# Analysis in Government (AiG) Awards nomination form

## Nomination form information

**About the Awards:** The annual Analysis in Government Awards (AiG Awards) recognise and celebrate the excellent analytical work being done across government by civil servants from all government departments, government agencies and arm’s length bodies.

The contribution of colleagues from outside of the Analysis Function may also be recognised through our Collaboration Award. ‘Shortlisted and winning nominations will be celebrated on the public-facing Analysis Function website, and so all nominations submitted for an AiG Award must be suitable to share publicly.’

**Categories:**

* Collaboration
* Communication
* Impact
* Inclusion
* Innovative Methods
* Rising Star Award

**About this nomination form:** We'll ask for some information about you (the nominator), the team or individual you are nominating, a short summary of what happened (max 150 words), and a longer description of the nominated work (max 1,000 words)

**Deadline:** Nominations close on Friday 24 October 2025 at 23:55

Don't forget to submit! Last year, more than 400 nominations were started but not submitted! Don't let your good work go to waste by forgetting to press 'submit'.

**Contact us:** If you have any queries about the awards, please contact [Analysis.Function@ons.gov.uk](mailto:Analysis.Function@ons.gov.uk)

## Privacy policy

The data collected in this form will be used by our judging panel to determine the winning entries for this year’s Analysis in Government Awards and to contact nominees. The nomination form collects the following data:

Names, Professions, Organisation, Contact details (phone numbers and emails), Nomination description.

Details of shortlisted and winning entries will be published, including the nomination description and the organisation and team/individual submitting the nomination. We will not publish any further details without consent. The data will be stored securely in full and will only be accessible to our judging panel. After two years we will remove contact details for the nominations. With the exception of the published shortlisted and winning entries, no nominations will be made public or passed to a third party without further consent. This information will be processed under the lawful basis of legitimate interest, as all the information collected is necessary to contact nominees and judge nominations. For further information, or to request to delete or amend your nomination form, please contact us on [Analysis.Function@ons.gov.uk](mailto:Analysis.Function@ons.gov.uk)

If you have a question about how we process your personal data and you can’t find the answer on our website, you can contact our Data Protection Officer at DPO@statistics.gov.uk or 0845 6013034. To find out more about your rights under data protection legislation, or how to raise a concern with the Information Commissioner, visit [www.ons.gov.uk/dataprotection](http://www.ons.gov.uk/dataprotection) or the Information Commissioners Office at <https://ico.org.uk>

* I understand

## Contact details

Thank you for taking the time to recognise excellence in government analysis. To start with, please tell us a little about yourself.

### Name, Job title, Email:

### Which profession(s) do you work in?

* + Digital, Data and Technology Profession
  + Government Actuary's Department (GAD)
  + Government Economic Service (GES)
  + Government Geography Profession
  + Government Operational Research Service (GORS)
  + Government Social Research (GSR)
  + Government Statistician Group (GSG)
  + Other (please specify)

If other, please specify

### Which Department or Agency do you work in?

**Please note:** The AiG Awards is open to all civil servants and colleagues working in non-departmental public bodies (NDPBs). Colleagues from outside the civil service, for example in local government, academia, or the NHS, may be jointly nominated in the Collaboration category if they worked collaboratively with civil service analysts.

### How did you find out about the AiG Awards?

* + Analysis Function Newsletter
  + Analysis Function website
  + Email / Newsletter from my Profession
  + Email / Newsletter from my Chief Analyst
  + LinkedIn post
  + LinkedIn Newsletter
  + Told by a colleague or my line manager
  + X (I follow the AF @gov\_analysis)
  + X (even though I don't yet follow the AF @gov\_analysis)
  + In a meeting (please specify in 'Comments' box)
  + Other (please specify in 'Comments' box)

Comments:

## The nomination

### Are you nominating an individual or a team?

* + An individual
  + A team

### Who are you nominating?

When deciding who to list as the main contact for your team, you might like to think about who you would expect to go on stage and accept an award on behalf of the team at a ‘real world’ awards ceremony.  Along with the nominator the main contact will be the person we communicate with about your nomination.

Please list all the other names of the team members you are nominating in the space provided. \*

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| Nominee name or Nominated team name: |
| Main contact name: |
| Main contact email address: |

List all the names and email addresses for the rest of the team (if applicable)

### Which professions are the nominees members of?

Select all that apply \*

* Government Actuary's Department (GAD)
* Government Digital and Data
* Government Economic Service (GES)
* Government Geography Profession (GGP)
* Government Operational Research Service (GORS)
* Government Social Research (GSR)
* Government Statistical Service (GSS) or Government Statistician Group (GSG)
* Other (please tell us in the comments box)

Comment:

### What is the title of the nominated work or project?

Title of work / project:

### Which category are you nominating for?

* Collaboration
* Communication
* Impact
* Inclusion
* Innovative Methods
* Rising Star Award

Give us a summary about the nominated work or project  
  
Use this space to give a brief overview about the work or project in question, and why you think it deserves to be nominated.  You will be able to give a more detailed description of your work (up to 1,000 words) in the next section.

* Please provide a brief, non-technical summary of the nomination (max 150 words)
* If shortlisted, we will use this summary text on our website to describe your nomination on our website
* Please spell out all acronyms and abbreviations in full the first time you use them

### Nomination description (Collaboration)

**Collaboration Award:** This award celebrates a person or team who has collaborated between teams, departments, other professions, external organisations or researchers to produce a piece of analysis or analytical project

A winning nomination will demonstrate strong evidence of as many as possible of the [Collaboration Award criteria](https://analysisfunction.civilservice.gov.uk/aig-award-categories/#collaboration).

Considering the award criteria, briefly describe how this nomination achieves excellence in Collaboration in government analysis work. You may include links to online content as supporting evidence if you feel it supports your nomination.

* Please use the [Situation, Task, Actions, Results (STAR)](https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/careers-advice/interview-advice/the-star-method) format, and a maximum of 1,000 words.
* The AiG Awards are held across government and sometimes acronyms and abbreviations can mean different things in different departments. Please spell out all acronyms and abbreviations in full the first time you use them.

### Nomination description (Communication)

**Communication Award:** This award celebrates those who have successfully used clear communications to present analysis, considering the needs of their audience. This could be an example of public-facing communication, or internal communication within teams, departments, or across professions.

A winning nomination will demonstrate strong evidence of as many as possible of the [Communication Award criteria](https://analysisfunction.civilservice.gov.uk/aig-award-categories/#communication).

Considering the award criteria, briefly describe how this nomination achieves excellence in using Communication in government analysis. You may include links to online content as supporting evidence if you feel it supports your nomination.

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### Nomination description (Impact)

**Impact Award:** This award recognises analysis which has had a positive impact, influenced decision-making, and/or contributed to the public debate.

A winning nomination will demonstrate strong evidence of as many as possible of the [Impact Award criteria](https://analysisfunction.civilservice.gov.uk/aig-award-categories/#impact).

Considering the award criteria, briefly describe how this nomination made a positive Impact for government analysis. You may include links to online content as supporting evidence if you feel it supports your nomination.

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### Nomination description (Inclusion)

**Inclusion Award:** This award recognises individuals or teams who have made a sustained and meaningful contribution to making the Analysis Function more inclusive, both in how we work and in the analysis we produce. This could include work that supports under-represented communities, advances understanding of diversity and inclusion, or helps ensure our workforce and outputs better reflect the citizens we serve.

A winning nomination will demonstrate evidence of one (or more) of the [Inclusion Award criteria](https://analysisfunction.civilservice.gov.uk/aig-award-categories/#inclusion).

Considering the award criteria, briefly describe how this nomination has supported Inclusion in government analysis work, or in your workplace. You may include links to online content as supporting evidence if you feel it supports your nomination.

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### Nomination description (Innovative Methods)

**Innovative Methods:** This award recognises innovative methods or techniques of analysis.

A winning nomination will demonstrate strong evidence of as many as possible of the [Innovative Methods Award criteria](https://analysisfunction.civilservice.gov.uk/aig-award-categories/#innovative-methods).

Considering the award criteria, briefly describe how this nomination achieves excellence in government analysis using Innovative Methods. You may include links to online content as supporting evidence if you feel it supports your nomination.

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### Nomination description (Rising Star)

**Rising Star:** The winner of Rising Star Award will be someone in the first five years of their career as a government analyst who has gone above and beyond what would be expected for an analyst of their experience, or who has made a difference through championing the importance of analysis. Nominees for the Rising Star Award can be in grades up to and including Grade 7 and can be of any profession or age.

A winning nomination will demonstrate strong evidence of as many as possible of the [Rising Star Award criteria](https://analysisfunction.civilservice.gov.uk/aig-award-categories/#rising-star).

Considering the award criteria briefly describe how this nomination achieves excellence early in a career in government analysis to indicate they are a Rising Star.

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## Submit nomination

### Abbreviations and acronyms

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* Please confirm that you have spelled out all abbreviations and acronyms in full the first time you used them in this nomination
* Yes - I can confirm I have spelled out all abbreviations and acronyms in full when first used in this nomination

### Submit your nomination

Your nomination form is now complete, and you can submit it. Thank you for taking the time to recognise excellence in government analysis, and good luck!