

# OFFICIAL RULES



1. Penton Media Inc. d/b/a Promo ("Sponsor") is offering the Interactive Marketing Awards contest ("Contest").  
**CONTEST VOID WHERE PROHIBITED.**
2. **ENTRY FEES:** \$200 USD per each entry if postmarked on or before February 20, 2009. No entries accepted if received after February 20, 2009. Entry fees are not required for entries submitted by residents of Arizona, Maryland, North Dakota and Vermont.
3. Entrants must be 21 years or older as of December 1, 2008. Employees of Sponsor, and Sponsor's parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, advertising and promotion agencies and the family members of such employees (defined as parents, spouse, children, siblings, grandparents) and all those with whom such employees are domiciled, are not eligible to enter. Void where prohibited, taxed or restricted by law. All international, federal, state and/or local rules and regulations apply.
4. Enter by filling out an official entry form available at [www.promomagazine.com](http://www.promomagazine.com) and providing the requested information about your interactive marketing campaign indicated on the entry form. All entry forms must be completed in ENGLISH. The entry form must be submitted along with a digital campaign write-up containing: 1) An overview of the marketing situation, 2) Campaign objectives, 3) Campaign graphics, 4) Campaign or program results. Program(s) must have ended in the 12 months prior to December 31, 2008 (start date is not a criteria). All entries must be received no later than February 20, 2009.  
  
Send your entry along with the applicable entry fee to 2009 Interactive Marketing Awards, Attn: Maureen Van Kuren, 11 River Bend Drive South, (if sending via USPS, add PO Box 4242), Stamford, CT, 06907-0242. Multiple entries are permitted. Entrants must pay separate entry fee for each entry, and must fill out an official entry form for each entry. Entry forms or requests that are printed by machine, mechanically reproduced, tampered with, illegible or incomplete are not eligible. Sponsor is not responsible for lost, late, illegible, stolen, incomplete, invalid, unintelligible, misdirected, technically corrupted or garbled entries, which will be disqualified, or for problems of any kind whether mechanical, human or electronic. Proof of submission will not be deemed to be proof of receipt by Sponsor. All Entries must include completed entry form. In the event an insufficient number of eligible entries are received, Sponsor reserves the right to cancel the Contest and shall be under no obligation to award the awards. By entering, all entrants warrant and represent that their respective Entries (including but not limited to any materials integrated into their Entries) will not infringe or violate the rights of any third parties, including but not limited to copyrights, trademarks, rights of publicity/privacy. Sponsor reserves the right to reject any entries that it deems, in its sole discretion, to be inappropriate, for any reason whatsoever.
5. Each entrant selected as a potential winner must comply with all terms and conditions set forth in these Official Rules, and winning is contingent upon fulfilling all such requirements. Winners are selected by a panel of judges recruited by Promo and are judged based on the following equally weighted criteria in each category: (i) concept, (ii) innovative use of technology, (iii) execution and (iv) results. Categories are: Viral Promotion, Mobile Marketing, Internet-based Trial Recruitment, Internet-based Loyalty Marketing, Promotional Web site, New Media, Search Engine Marketing, E-mail Brand Marketing. A Best Overall Winner will be selected among the category winners. Participants agree to be bound by these rules and the decision of the Sponsor, whose decisions are final. Winners will be notified via telephone and/or e-mail on or about April 2, 2008. Winners will appear in the May issue of Promo Magazine, at [promomagazine.com/awards/iaawards](http://promomagazine.com/awards/iaawards) and be celebrated in a live Webinar by Promo on May 4. To obtain a list of winners, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope, after May 2, 2008, to Promo, 2009 Interactive Marketing Awards, Attn: Patty Odell, 11 River Bend Drive South, (if sending via USPS, add PO Box 4242), Stamford, CT, 06907-0242.
6. A statue (estimated retail value of less than \$200.00) will be awarded to each winner. All unspecified expenses are the responsibility of winner. Award is non-transferable. No substitution/cash redemptions.
7. All entries and requests become the property of Sponsor, and will not be acknowledged or returned. Sponsor will have the right to photograph the winner. Entry constitutes permission to use the winner's name, picture, likeness and city and state of residence and entry for purposes of trade, publicity or promotion for no additional compensation except where prohibited by law. All entries must be original, may not have won previous awards or prizes and must not infringe on any third party rights. Submission of an entry constitutes entrant's consent to irrevocably assign to Sponsor any and all rights to their entry including, but not limited to, intellectual property rights. Submission of an entry grants Sponsor and their agents the right to publish, produce, use, adapt, edit and/or modify the entry in any way and in any and all media, without limitation and without compensation to the entrant.
8. The potential winner will be required to execute an Affidavit of Eligibility, a Liability Release and where lawful, a Publicity Release within fourteen (14) days of award notification. If the winner cannot be contacted within 10 calendar days of first notification attempt, if award or award notification is returned as undeliverable, if winner rejects his/her award or in the event of noncompliance with these Contest rules and requirements, such award will be forfeited and an alternate winner will be selected based on the above judging criteria.
9. By participating, entrants agree to release and hold harmless Sponsor, and its respective parent companies, subsidiaries, affiliates, advertising and promotions agencies, partners, representatives, agents, successors, assigns, employees, officers and directors, from any and all liability, for loss, harm, damage, injury, cost or expense whatsoever including without limitation, property damage, personal injury and/or death which may occur in connection with, preparation for, travel to, or participation in Contest, or possession, acceptance and/or use or misuse of award or participation in any Contest-related activity and for any claims based on publicity rights, defamation or invasion of privacy and merchandise delivery. Sponsor is not responsible if Contest cannot take place or if award cannot be awarded due to travel cancellations, delays or interruptions due to acts of God, acts of war, natural disasters, weather or acts of terrorism.
10. The Sponsor of this Contest is Penton Media Inc., d/b/a Promo Magazine, 11 River Bend Drive South, (if sending via USPS, add PO Box 4242), Stamford, CT 06907-0242.