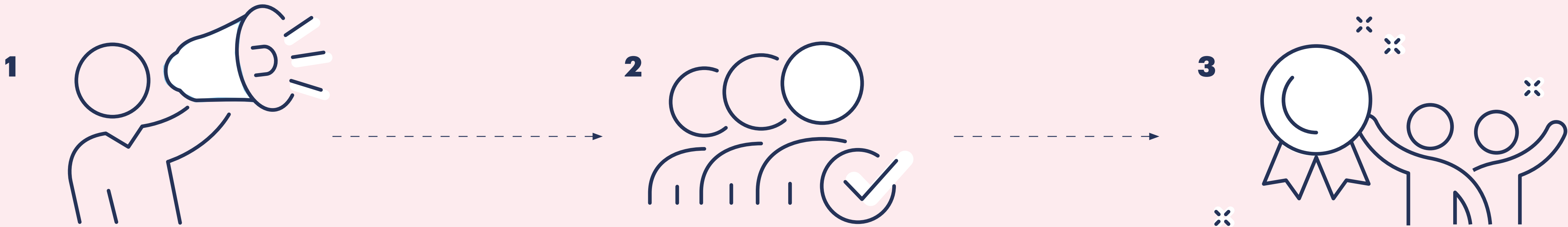


LEADERSHIP AWARDS

Voting Process

2024
James Beard
Awards



Open Call for Recommendations

Open Call begins

Recommendations submitted by:

- + Judges
- + Subcommittee members
- + General public

Open Call closes

Chair and Vice Chair screen entries.

Candidates

Subcommittee scores entries in order to slate 24 candidates on the ballot.

- + References for each candidate will be reviewed by the committee, prior to voting by the Leadership judges.

Subcommittee will confirm the slate of candidates during a committee meeting.

Judges and past honorees vote on four (4) honorees from the ballot.

Honorees

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The four highest scorers will constitute the final set of honorees.

Emerging Leadership Award is committee-chosen.