

SCOTLAND FOOD & DRINK  
**& Excellence  
Awards 2023**  
**YOUNG TALENT AWARD**



## THIS COULD BE YOUR TIME TO SHINE

The future of the food and drink industry depends on inspiring the next generation. The Young Talent Award aims to recognise the achievements of our young people in the sector and give companies an opportunity to demonstrate the investment they make in their workforce. This Award will be presented to entrants between the ages of 16 and 26 (applicants must be 26 or under on 7th September 2023) who demonstrate the greatest skill in their chosen sector of the food and drink industry and can represent the industry positively. Entrants can be involved in manufacturing, retailing or any sector directly linked to the food and drink industry. Finalists may be invited to interview.

With the exception of Best for Scottish (Independent) and Best for Scottish (Multiple), any product or business that won an award in 2022 is not eligible to enter that same category again in 2023.

## HOW TO ENTER

We know how busy working in food and drink can be, so have made the application process as simple as possible. We'll ask you for some key business information, as well as some brief questions on why this Award is for you. You can save your progress and return any time.

1. Head over to the Awards site
2. Create an account
3. Pick a category and start your entry

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Don't forget, you can enter multiple categories. Why not explore our [14 Taste and 7 Business Award categories](#)- there might just be another perfect fit!

**ENTRIES CLOSE AT 5PM ON MONDAY 8 MAY**

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