

## FOURTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ICT4SD IN CONCURRENT WITH ICT AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCIA

5<sup>th</sup> July 2019 at The VIVANTA BY TAJ, Goa, India

The ICT Awards for Excellencia aims to recognize and promoting outstanding information and communications technology (ICT) inventions and applications, thereby encouraging innovation and excellence among Indian ICT talents and enterprises in their constant pursuit of creative and better solutions to meet business and social needs.

The ICT Awards was established in 2016 with the collaborative efforts of the industry Chamber, academia and the Government. With support from the Government and organized by Indian associations and professional bodies, the Awards aims at building a locally espoused and internationally acclaimed brand of Indian ICT awards.

The ICT Awards for Excellencia programme represents the most respected business accolade in the Indian ICT industry. This awards show honors excellence to individuals, corporate's in the Information, Communication & Technology space. India's first and the only platform recognizing excellence in business of ICT for the past many years.

To recognize and reward the extraordinary performance as well achievements by ICT Sector, ICT Awards for Excellencia 2019 is organizing by Knowledge Chamber of Commerce and Industry of India in association with Global Knowledge Research Foundation on 5th July 2019 at The VIVANTA BY TAJ, Goa, India.

### INVITED DIGNITARIES



**Mike Hinchey**

President, IFIP and Chair - IEEE  
UK and Ireland Section Ireland



**Shri Pramod Sawant**

Hon'ble Chief Minister  
Government of Goa



**Shri Rohan Khaunte**

Revenue, IT, Labour & Employment  
Minister and the VC of IPB, Govt of Goa

Organised by



Supported by



Venue



# AWARDS CATEGORIES

## ★ ICT STARTUP AWARD

This award will be awarded to one up and coming start-up ICT based company which has demonstrated growth within the organization and has created a business model we believe can be successful in the long run.

## ★ ICT PRODUCT AWARD

This award will be awarded to one innovative product released with categories from hardware & software. The Awarded product will have the potential to impact businesses in the long run and make an impact in the lives of the mass population.

## ★ ICT ENTREPRENEUR AWARD

IT Entrepreneurs of India are shaping the arena in India and beyond. Their experience, expertise and charisma have energized a whole generation of entrepreneurs. This award will recognize their ability and help them move ahead.

## ★ DIGITAL GOVERNANCE ICT AWARD

Digital Governance award is for that outstanding government organization who has been involved in promoting, using and enabling digital governance through their offices.

## ★ ICT PATHBREAKER OF THE YEAR

A person / institution / project for pathbreaking or outstanding achievement in technology, business models, applications etc., someone/something that has broken new ground, carved out a path for others to follow.

## ★ ICT INNOVATION AWARD

Awarded to the most innovative use of ICT in delivering public services. The shortlisted nominees for this category will represent those public sector projects, solutions and products using digital technology to push the boundaries of what is possible.

### Nominations should demonstrate:

- How the project/solution has introduced new or leading edge technology, created different ways of working or a shift in approach the benefits service users
- Measurable success – has the project/solution been deployed and what impact has it had on improving the organization or services

## ★ ICT DIGITAL LEADERSHIP AWARD

This award will go to a CIO, Head of IT/ICT or overall Head of IT. The winner will be an individual who has consistently demonstrated excellence in leadership, innovation and quality in the use and promotion of IT in their organization to improve delivery of public services. Nominations are welcomed from prospective nominees themselves, their staff, peers or partner organizations.

## ★ ICT RISING STAR AWARD

This new category is to recognize the outstanding efforts and achievements of the rising star of the Private or Public sector IT industry – those who represent the talent pipeline and the next generation of future leader.

## ★ ICT MOBILE CONNECT AWARD

From healthcare and social services to frontline policing and environmental services, public sector workers are constantly on the move and technology is constantly evolving to ensure that being mobile doesn't mean being disconnected. The ICT Mobile Award will recognize an organization which has embraced the potential of mobile technology to deliver more effective services.

## ★ ICT TEAM AWARD

Technology and digital services underpin the work of India's public sector bodies as never before and the vital role performed by ICT departments and project teams across the country is key. Nominations in this category will demonstrate outstanding performance by an ICT department or team, from technology support to improving operational efficiency and driving innovation and change.

## ★ ICT DIGITAL HEALTH & CARE AWARD

India has long been in the vanguard of adopting new technologies to improve health and social care provision. The Digital Health & Care Award will recognize some of the most outstanding examples of these projects.

### Nominations should demonstrate:

- How the project/solution solves a particular organizational or patient problem
- What measurable benefits have there been to the organization or the patient experience/wellbeing
- How the project/solution has introduced new or leading-edge technology, created different ways of working or a shift in approach the benefits service users

# AWARDS CATEGORIES

## ★ ICT CITIZEN CONNECT AWARD

In the face of increasing demand from the public for more accessible, 24-hour services which meet their needs and an ever-increasing constraint on budgets, the pressure has never been greater for ICT professionals to develop innovative solutions for citizen engagement. The shortlisted nominees for the ICT Citizen Connect Award showcase the most examples of projects and solutions which use ICT to engage with citizens and create citizen centered services.

### Nominations should demonstrate:

- How the project/service has improved the user experience
- Benefits to the organization in terms of obstacles/issues it helps overcome, efficiencies, etc.
- How the product/service improves the organizations general level of engagement with the citizen

## ★ ICT PROJECT DELIVERY AWARD

When a new public or Private sector technology or IT project goes wrong, everyone knows about it. This award will recognize the many examples of large and complex projects being successfully developed and delivered each year across the public sector. The ICT Project Delivery Award will go to that can demonstrate best practice in the successful delivery of an ICT project.

### Nominations should demonstrate:

- Did the project deliverables match or exceed initial objectives
- Was the project completed to original timescale and budget
- What external/internal obstacles were overcome to meet project objectives

## ★ ICT DATA CONNECT INNOVATION AWARD

The Data CONNECT Innovation award recognizes the application of data to address a problem where data or data science had not previously been used or exploited. This could be to improve a business process, apply new analyses to improve insights, or deliver a new way of delivering a service.

Whatever the application of data, applications must be able to demonstrate the impact experienced by the customer (internal or external) because of the innovation. Particular attention will be paid to submissions that have managed to effect the change using existing resources more effectively.

## ★ ICT INDUSTRY COLLABORATION AWARD

Effective collaboration between innovative private sector vendors and the public sector is key to achieving wide scale transformation public services. Developing a partnership that delivers positive outcomes for the public isn't straight forward, it's not quick and definitely not easy.

This award will recognize a private sector supplier and their client who have collaborated effectively to deliver a successful innovative digital transformation project

## ★ ICT ENABLED ACADEMIC INSTITUTION OF THE YEAR

In the face of increasing demand from the public for more accessible, 24-hour services which meet their needs and an ever-increasing constraint on budgets, the pressure has never been greater for ICT professionals to develop innovative solutions for citizen engagement. The shortlisted nominees for the ICT Citizen Connect Award showcase the most examples of projects and solutions which use ICT to engage with citizens and create citizen centered services.

## ★ ICT INDUSTRY COLLABORATION AWARD

Effective collaboration between innovative private sector vendors and the public sector is key to achieving wide scale transformation public services. Developing a partnership that delivers positive outcomes for the public isn't straight forward, it's not quick and definitely not easy.

This award will recognize a private sector supplier and their client who have collaborated effectively to deliver a successful innovative digital transformation project

## ★ SMART ICT PROJECT

Institution for outstanding performance and achievement in technology, R&D, applications etc..



## THE AWARDS PROGRAMME IS AS FOLLOWS

- 6.30 PM : Drinks Reception and Registration
- 7.00 PM : Welcome from Awards host
- 7.05 PM : Inaugural of ICT4SD and Awards Presentations
- 8.30 PM : Networking Cocktail Dinner



THE DRESS CODE IS **FORMALS**

## RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR AWARD NOMINATIONS

- All the information received will be kept confidential and shall be used only for the purpose of evaluation.
- Shortlisted entries will be asked to provide additional information, if need be.
- The Entry fee for participation is INR 20,000/- Per Category.
- If a Nominee prefers to submit a nomination for more than 1 category, Individual Nomination for should be filled for each category.
- Only Key Personnel/Authorized Signatory of the organization should fill the form and send soft copy to [info@knowledgechamber.org](mailto:info@knowledgechamber.org) (Think about nature before printing).
- Short-listed nominations will be presented to an Independent Jury for determination of winners.
- Jury's decision shall be final and binding on all participants. No feedback or correspondence will be entered into about the results, and the jury's decisions shall be final.
- If any information provided by any participant is found to be incorrect or incomplete in any manner, the same will not be considered.
- For any further information mail [info@knowledgechamber.org](mailto:info@knowledgechamber.org) or logon to [www.ict4sd.org](http://www.ict4sd.org).



### Global Knowledge Research Foundation

603, The Emporio, Opp. 4D Square Mall,  
Visat-Gandhinagar Highway, Ahmedabad-380005,  
Gujarat, INDIA.

+91 79 - 2329 1110 +91 79 - 2329 2210

info@gr.foundation www.gr.foundation



### Knowledge chamber of commerce and Industry

3rd Floor, Ratnalabh complex, Opp. Gujarat Vidhyapeeth,  
Income tax char rasta, Ashram Rd, Ahmedabad-380014,  
Gujarat, India

Ankush Bothra - KCCI Secretariat

+91 95748 54044 | Info@knowledgechamber.org