



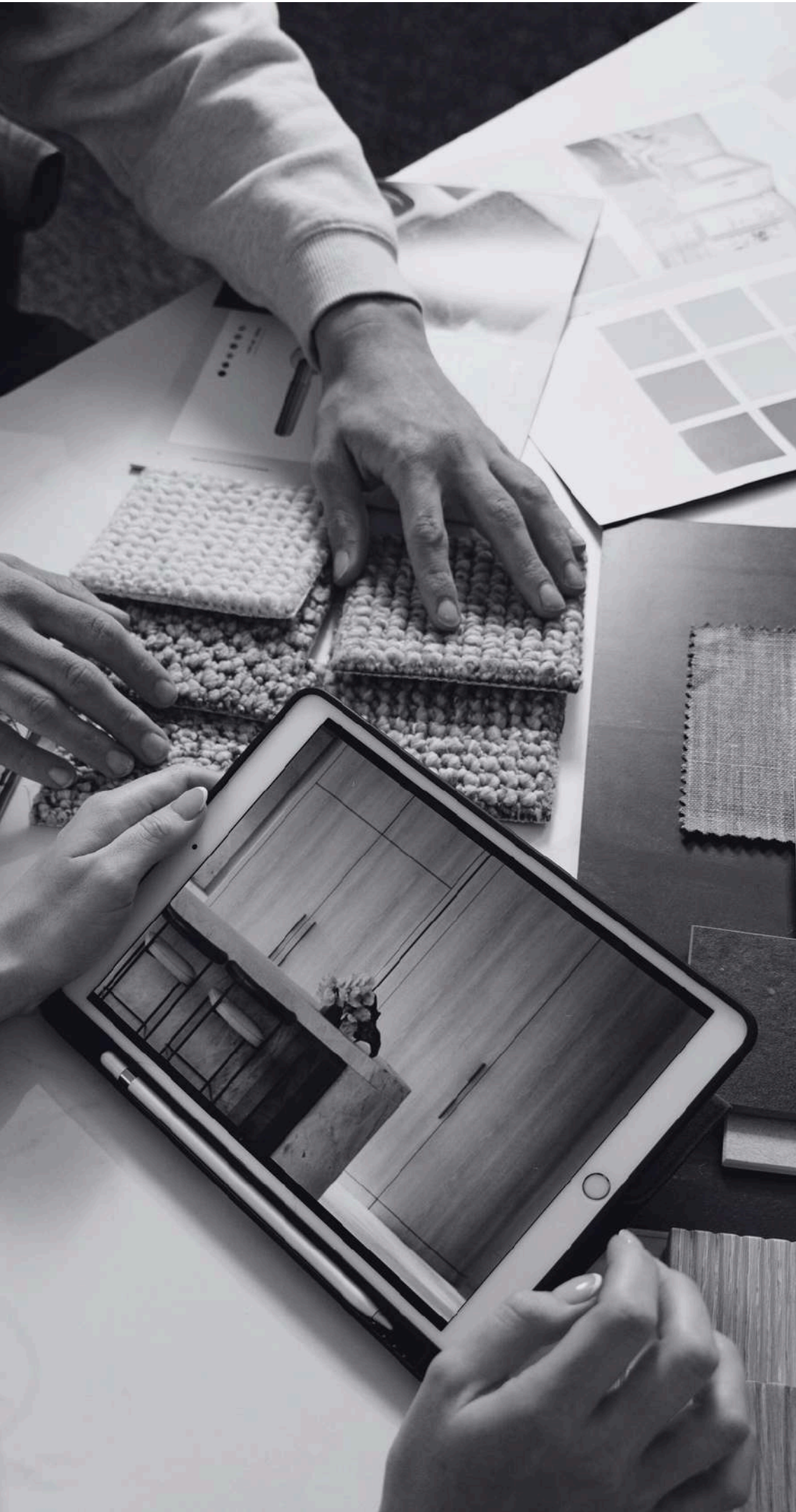
celebrating
excellence
in the flooring
industry

HALL OF FAME CIAL



The Carpet Institute of Australia Hall of Fame celebrates pioneers, visionaries, and ambassadors who have made significant contributions to Australia’s carpet industry, its economic development, and cultural identity. Induction into the CIAL Hall of Fame is the ultimate recognition for outstanding achievement and leadership across all disciplines of carpet manufacturing, design, and related fields. The CIAL Hall of Fame is an event held every two years, recognising leaders from our industry.

PURPOSE



OBJECTIVES

- Recognise individuals who have advanced the Australian carpet industry.
- Create an enduring record of contributions to the industry's economic and cultural impact.
- Foster engagement with the CIAL and the broader carpet industry community.

KEY DATES

NOMINATIONS OPEN

18 August 2025

NOMINATIONS CLOSE

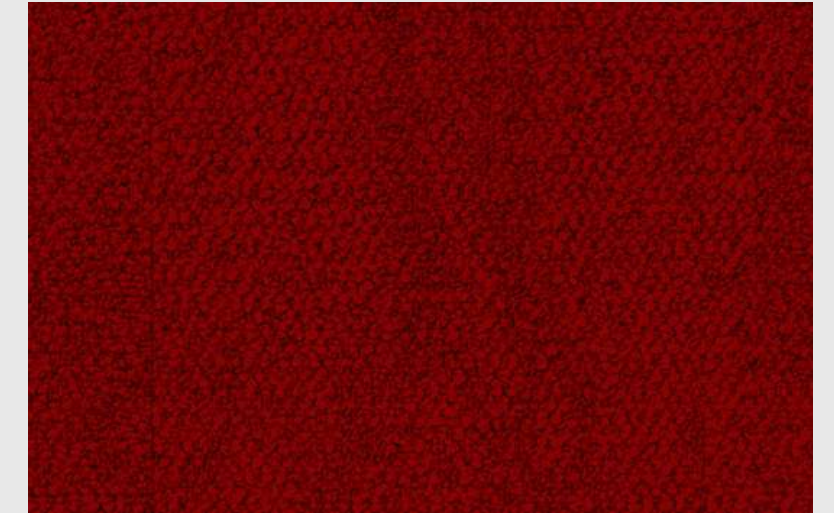
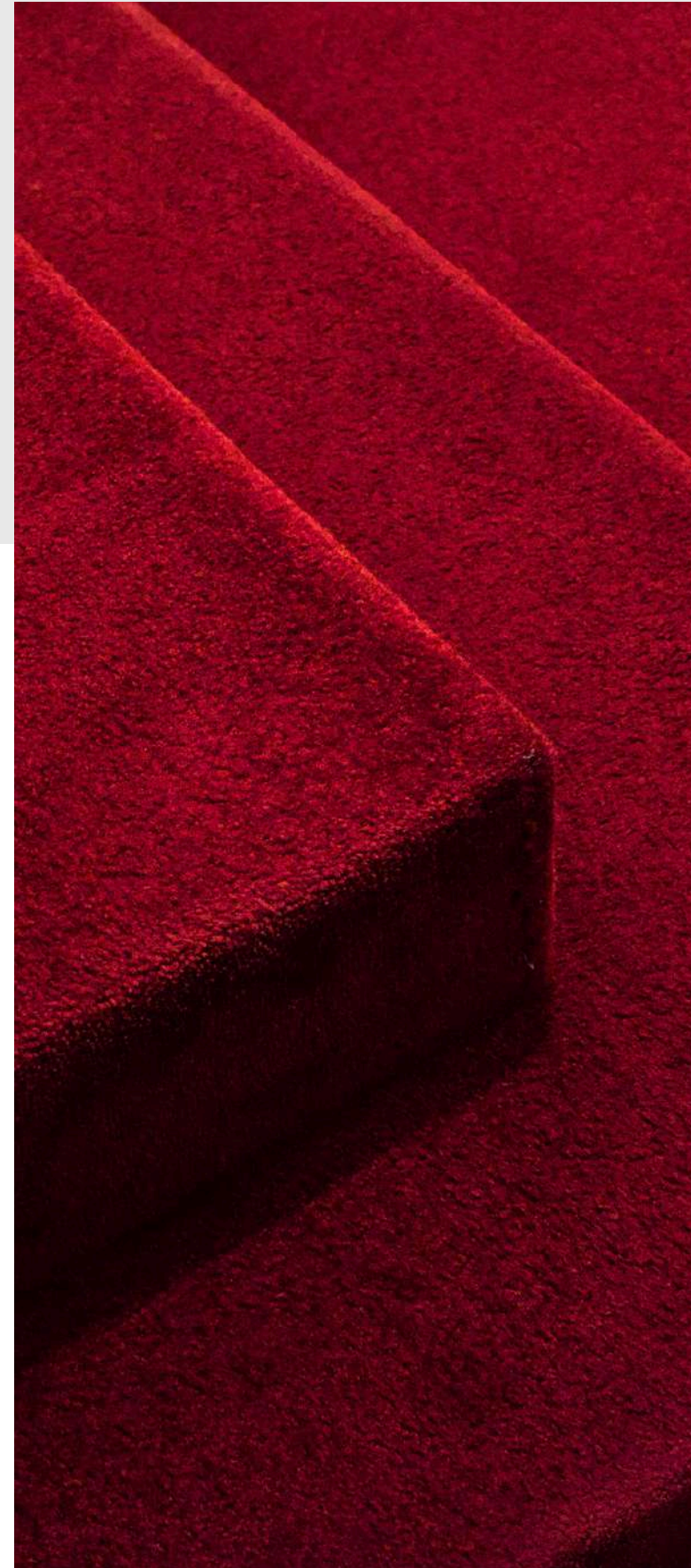
19 September 2025

CIAL HALL OF FAME ANNOUNCEMENT

15 October 2025

CIAL HALL OF FAME CEREMONY

27 November 2025





- Nominations are open to anyone within the carpet industry who has made a significant contribution to Australia's economic development and cultural identity.
- Nominations are open to significant industry participants who are no longer with us.
- Nominees do not need to be current or past CIAL members, though membership is encouraged.
- Self-nominations are not permitted.
- Employees of the CIAL are not eligible.

ELIGIBILITY



SUBMISSION

- To submit a nomination, please complete the official nomination form available at: <https://www.carpetinstitute.com.au/hall-of-fame-nominate/>
- All sections of the form must be completed in full for the nomination to be considered.

CONFIDENTIALITY

All nominations are strictly confidential. Nominees should not be informed of their nomination or approached for information.

REVIEW

The CIAL Hall of Fame Independent Committee reviews nominations, conducts research, and selects inductees based on the criteria below.

OUTCOME

- Successful inductees are notified by the Committee Chair via email.
- Unsuccessful nominations may be reconsidered in future years.

NOMINATION PROCESS



Nominations are assessed against the following equally weighted criteria:

- **Achievements in Carpet Design or Manufacturing:** Outstanding portfolio or innovative contributions to carpet design, production, or technology.
- **Industry Achievements:** Leadership or professional activity in areas such as sustainability, retail stores, flooring, or Built Environment standards.
- **Altruistic Contribution:** Impact on the carpet industry or broader community through mentorship, education, or advocacy.
- **Engagement with CIAL:** Involvement with the CIAL or other industry bodies to promote excellence.
- **Awards and Recognition:** National or international accolades in the carpet or related industries.

SELECTION CRITERIA



- **Published Works:** Books, papers, or articles related to carpet design, manufacturing, sustainability, or industry trends.
- **Sought-After Expertise:** Reputation for providing high-level input or advice, including standards expertise or technological innovation.
- **General Character and Public Profile:** Positive reputation and influence within the industry and community.
- **Specialised Skill Sets:** Demonstrated excellence in the flooring industry.
- **Sustainability and Technological Innovation:** Contributions to environmentally sustainable practices or advancements in carpet manufacturing technology.

SELECTION CRITERIA



COMMITTEE

The CIAL Hall of Fame Committee will be chaired by an independent Chairperson, complimented with carpet industry professionals.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

All nominations are strictly confidential. Nominees should not be informed of their nomination or approached for information.

TERM

Committee members serve up to 2 years, with the option for reappointment.

OUTCOME

The committee reviews nominations against the criteria, conducts additional research when necessary, and selects inductees every two years.

JUDGING PROCESS

ANNOUNCEMENT & CEREMONY

- Inductees are announced on **15 October 2025** via email.
- The ceremony will take place on **27 November 2025**.
- Inductees receive a citation and recognition from CIAL.



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