

2026 Heroes of Chemistry Nomination Form

American Chemical Society

Instructions

Welcome to the 2026 ACS Heroes of Chemistry Nomination

Please complete this form to nominate **a team of individuals (must be more than 1 person)** for the 2026 ACS Heroes of Chemistry award. Should you have difficulty completing the nomination or if you have any questions, please contact chemhero@acs.org.

Please note: the system has attachment size limits. If you exceed these limits, please contact us and we will provide an alternate way to submit these files.

How did you hear about the program?

How did you hear about the program?*

You may select multiple items.

Choices

ACS email
ACS newsletter
Friend/Colleague
Other-specify

Other

How you heard about Heroes?

Please list or describe how you heard about Heroes of Chemistry.

Character Limit: 50

Nominator Question Group

Nominator Information

We may contact you if we have questions about your nomination. Please use the best contact information for us to reach you.

Prefix

Character Limit: 5

First Name*

Character Limit: 50

Middle Initial

Character Limit: 2

Last Name*

Character Limit: 50

Suffix

Character Limit: 10

Job Title*

Character Limit: 100

Department/Business Unit within Company*

Character Limit: 150

Company Address*

Character Limit: 100

Company Address 2

Character Limit: 150

City*

Character Limit: 100

State*

Character Limit: 100

Postal Code*

Character Limit: 15

Country*

Character Limit: 100

Phone Number**Character Limit: 25***Email Address****Character Limit: 254***ACS Member*****Choices**

Yes

No

Not Sure

*ACS Member Number***ACS Member Number****Character Limit: 15*

*Nominee Information***Code of Conduct***

Respond to the following statement regarding the nominee: "To the best of my knowledge, including past and present circumstances, the nominee:

1. Employs and requires good safety protocols and practices in their laboratory and/or work environment;
2. Adheres to the ACS Volunteer/National Meeting Attendee Conduct Policy when participating in ACS meetings and activities;
3. Upholds the highest ethical standards in their laboratory and/or work environment; and
4. Otherwise engages in conduct that is consistent with both the objects of the American Chemical Society as stated in [Article II, Section I](#) of its Constitution and the [Chemical Professional's Code of Conduct](#).

A 'Yes' or 'No' response is required. A 'No' response requires an explanation.

Choices

Yes

No

Explanation

Explanation*

Please share your reason for checking **no** in regard to the Code of Conduct.

Character Limit: 6000

Nomination Materials

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As part of the completed nomination package, the following will need to be uploaded in the appropriate fields below:

- A detailed narrative (max. two pages) addressing the product's commercial use, its benefit to humanity, chemistry's central role, and the involvement of the nominees in developing and commercializing the product(s)
- A financial summary detailing the market success and economic impact of the nominated product(s)
- A completed Nominee Information Form, including all appropriate team members' information
- A short biography or résumé/CV for each nominee (combined as a single file for a team of nominees; max. two pages per nominee)
- Any supporting materials (i.e. brochures, articles, press releases, etc. combined as a single file) that speak to the impact of the product(s) are highly encouraged.

If the total size of the attachments is larger than 25MB (system limit), please contact chemhero@acs.org to receive additional instructions. All attachments must be doc, pdf, jpeg, or png format.

Name of nominated product*

Character Limit: 60

Brief description of the product*

Character Limit: 250

What is the name of the company that is the current owner of the technology?*

Character Limit: 25

Has this company been consulted?*

Choices

Yes

No

Unsure

Product Narrative*

Provide a detailed narrative addressing the product's commercial use, its benefit to humanity, chemistry's central role, and the involvement of the nominee(s) in developing and commercializing the product(s). Please use clear, non-technical, concise language in this section. This information will be used to draft press releases, web content, and other materials, which will later be vetted with winning companies.

File Size Limit: 4 MB

Financial summary*

Please provide a financial summary of the economic impact of the nominated product(s).

File Size Limit: 2 MB

Supporting materials

Any brochures, articles, or press releases, etc. that describe the impact of the product being recognized are highly encouraged. File types supported: xlsx, doc, docx, pdf, jpeg, and jpg.

File Size Limit: 13 MB

Nominee information*

At least one member of the team must be an ACS member with a standard or premium package.

Download the nominee information form and complete this file by including all relevant contact information for each team member being nominated on this form.

Please note, the information provided will be used for videos, plaques, and shipping of plaques. Please verify that the information entered is accurate.

Upload completed nominee information form.

File Size Limit: 1 MB

Short biography*

Upload a short biography or résumé/CV (max 2 pages) for each nominee (combined as a single file).

File Size Limit: 5 MB

Communications/Public Relations Contact

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Please provide a primary contact for all communications/public relations-related matters. If your company is selected as a winner, this individual would serve as a liaison between the company and ACS, assisting with items such as coordinating press releases and press conferences, obtaining corporate collateral (i.e. pictures, logos, B-roll, etc.), and general communication to all necessary parties.

Prefix

Character Limit: 6

First Name*

Character Limit: 20

Last Name*

Character Limit: 15

E-mail*

Character Limit: 254

Phone Number*

Character Limit: 15