

TECH FEST HONG KONG AWARDS 2026

GENERAL GUIDELINES

- Tech Fest Hong Kong Awards are open to companies, individuals and organisations pushing technological boundaries and driving innovation across various projects and programmes.
- The awards are for innovative projects / products that applied technology and have significantly enhanced the company's business or performance.
- All entries, whether by self-recommendation or nomination, must be submitted with the application form.
- Coverage period for the entry, regardless the completion date, shall fall within the period between 1 January 2025 to 31 December 2025 unless specified in the judging criteria and the entry shall not be submitted in the following years.
- References may be incorporated in the form to support any information expressly stated therein.
- Nominations will be deliberated by a judging committee based on write-ups and supporting documents received.
- Finalist with the highest score of every Award wins the Awards. There will only be one winning individual / product / company per category.
- The Organisers have the right to amend the competition rules, make other arrangements, and not to present some of the awards without giving prior notice to participants.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: How do I know if I am eligible to make a submission?

A: To determine your eligibility to make a submission, please review the judging criteria outlined for each category. We offer a variety of award categories to choose from. We strongly encourage companies, individuals, and organisations to submit their entries for consideration. Your eligibility will depend on how well your submission aligns with the specific requirements outlined for each category.

Q: Is self-nomination permitted?

A: Yes, we accept self-nomination submissions. We also accept third party submissions, should you wish to nominate an external party or vice versa.

Q: Is there a fee required to make a submission in the Tech Fest Hong Kong Award 2026?

A: **No, there is no fee payment** required for you and/or your company to make a submission.

Q: When will the finalists and winners be announced?

A: The shortlist of finalists will be released around March 2026. The winners will be exclusively announced at Tech Fest Hong Kong 2026 Awards Ceremony.

Q: What is the nomination process and assessment?

A: Organisers will compile all submission entries, and extensively review each submission to ensure the criteria are met in order to advance to the shortlist of finalists. The nomination process is fair, impartial and not subject to external influences

Q: How are the winners chosen?

A: An independent judging panel will review and score for the Awards. The score for each Award will be tabulated, and the finalist with the highest score will be announced as the winner.

Q: What are the award categories that I can take part in?

A: Any company or individual may take part in multiple Awards. Organizers reserve the right to move entries from one award to another if appropriate. In case of any dispute, Organiser's interpretation and decision shall be final.

Q: Who will be on the judging panel for the Tech Fest Hong Kong Awards 2026?

A: There will be an independent judging panel consist of at least 10 senior and expert tech industry leaders to review the submission materials. The judging panel will be selected on the basis of their expertise and knowledge, and will be comprised from various sectors to correspond to the diverse list of awards.

Q: What will my contact information be used for?

A: All contact information provided will not be disclosed to external parties; and will only be seen by the team and the judging panel. Organiser will keep the information on record internally for the purpose of contacting you in case of additional information/clarification is required.

Q: Where will my name / company name be published if we are a finalist or winner?

A: As a finalist and / or winner, your name or your company name will be published in Tech Fest Hong Kong Awards materials and event booklet. Please contact us for more information.

Q: Is my submission confidential?

A: Any information submitted will only be reviewed by the Organisers and independent judging panel, whose names will be published. The material submitted will only be disclosed to the above. If there is any information that is strictly confidential, please mark clearly on the submission form. Though we do our best to maintain the security of the information you provide, any information transmitted is done at your own risk and Organiser is not responsible for any unauthorized transmission of information.

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I would like to sponsor the Tech Fest Hong Kong Awards 2026.

Please contact c.wong@revivetech.asia for further details regarding sponsorship.

Who should attend the Awards Ceremony? Can I attend?

We welcome all finalists and non-finalists to join the Awards Ceremony, please contact <u>j.luk@revivetech.asia</u> for more details. Ticket price will be announced later.

I would like to order a winner's trophy and / or certificate (only available for finalists and winners).

Please contact awards@revivetech.asia for more details.

Do we have to attend the Awards Ceremony to win?

Attendance is not a must to win. Attendance is however highly recommended for the benefit of finalist who have worked particularly hard to gain recognition and the prestigious award that they will be honored with during the ceremony. At the Awards Ceremony, our photography and videography team will capture all exclusive moments to be shared with the attendees after the event.