



# APPRENTICE OF THE YEAR COLLISION REPAIR CRA Golden Hammer Award



Nominations are being sought for eligible apprentices in the collision repair industry for this prestigious award.

The presentation will take place at the CRA Annual Conference to be held in Blenheim in April 2021. The winner receives \$1,000 very generously donated by MITO together with the opportunity to apply for a MITO post trade scholarship and tools which are provided by RA Johnstone & Co Ltd.

Nominations from employers close on Friday 23 October 2020. Please post all nominations to CRA National Office, PO Box 9208, Waikato Mail Centre, Hamilton 3240, Attention Adrienne Richardson or email [adrienne@collisionrepair.co.nz](mailto:adrienne@collisionrepair.co.nz).

Apprentice Name (nominee): \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's Name (nominator): \_\_\_\_\_

Date Employed: \_\_\_\_\_

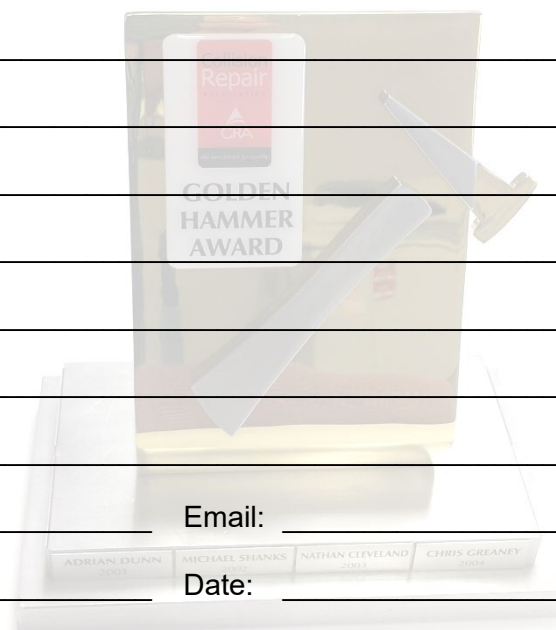
Start Date of Training: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: (0 ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



### Entry criteria are outlined below:

- The employer must be a member of the Collision Repair Association.
- The MITO Annual Training fee must be paid.
- Completed a minimum of 12 months in their MITO Training Agreement.
- MITO apprentices that complete their Level 4 qualification in 2020 are eligible to enter for this award **OR** where they are still undertaking training need to have completed **at least 75% of the credits** required to achieve their Level 4 qualification.

### All applications must include the following additional information:

- The employer is to supply a 300 word written statement with the application, outlining the reasons the nominee should be considered for this award. This is to be printed on company letterhead.
- A handwritten personal statement from the apprentice, outlining why they chose a career in the collision repair industry, their career aspirations and how, as an award winner, they would contribute to encouraging others into the industry. Any other achievements or training, either work or non-work related, should also be highlighted.
- Photographs of the collision repair shop.
- Photograph of the apprentice.