



FHKI X OCBC Hong Kong Innopreneur Awards 2025

香港工業總會 X 華僑銀行香港創新企業家獎 2025

Award Categories



香港創新企業家獎
HONG KONG
INNOPRENEUR
AWARDS



Best Innopreneur Award



Excellence in Research Application Award



GBA+ Award



New Industrialisation Award



OCBC APAC Award



OCBC Outstanding ESG Award

Eligibility



Best Innopreneur Award



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OCBC Outstanding ESG Award

The nominee must be:

- An individual with Hong Kong permanent residency nominated by an individual or organisation;
- Working in Hong Kong-registered company principally engaging in any startup business or industry which is related to innovation, such as technology, emerging industry or invented new products, services and business model;
- Business focus and operations in Hong Kong and / or GBA and / or APAC region;
- A company founder/co-founder, owner/co-owner who undertakes an active management position, owns the intellectual property rights and/or legitimate rights over the company's product and/or service.

Judging Criteria



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- Successful startup of a business from vision to reality;
- Recognised as an icon by industry & community;
- The business is operated by the founder;
- Companies registered in Hong Kong in or after 2020, which have been established for five years or less* with solid business operations.

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Best Innopreneur Award

WEIGHT	JUDGING CRITERIA
25%	Technology Innovation Creativity Breakthrough
25%	Growth Viability Scalability
20%	Impact on society
15%	Track record & story
15%	Regional (GBA) & International Growth Potential

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- Concept must originate from academic institutional research;
- Must be able to prove academic institution involvement;
- Must be able to demonstrate translation of research into application(s);
- Companies registered in Hong Kong in or after 2020, which have been established for five years or less* with solid business operations.

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Excellence in Research Application Award

WEIGHT	JUDGING CRITERIA
25%	Technology Innovation Creativity Breakthrough
25%	Commercial Performance Viability Scalability
20%	Positive Social Impact
15%	Track record & story
15%	Regional (GBA) & International Growth Potential

Judging Criteria



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AWARDS

- Demonstrates significant business presence in GBA or International markets;
- Companies registered in Hong Kong in or after 2018, which have been established for seven years or less* with solid business operations.

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GBA+ Award

WEIGHT	JUDGING CRITERIA
25%	Technology Innovation Creativity Breakthrough
25%	Commercial Performance Viability Scalability
20%	Positive Social Impact
15%	Track record & story
15%	Regional (GBA) & International Growth Potential

Judging Criteria



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INNOPRENEUR
AWARDS

- Demonstrates creativity, innovation, smartification & digitisation, high technology content, and FutureSkills.
- Business must be socially responsible & sustainable;
- Companies registered in Hong Kong in or after 2018, which have been established for seven years or less* with solid business operations.

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New Industrialisation Award

WEIGHT	JUDGING CRITERIA
25%	Technology Innovation Creativity Breakthrough
25%	Commercial Performance Viability Scalability
20%	Positive Social Impact
15%	Track record & story
15%	Regional (GBA) & International Growth Potential

Judging Criteria

- Demonstrates significant business presence in APAC or International markets;
- Companies registered in Hong Kong in or after 2018, which have been established for seven years or less* with solid business operations.

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OCBC APAC Award

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25%	Technology Innovation Creativity Breakthrough
25%	Commercial Performance Viability Scalability
20%	Positive Social Impact
15%	Track record & story
15%	Regional (GBA) & International Growth Potential

Judging Criteria



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- Business must be socially responsible & sustainable;
- Must provide outstanding environmental, social and governance (ESG) impact to society;
- Companies registered in Hong Kong in or after 2018, which have been established for seven years or less* with solid business operations.

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OCBC Outstanding ESG Award

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25%	Technology Innovation Creativity Breakthrough
25%	Commercial Performance Viability Scalability
20%	Positive Social Impact
15%	Track record & story
15%	Regional (GBA) & International Growth Potential