

# Reconciliation Champion

## Criteria

This award recognises outstanding achievements of an **individual or organisation** in the **advancing Reconciliation** within Monash.

**This achievement may have included actively supporting Reconciliation by:**

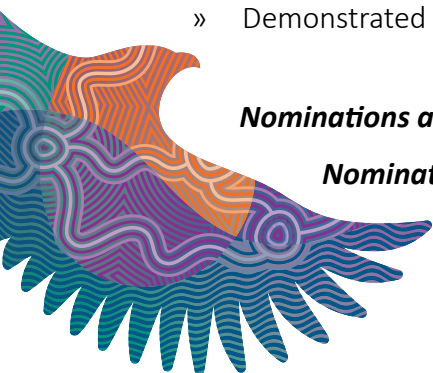
**Actively supporting institutional** integrity, promotes unity, respecting race relations, strengthening unity, and historical acceptance.

**This category welcomes nominations for people who have:**

- » Made a **substantial or ongoing contribution** towards Reconciliation
- » Shown commitment on a personal level or as part of an organisation in **activities that promote** Reconciliation
- » Demonstrated **advocacy of reconciliation** in Monash either in the community or in a workplace
- » Implemented policies and/or projects that **takes into account the needs** of the First Nations community within Monash
- » Implemented policies and/or projects that **contribute to a culturally competent** workplace and/or community
- » Demonstrated **support** towards First Nations employees.

***Nominations are open to the entire community.***

***Nominations from First Nations people are encouraged.***



# Nomination Guidelines

## Here are a few guidelines to assist with your nomination

- » Only **one category** can be selected (not multiple categories)
- » People who were **nominated before can be nominated** again  
(Previous winners are unable to be nominated for future awards)
- » Ensure **contact details are correct**
- » **Highlight your nominee's achievements** and provide as much detail as possible
- » **Describe the positive difference** the nominee has made to an individual, group, business or the community
- » If relevant, **include supporting documentation** ie. photos, articles and personal references
- » Try to **write at least 3-5 sentences** for each question
- » Council staff and Councillors are **not able** to be nominated.

## Submission of nominations

**Submit your nomination** at [www.monash.vic.gov.au/awards](http://www.monash.vic.gov.au/awards)

For **assistance completing a nomination**, to receive a **hard copy** or **translated** form, call 9518 3219.  
Nominations close **Sunday 13 July 2025**.

## Awards ceremony

Nominees and nominators will be invited to **attend the awards ceremony** on Thursday 30 October, where results will be announced on the night.

## For more information or assistance with your nomination

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SIR JOHN MONASH  
**AWARDS**



*Monash Council acknowledges the Traditional Owners of this land, the Wurundjeri Woi Wurrung and Bunurong People, and recognises their continuing connection to the land and waterways. We pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging and extend this to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People.*