# 2025 SIR JOHN MONASH



## Multicultural Champion Criteria

This award recognises outstanding achievement by an individual, organisation, service provider or business in the **area of multiculturalism** within Monash.

This achievement may have involved actively **supporting cultural diversity** by promoting harmony, respect of difference and inclusion, and building bridges between and within communities.

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

- » Made **substantial contributions** to promoting the well-being of Monash's multicultural communities and fostering understanding of their changing needs over time
- » Shown involvement in **activities that promote** cultural diversity, harmony, and good community relationships, as an individual or as part of an organisation
- » Advocated for multicultural groups in the wider community, or for a culturally diverse workforce through training and mentorship
- » Implemented policies and programs that address the needs of Monash's multicultural and religiously diverse community.

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### **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, organisation, service provider or business
- » 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

For assistance completing a nomination, to receive a hard copy or translated form, call 9518 3241. Nominations close Sunday 13 July 2025.

#### Awards ceremony

Nominees and nominators will be **invited to attend** the awards ceremony on Monday 20 October, where results will be announced on the night.

#### For more information or assistance with your nomination

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