall, Pamela was an archivist at the National Archives in New Zealand (now known as Archives New Zealand) in the 1950's. Pamela gave lectures on archives at the Library School and at many conferences. She made an enormous foundational contribution to records and information management in New Zealand and is most well-known for her heroic actions as a young archivist in salvaging some of New Zealand's most valuable public records after a fire swept through Wellington's Hope Gibbons Building in 1952. Pamela worked alongside the demolition crew and ultimately saved more than 300 cubic metres of records.

The Outstanding Group Award is presented by RIMPA Global to recognise the contribution an organisation or group has made either to their workplace practices, the RIMPA Global community or the records and information management industry.

Nominations for the award must be received by the advertised annual deadline. Nominations can be self-nominated or by a third party.

2 Eligibility

The organisation must be a RIMPA Global corporate member – if more than one organisation within the group, only one must be a corporate member.

The project/initiative must have been completed between 01/07/25 - 30/04/26 (project has been completed, however implementation/work can still be ongoing in smaller activities).

Products/services of vendors are not considered innovative concepts under this award criteria.

The R&IM team or a representative must have been the Project Manager/Lead.

3 Nomination Process

To nominate for this award, the Nomination Form (available on the RIMPA Global website) must be completed and sent to the Awards Inbox (awards@rimpa.com.au), along with any supporting documentation.

If attachments are too large to email, nominators should contact RIMPA Global Central Office, and a secure upload link will be provided to allow the transfer of the nomination.

There may be an in-person discussion with shortlisted nominees if required.

The top three nominees will be shortlisted and receive complimentary attendance at the RIMPA Live Diamond Ball for the announcement of the winner.

4 Award Criteria

The below question is to be answered when submitting a nomination for this award.

Detail the innovative initiative or project delivered, within the organisation or the wider industry, with the response addressing each category listed below (maximum 2,000 words). Supporting evidence must be provided and not included in word limit.

1. The initiative or project
2. Problems solved
3. Benefits to the organisation/industry including details on how this affected maturity
4. Lessons learnt
5. Additional/unexpected successes