**Real Estate Forum’s 50 Under 40 2018**

In the October issue, *Real Estate Forum*will profile the best and brightest professionals of the next generation who are making strides in the commercial real estate industry. These are the superstars who have stood out from the pack and will likely be at the helm of the organizations of the future.

The feature will be a major component of our annual **Career Issue**, which will focus on the enrichment and advancement of professionals in the commercial real estate business.

Those nominated **must be under the age of 40 as of September 30** and have a solid track record in the business—this can include both transaction volume as well as their contribution to their company's overall success.

***What You Need to Know***

* No more than 3 nominees per company. For firms with multiple locations, please coordinate through corporate headquarters to determine the 3 individuals who will be nominated. Do not submit nominees that have been selected for 50 Under 40 in the years [2016](http://www.reforum-digital.com/reforum/october_2016) or [2017](http://www.reforum-digital.com/reforum/october_2017).
* All nominees must be under the age of 40 as of September 30, 2018 and must be employed in commercial real estate or a related industry. Nominees whose birthdates are not supplied will not be considered.
* Candidates must have an outstanding track record (i.e., exceptional transaction volume, contributed to industry at large or their company’s overall success, gaining a reputation early in the commercial real estate business).
* All nominations must include a high-resolution color headshot (minimum 2x3 inches, 300 dpi, jpeg format).
* Because this form will “time out” if it remains inactive for an extended period, we suggest you have your information on hand before you begin the entry process. As such, we have provided a copy of the form for [download here](https://www.eiseverywhere.com/file_uploads/7446f2ac7e97046c5883377def984ee7_REF50Under402017-Form.docx). This should be used for preparation purposes only.
* All entries must be electronically submitted. We will accept submissions as long as the form remains open. Once the form is closed, we will not consider additional nominees.

**Deadline is Monday, August 20.**

*For questions about this form or the nomination and selection process, contact Sule Aygoren, editor-in-chief, at* *saygoren@alm.com* *or (preferably) 212.457.9659.*

**SUBMITTER INFORMATION**

**Submitter First Name:**

**Submitter Last Name:**

**Submitter Firm:**

**Submitter Telephone:**

**Submitter Email:**

**Submitting on Behalf of:**

**BASIC DETAILS**

**Nominee First Name:**

**Middle Initial:**

**Nominee Last Name:**

**Nominee Title:**

**Nominee Company:**

**City: State:**

**Email: CC Email:**

**Birthdate:** *mm/yyyy*

**Years in Business: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Years in Current Role: \_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Primary Area of Specialty**

* Developer/Investor/Owner
* CRE Services/Leasing & Investment Sales Brokerage
* Lender/Finance/Capital Markets
* Property Management
* Asset Management
* In-House Corporate Real Estate Specialist
* Legal Counsel/Architect/Accountant/Service Provider
* Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Geographic Focus**

 National Northeast Southeast

Midwest Southwest West

**Specify Geographic Focus: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**ABOUT THE NOMINEE: Open-Ended Questions**

**What makes this nominee stand out from his or her counterparts? Why should s/he be chosen for the 50 Under 40?** *(500-word maximum)*

**What are the nominee’s current responsibilities?** *(500-word maximum)*

**What are the nominee’s notable career achievements and in-house/industry accomplishments or recognitions?**(i.e., awards, significant transactions, deal volume, negotiations, cases or projects, etc. Please include timeframe)  *(500-word maximum)*

**List nominee's activity/achievements in business or career-oriented organizations and/or charitable or civic-minded organizations.** (Please do not include membership in associations unless the nominee holds, or has held, a post of responsibility, such as seats on specific committees or boards.) *(500-word maximum)*

**Why did the nominee choose a career in commercial real estate and how did he or she get started in the business?** *(400-word maximum)*

**What are the nominee’s career goals in the short and long term?** *(400-word maximum)*

**Please comment on at least one of the following** *(400-word maximum)*

* **How does the “next generation” of real estate professionals differ from the prior one?**
* **How are young professionals changing the industry in terms of approach to business or dealmaking?**
* **What new ideas or practices do young professionals bring to CRE that wasn't there before?**
* **What words of advice would you give to someone looking to start a career in CRE?**

**Is there anything else should know about this nominee that would help in making our decision?** *(400-word maximum)*

**IMAGE UPLOAD**

**Please upload a headshot of the nominee.**

Image must be in color Minimum size 2x3 inches

Format just be .jpg Must be high quality (minimum 300 dpi resolution)