Awards Categories

**TechPro Award**

Categories:
1. IT Professional of the year
2. Women in Tech Africa: “Rising Star 2019” (Young IT Professional of the Year) (Rodrigues ONLY)

**Tech Focus Awards**

Category:
1. Security Innovation of the Year

**Tech Project Awards**

Category:
1. Best Sustainable IT Innovation Winner

Judging Criteria

**TechPro Awards**

*Presented to IT professionals for demonstrating excellence in their field.*

We are looking to recognize Women and Girls ONLY among the Mauritian IT community who have demonstrated excellence in their profession during the past 36 months. The awards seek to reward individuals at all levels of an organization who have contributed to the development and deployment of innovative IT systems that improve business operations or enhance public services.

**Categories:**

**IT Professional of the Year**

Awarded to a Woman / Girl ONLY providing IT service, support or training to users of IT systems, who has demonstrated outstanding achievement and commitment, meeting key objectives for quality, customer satisfaction and delivery of agreed service levels. This category covers areas such as training, help desk, information content development or project support. The award is open to all staff - not just senior management - to ensure the full range of IT skills is recognized.

**Young IT Professional of the Year (Rodrigues ONLY)**

Awarded to an IT professional (Woman / Girl ONLY) under the age of 30, or who turns 30 in 2019, in any discipline, who has demonstrated outstanding commitment and achievement in their work, and through their quality and professionalism stands out in their organization as a high performer in the application and management of IT.
Tech Focus Awards

Category:

Security Innovation of the Year

Awarded to an innovative new product or service that has delivered measurable benefit for customers in areas such as IT security, data protection, information management, risk management, business continuity, or disaster recovery. (must include at least one female in the group team)

A product or innovation is classified as an application, service, device, or technology which is widely available; normally (but not necessarily) for a monthly or one-off charge. Bespoke projects can be entered as long as they use a technology which can be easily extended to other customers. Free Internet consumer services and mobile apps are eligible.

We are looking to recognize achievement in the development, sales and implementation of new technologies released during the past 12 months that have a substantial base in Mauritius or where the product or service is marketed within Mauritius.

Tech Project Awards

The Sustainable IT Innovation Award offers prestige and affirmation of your project ‘s commitment to a sustainable built environment. Unlike other awards, merit will be based upon sustainable strategies that demonstrate exemplary performance by going above and beyond credit achievement.

Category:

Best Sustainable IT Innovation Winner

Presented to organizations and/or project teams which have achieved exceptional results through an outstanding project implementation and in so doing demonstrated high levels of sustainability. (must include at least one female in the group team)
Entry Guide

1. Quick step-by-step process to entering:
In order to make entering as easy as possible we have provided a step-by-step guide to entering as well as some top tips from one of our moderators.

- Read this page for advice and guidance on writing a good entry
- Add the entry deadline to your outlook calendar.
- All documents must be sent in PDF format.
- Submit your entry by Friday 30 August 2019

2. Each entry requires:
Project overview (80 words), which can be used for PR purposes
Entrants are urged to ensure that their submissions follow the above format so that the judges are able to give the entry their fullest consideration. Within the bounds of commercial confidence, entrants should seek to provide quantitative evidence (including limited amounts of ancillary materials) wherever appropriate to support the submission.

3. Conditions:
a. The Awards are open to organisations that have a substantial base in Mauritius, or where the product or service is marketed within Mauritius. For individual entries, people should work for a substantial portion of their time in Mauritius having also a valid working permit approved by the Government of Mauritius.
b. You may enter only one category.
c. All materials submitted will remain confidential.
d. The 80 words overview from winners and finalists, may be published in connection with the Awards.
e. The judges reserve the right to disqualify any entry not accompanied by the appropriate supporting documentation.
f. Entries received after the final closing date (30 August 2019) will not be accepted.
g. Finalists will be notified during the Last week of September 2019.
h. All entries must be sent to sameera@safeshatraining.com