**2026 POWER BROKER APPLICATION\***

Please be sure to review the updated Power Broker award information before

completing this application. It will help you fill out this form.

**Important Note Regarding Confidentiality:**Please avoid including any information in the application or nomination form that you would not be comfortable seeing in print. While we will make every effort to handle sensitive information with care, please be aware of the following:

* Client References: References listed in the application and contacted by judges may choose to speak *on* or *off* the record. This applies to the client’s name, company name, and any other identifying details.
* Other Information: All other information provided in the application will be considered *on the record* unless you explicitly state otherwise.

**We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in protecting both your privacy and the integrity of the process.**

**Are you applying for the award or are you nominating someone else? \***

I'm Applying

I'm Nominating Someone Else

**If Nominating Someone Else**

Nominator’s Name: \*

Title: \*

Nominator’s Company: \*

Nominator’s Email: \*

Nominator’s Phone: \*

 **Applicant/Nominee Contact Information**

First Name \*

Last Name \*

Organization Name \*

Title \*

Street Address \*

City \*

State \*

ZIP Code \*

Country \*

Email Address \*

Telephone \*

**Nominee Picture (Please provide a four-color, head and shoulders photo with a resolution of at least 300dpi. Files must be less than 5 MB. Allowed file types: png gif jpg jpeg. )**

**Date of Birth (Required to be applicable for the “Under-40” Designation. )**

**Certifications:**

**Industry Categories (Select the industry category that you are applying for (1 category only)): \***

***Note:*** *Employee Benefits category includes healthcare, retirement, voluntary and*

*disability. Total number of winners in this category could exceed 6, depending on the*

*number of qualified applicants and given the intense focus this sector is getting in the*

*industry*

**1 category required: \***

Agriculture/Food Supply

At-large (for categories not listed as separate industry)

Cannabis

Captives

Construction/Design

Cyber

Education (Higher and Secondary)

Employee Benefits (See note at the top)

Energy (Oil, Gas, etc.)

Entertainment - Media/Events

Environmental

Financial Institutions

Fine Arts

Gaming/Hospitality

Health Care

M&A

Manufacturing

Marine

International

Nonprofit (excludes healthcare, higher ed and public sector)

Pharmaceuticals/Life Sciences

Private Client

Public Sector/ Public Entities

Real Estate

Retailing/Wholesaling

Specialty Insurance

Technology

Transportation/Trucking/Rail

Utilities

Workers' Comp/Disability Management

**Client References**

**Please provide contact information for 3 client recommendations from organizations in**

**the above designated industry sector. A Risk & Insurance editor or writer will contact the**

**references to discuss the information on this application as well as other criteria used to**

**evaluate potential Power Broker winners (it is vital that you use references that can be**

**reached and have time to respond). These client testimonials are the most important**

**part of the evaluation process. The references can choose to be on or off the record.**

Contact 1

Company 1

Title 1

Phone 1

Email 1

Contact 2

Company 2

Title 2

Phone 2

Email 2

Contact 3

Company 3

Title 3

Phone 3

Email 3

**Recent Risk Solution(s)**

Briefly explain the specific client challenge and the solution you developed over the

PAST YEAR. Are there any specific results you can share through data or anecdotes? Please do not feel compelled to write an exceedingly long response, we are mostly

looking for general information and background that we will discuss with your

references.

**Explanation:**

**Client Service Philosophy**

Briefly explain your personal approach to client service. Please do not feel compelled to

write an exceedingly long response, we will primarily evaluate this area based on your

client references.

**Explanation:**

**Industry Knowledge**

Briefly explain your approach to mastering the industry sector you practice in. Be

specific and please do not feel compelled to write an exceedingly long response.

**Explanation:**