



Awards Criteria:

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Society Person of the Year	This is awarded to the individual who has excelled in their chosen field/interest and has enhanced the reputation of Aberystwyth. They may have represented their society on a regional/national level and/or have excelled within the university/union structure.
Societies Personality of the Year	Awarded to an individual who is highly valued within their society, but also shows a good sense of personal flair, humour and enthusiasm in all aspects of their society and the outward Team Aber community.
Administrative Excellence Award	Awarded to someone who has been dedicated towards the running and administration of a particular society. They are the unsung hero who sits at the desk inputting emails or collecting money.
Society of the Year	The society of the year is the most coveted and sought-after award within Team Aber. This is awarded to the most successful, committed and active society of the academic year.
Most Improved Society of the Year	The criteria for this award are improved success, spirit and organisation of a society. They should also demonstrate a dedication to carrying on this progression for future years.
Biggest Contribution Charity Society	This is awarded to a charity affiliated society whose members have freely given a significant amount of their time to their cause throughout the year // a society that has raised a significant amount for their charity or cause.

Welsh Culture Award	The society has integrated bilingualism into their activities and promotional material, alongside conserving Welsh culture/heritage and actively encouraged the involvement of Welsh speakers.
Best New Society	Awarded to a society that has started, or has been restarted, in the last academic year. They have worked hard to establish themselves and make an impact on students' lives.
Biggest Contribution Non-Charity Society RAG	This is awarded to a society whose members have freely given a significant amount of their time to a good cause throughout the year, has spent a significant amount of time helping the student or local community or raised a large amount for charity.
Academic/Course based Society of the Year	Awarded to an Academic Society who has made an outstanding contribution to their department, as well as to the Union, University and Wider Community.
Sustainability (Cultural/Social, Environmental and Economic)	This society has actively promoted sustainability within a wide range of their activities. This includes cultural/social sustainability, environmental sustainability and/or economic sustainability.
University Colours: Societies (25)	Awarded to individual students who have shown continued outstanding dedication or made an exceptional contribution to their society.
Special Mentions	This award may be given at the discretion of the panel to recognise the outstanding work of a member of the University community who has contributed to a students' experience, but does not fit into one of the other categories.