



## Semi-Final Round

GIT's World Jewelry Design Awards 2018

Under the theme of "The Pearl of Wisdom - Illumination from under the Surface"

At Meeting Room, ITF - Tower Building, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Silom Road, Suriyawong, Bangrak, Bangkok

On June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 between 1:00 – 3:30 p.m.



On Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018, The Gem and Jewelry Institute of Thailand (Public Organization) or aka GIT had come to the semi-final round of GIT World's Jewelry Design Awards 2018, under the theme of "The Pearl of Wisdom - Illumination from under the Surface". The five highest scores of jewelry designs have been selected. All of which will be made into actual jewelry products and presented by leading models in the final round on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at the 62<sup>nd</sup> Bangkok Gems & Jewelry Fair, Challenger Hall, IMPACT Muang Thong Thani, Bangkok, Thailand.



**Mrs. Duangkamol Jiambutr**, director of The Gem and Jewelry Institute of Thailand said "This year GIT organized the 12<sup>th</sup> World's Jewelry Design Awards with the theme The Pearl of Wisdom – Illumination From Under the Surface. This theme was chosen to support and promote the awareness of pearls extensively. Contestants must use pearls or components of the pearls to apply and design an outstanding final masterpiece. The 5 finalist designs will be produced into actual jewelry pieces with the support of GIT."



This year, there are many outstanding designs entering into this competition totaling of 333 pieces, the domestically is 157 pieces, with 176 pieces came from 16 countries who participated in this contest, namely; the People's Republic of China, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Japan, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Malaysia, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Vietnam, Sri Lanka, Ukraine, Singapore, India, Iran, Turkey and United Arab Emirates. The top winner will be bestowed with Her Royal Highness Princess Chulabhorn Mahidol's trophy, along with three thousand U.S. dollar

The selection is judged upon the following criteria; beauty, attractiveness, outstanding, creativity, and the association of the theme. The distinguish judges comprised of; **Mr. Suriyon Srirathaikul**, Managing Director of Beauty Gems Factory Company Limited, **Dr. Pirawat Suraseth**, Managing Director Lee Seng Jewelry (L.S. Jewelry Group), **Mr. Chanchai Lertkulthanon**, Vice President, Group Manufacturing New Product Introduction PANDORA PRODUCTION CO., LTD., **Mr. Saran Somrak**, Marketing executive committee of Phuket Pearl Group, Thailand and **Mr. Kim Tae-Hyung**, Director of Jewelry Center, Jewelry Small Traders and Enrerpriisers Specializaion Support Center, South Korea.

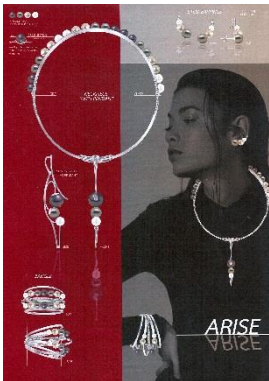


In this semi-final round, the judges would select 20 design work pieces, then reselect again based on the ranking the scores given by each judge. The five highest score designs will pass through to the final round, which will be manufactured into the actual jewelry pieces. The finished products will be presented by leading models and judged at the final round on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at the 62<sup>nd</sup> Bangkok Gems & Jewelry Fair. The exhibition of these nominated jewelry design pieces from the 20 finalist applicants will also be on displayed during 7<sup>st</sup> – 11<sup>st</sup> September 2018 at Challenger Hall, IMPACT Muang Thong Thani, Bangkok, Thailand.



You can be a part of the contest by casting vote for your favorite design on Popular Design Award 2018 prize via <http://www.git.or.th> from 18<sup>th</sup> June until 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018. The lucky person who selects the correct winner will have a chance to win 1 gram gold bar, 5 awards from Alpha Precious Metal Co.,Ltd and a pendant form PANDORA PRODUCTION CO., LTD.

The finalists of GIT world's jewelry Design Awards 2018 which will be manufactured into the actual jewelry pieces.



No.	Name of the design	Name-Surname	Country
1	Arise	Ms. Supatchana Limwongse	Thailand
2	Atom	Mr. Kitisak Maicharoen	Thailand
3	Poseidon	Mr. Jirawat Somsnor	Thailand
4	Sparkle Light of Undersea	Mr. Sippakorn Oudkom	Thailand
5	The Blooming of wisdom	Mr. Indika Wijayarathna	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

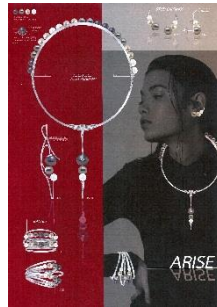
**Remarks**

1. All the designs are in no particular order.
2. The owners of the designs which are selected to be produced as real jewelry products must be able to attend the final round of the contest on Friday, 7th September 2018 at the 62nd Bangkok Gems & Jewelry Fair, Challenger Hall, IMPACT Muang Thong Thani, Bangkok, Thailand. Otherwise they will be withdrawn from the contest.





The jewelry designs of GIT world's jewelry Design Awards 2018 under the theme of  
“The Pearl of Wisdom - Illumination from under the Surface”.  
The 20 designs get a chance to win Popular Design Award 2018,  
cash prize of 500 USD with the trophy.



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1	Poseidon	Mr. Jirawat Somsnor	Thailand
2	The Blooming of wisdom	Mr. Indika Wijayarathna	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
3	Arise	Ms. Supatchana Limwongse	Thailand
4	Atom	Mr. Kitisak Maicharoen	Thailand
5	Sparkle Light of Undersea	Mr. Sippakorn Oudkom	Thailand



No.	Name of the design	Name-Surname	Country
6	The secret of ocean	Ms. Sirirak Kajorndechpisarn	Thailand
7	The Elegance of Thai Identity	Mr. Suppachai Bua-ngam	Thailand
8	Magic of pearl	Mr. Noppadol Maholarn	Thailand
9	Beauty of Korea	Mr. Bae Yunjeong	Republic of Korea
10	With In-lk mind	Ms. In Ik-song	Republic of Korea
11	sent of sea	Mr Hyunsoo-chi	Republic of Korea
12	"Big Waves"	Ms. Parnrawee Srisawatkul	Thailand
13	Dip-net	Mr. Chathree Keereedech	Thailand
14	Queen of the sea	Mr. Noppadol Maholarn	Thailand
15	Galaxy	Mr. Chatchai Aerbarb	Thailand
16	MultiPearl	Mrs. Wichuda Taerapornpanich	Thailand
17	Tear of Goddess	Mr. Theerawut Arpamo	Thailand
18	Bloom love	Ms. Lee Yeonsoo	Republic of Korea
19	5:59 AM	Mr. Thanet Bunprasarn	Thailand
20	Phuketian	Ms. Tippawan Singharak	Thailand

Remarks

1. All the designs are in no particular order.
2. The institute will present certificates to all semi-finalists.
3. The designs which are not selected can be returned to the contestants at Training Center, 3rd Floor, 140, ITF Building, Silom Road, Suriwong, Bangrak, Bangkok 10500 from Monday to Friday during 9.30 – 16.30 hours before December 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018 (except official holidays and public holidays). Otherwise, the institute reserves the right not to return all works.

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