

# AWARDS INFO PACK

3 – 5 July 2020

**Held at SG:Digital Wonderland** 

**Suntec Convention & Exhibition Centre, Singapore** 

Hall 401 - 402

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### YOUTH INNOVATION AWARDS

The Youth Innovation Awards is a platform for local and regional youths to come together to showcase innovative and cutting edge tech prototypes.

The award seeks to recognize, celebrate and showcase the innovative work done by students from the Institutes of Higher Learning in Singapore and the region.

Back for its second edition, the **Youth Innovation Awards 2020** will be held at **SG:Digital Wonderland** from 3 to 5 July 2020 at the Suntec Convention & Exhibition Centre.





**23,500**Visitors at SG:Digital Wonderland



> 60

Projects Submitted for Youth Innovation Awards



6
Regional Countries
Participated



### YIA 2020 AWARD CATEGORIES



The award recognizes the application and use of technology to contribute to the greater good and tech innovations that improve the lives of others and for a better world.

This can range from technology helping to tackle environmental and social issues to fighting climate change or improving the well-being of citizens.

Prizes: 1 x Distinction 2 x Merit



#### Mobile App Innovation

The award recognizes innovative mobile application development that improves user experiences, addresses an existing problem, improves the way we communicate with one another, or simply add value to end-users in their daily lives.

1 x Distinction 2 x Merit



The award recognizes innovative use of technology or innovations that leverage on emerging technologies such as Artificial Intelligence, Augmented Reality, Virtual Reality, Internet of Things, etc. to address an existing problem, fulfil a marketplace need or simply add value to endusers in their daily lives.

1 x Distinction 2 x Merit



All shortlisted finalists will automatically compete in the People's Choice Awards at the Regional Finals. Results will be determined via social media voting

### JUDGING PROCESS

## Stage 1 Entry Submission

- To enter Stage 1, each team is to submit their project entry <u>here</u>.
   Please choose the category that you will be competing in.
- You may submit more than one project entry. Please note the system only accepts one entry per submission.
- Teams can indicate more than one category. IMDA reserves the rights to place teams into suitable award category.

### **Stage 2 Regional Prelim Qualifiers**

- Commencement of Preliminary judging.
- Shortlisted finalists will be informed of the results via an official email from IMDA.

# Stage 3 Regional Finals at SG:Digital Wonderland

- Finalists will compete at the <u>final</u> <u>judging in Singapore</u> and will be given a booth at no cost at SG:Digital Wonderland 2020 to showcase their prototypes
- 3 July 2020, Friday
- Each team will be given 5-8 minutes to pitch to a panel of judges at the Regional Finals
- 5 July 2020, Sunday
- Announcement of Results & Prize Presentation by Guest-of-Honor

Submit a concise pitch and demo video of your prototype as if you are presenting live to a panel of judges!

### TIMELINE - IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES



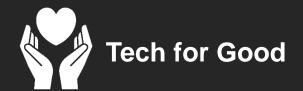




# ATTRACTIVE PRIZES TO BE WON!

Winning teams from each award category will receive up to SGD\$2,000, a trophy and a digital award badge.







Mobile App Innovation





**People's Choice Awards** 

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

The award is **open to all tertiary institutions in the region**. You are eligible to take part if you meet the following requirements at the time of entry:

- All team members must be enrolled as a student in their institution.
- You have a valid passport for international travel through January 2021 if you are selected to advance in the Regional Finals at SG:Digital Wonderland\*
- If you have taken part in Youth Innovation Awards 2019, you are eligible to enter but the project submitted must be substantially new, unique, and different from your previous project
- If your team is shortlisted and invited to participate in the Regional Finals at SG:Digital Wonderland, at least one team member and the project supervisor have to be present at Suntec Singapore Convention & Exhibition Centre from 3 to 5 July 2020.
- If your team is unable to send at least one team member and the project supervisor for any reason, we
  may disqualify your entire team and invite the next highest scoring team to compete in the Regional
  Finals

<sup>\*</sup>Applicable to teams that are not from Singapore

### **AWARD TERMS & CONDITIONS**

By entering the Youth Innovation Awards 2020, you agree to:

- Abide by the Terms & Conditions as set by the organizer.
- Allow the organizer the right to reject the participant's work submitted for the competition or disallow the continuation of the participant's participation in the competition or withdraw any prizes awarded to the participant is found to have breached any of these terms and conditions.
- Understand that the decision of the organiser or judges shall be treated as final and binding. IMDA has the rights to
  verify the identity and accuracy of the details provided by the participant.
- Be responsible for the application of visas for all participants arriving in Singapore. SG:Digital Wonderland and IMDA
  will not be responsible for any issues faced regarding visas with the Immigration & Checkpoints Authority of
  Singapore.
- Allow photographs and/or videos to be taken of the participants and/or their prototypes during the event. By
  participating in the competition, it is deemed that consent has been given. Photographs and/or videos may be used
  for but not limited to documentation, media, and marketing purposes.
- Ensure that measures will be taken to ensure the safe transportation of the participant's prototype during the event.

The organizer reserves the right to amend these terms and conditions at any time without prior notice.

## SUBMIT YOUR ENTRY NOW!

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**DEADLINE: 18 MARCH 2020** 



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# FOR MORE INFORMATION

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