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Sustainable Development Goals International Innovation Awards and Expo



Practical Solutions to Accelerate SDGs Progress

As the world nears the halfway point of the 2030 Agenda and continues to rebuild in the aftermath of the COVID-19 pandemic. Practical solutions that can accelerate progress on the SDGs will be desperately needed in this context. The focus will be on accelerating transformation through important entry points and enabling science to support this acceleration.

MTE 2023: SDG International Innovation Awards (SDGIIA) is the first in the region focused on recognizing innovations, initiatives, programmes and ideas which contribute to sustainability, eradicating poverty, improving well-being, protecting our planet, and building peace and prosperity.

The awards return on the 18–20 October 2023 and will be held virtually. In 2022, the awards received 217 innovation entries from Hong Kong, Philippines, Taiwan, Thailand, China, UK, US, Yemen, Arab Saudi, Indonesia, Iran, and Malaysia; with 186 entries shortlisted. 80 Gold, 58 Silver and 16 Bronze medals were awarded to participants who competed in 5 main categories, embracing all 17 SDGs. The event garnered 3011 trade visitors from 22 countries over the 5-day period.

MTE 2022 Virtual In Numbers



Adopting evidence-based actions that can move progress forward at the global and local levels

A new report from the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, United States, identifies possible action steps that governments, nongovernmental and philanthropic organizations, universities, and the private sector can take to operationalize the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The priority research areas and action steps include:

All levels of education are uniquely positioned to operationalize sustainable development across society. Based on an institutional mission, universities could assist students and staff in evaluating needs and prioritising among SDGs.

Localization of the SDGs and indigenous knowledge networks

Federal and local governments could collaborate to promote resilient and sustainable supply chains in the short and long term.

Urbanization

The removal of organic and inorganic carbon dioxide will help to reduce global warming. Massive scale-up, financial investment, and research into ocean and nature-based CDR are all required. The transition to zero-carbon energy sources should also be accelerated.

Science, technology, and innovation for the SDGs

Governments and nongovernmental organisations could form a new global social pact to promote a scientific system that aids in the advancement of peace. The call to strengthen SDG data hubs, partnerships, and data for violence monitoring and enforcement.

Financing to achieve the SDGs

Education and capacity building

While the SDGs reflect global goals, they must be grounded in local support and implementation. Knowledge networks could teach urban and community leaders, practitioners, and philanthropic organisations.

Food systems

To gain a better understanding of the types of data required from cities to track SDG transitions in terms of environmental, social, and economic considerations.

Decarbonization

Studies could look at the current state of achieving the SDGs and how STI can help in the context of the economic crisis, the COVID-19 pandemic, and conflicts such as the war in Ukraine.

Science and peace

Place-based initiatives may aid in attracting private investment and obtaining financing. Given the growing demand for positive environmental, social, and governance investments, public, private, and other organisations may develop more blended finance options.



Get recognized by MTE and industry peers

For more than 20 years, MTE has honored those at the forefront of scientific research and innovation with its Innovation Awards. MTE 2023: SDG International Innovation Awards recognises the endeavors and triumphs of innovators, scientists, start-ups, and team members who contribute to innovative healthcare solutions and practices that improves clinical, administrative, financial, or organizational performance.



What to Expect in this October Event:



Entries are open to:

Innovators, Innovative businesses, agencies and organisations who have innovations, programmes, initiatives or ideas which contribute to the SDG, and create a positive impact on the environment, well-being, peace and prosperity.



Categories

Innovations, Technologies, Solutions, Systems, Programmes, Initiatives or Ideas which contribute to any one or more of the following UN SDGs :

1 | Health & Well Being



- Affordable housing
- Affordable, Sustainable & accessible public transport
- Quality healthcare
- Improving emergency services
- Crime prevention
- Road safety
- Creating job and business opportunities
- Building resilient societies and economies
- Creating green public spaces
- Improving urban planning & management in inclusive ways
- Tackling malnutrition especially in children
- Food security, food safety, future food, food distribution

2 | Inclusivity



- Inclusive development initiatives
- Support systems to communities
- Access to rural infrastructure and services
- Empowering women
- Ending discrimination
- Empower low-income earners
- Improving regulations
- Monitoring financial markets & institutions
- Encourage assistance and direct FDI to regions in need
- Facilitate safe migration and people mobility
- Support for vulnerable communities
- Ending child abuse, child prostitution

3 | Human Capital



- Inclusive and quality education for all
- Free primary and secondary education
- Equal access to affordable vocational training
- Access to online education
- Promote productivity
- Drive technological innovation
- Encourage entrepreneurship
- Job creation
- Eradicate forced labour
- Provide decent work for men and women
- Globalization of education
- Promoting creativity and innovative minds

4 Environment & Natural Resources



- Investment in water infrastructure
- Provide sanitation facilities and promote hygiene
- Protection of water related ecosystem
- Preservation of Environment
- Restore and protect water resources
- Provide safe and affordable drinking water
- Sustainable water management
- Climate change mitigation and adaptation
- Integrated flood management
- Reduce global warming emissions
- Investment in low carbon technology
- Supporting vulnerable regions
- Sustainable natural resources management
- Protection of marine and coastal ecosystems
- Enhance ocean conservation
- Tackling ocean plastic waste
- Sustainable use of ocean-based resources
- Protection of natural habitats and biodiversity
- Protection of forest and address desertification
- Protection of animal and plant species
- Action on illegal trading and trafficking of wildlife
- Exploring new energy sources

5 | Economic Growth



- Technologies and solutions for economic and environment challenges
- Investment in infrastructure and innovation
- Promotion of sustainable industries
- Investing in scientific research and innovation
- Reduction of ecological footprint
- Disposal of toxic waste and pollutants
- Shared natural resources management
- Waste reduction and management, recycling
- Sustainable consumption
- Food security
- Reduction of crime and violence
- Promote rule of law and human rights
- Participation in international institutions of global governance
- Develop global partnerships and co-operation
- Promote international trade
- Assist developing countries

This list serves as a guide and is non-exhaustive. If you are unsure of which category best suit your innovation, do contact the Secretariat for assistance.

The 3rd SDG International Innovation Awards is stringently managed by an awards Committee, and evaluated by industry professionals and academicians.

Chair of the Awards Committee

PROF. DATUK TS. DR. HAJAH ROZIAH MOHD JANOR

Vice-Chancellor,
Universiti Teknologi MARA



Chief Juror

PROFESSOR DR. WONG TIN WUI








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Timeline



Evaluation

Impact	Originality	Approach	Status	Scalability/Replicability	Functionality	Presentation
 <p>What kind of tangible impact will/has this initiative brought? What are the direct benefits and to whom? We will consider the number of people it has/will be impacted, policies/legislation changed, etc.</p>	 <p>Is this innovation or idea original? What is the level of inventiveness?</p>	 <p>How is this initiative new or transformative in comparison to what has been done before? Is it a breakthrough idea or process, or a whole new way to address an issue? Is it inclusive?</p>	 <p>Status of finished article & readiness for market</p>	 <p>Does this innovation/initiative have the potential to scale up or be replicated to create a greater impact? Is there any evidence that this has already been effected?</p>	 <p>Usefulness and effectiveness in meeting SDGs</p>	 <p>Efforts made to ensure presentation is informative and attractive. Knowledge on the innovation/idea/initiative, Scientific thought and engineering goals.</p>

How To Participate

1 Contact the Organisers to let us know the number of entries that you would like to submit. Confirm your participation with payment. Your one-off participation fee already comes with awards submission, virtual booth and/or virtual storefronts.

2 After payment, submit your entries via our online submission system. You can find the links to each Award below.

3 Submit your entries before 14 September 2023.

4 Confirmed participants will receive a video on what jurors are looking for to guide them towards making a comprehensive submission.

5 Evaluation by jurors will be from 23 - 26 September 2023. Jurors will contact participants for interviews only if they require more information. Participants should make a comprehensive submission of their innovations with a clear explanation and demonstration of their innovations.

6 MTE 2023: Sustainable Development Goals International Innovation Awards results will be announced on 20 October 2023.

7 MTE 2023: Sustainable Development Goals International Innovation Awards will be held from 18 - 20 October 2023 virtually. The platform will remain online for an extended period of time for visitors.

Awards Online Entry Submission, [click here](#)

Packages for Organisations or Individual who are participating in the Innovation Awards

● A : Corporate Booth Package

Award Entry Fee comes complete with:

- 1 Virtual Booth for your Organisation. You do not need to buy booths separately.
- 1 Virtual Storefront Showcase for every innovation that you submit

Applicable for: Universities, Research Institutions, Government Agencies, National Groups, Inventors' Associations, Municipal Councils, Private Organisations.

Package Code	Corporate A1	Corporate A2	Corporate A3	Corporate A4	Corporate A5	Corporate A6
No. of Award Entries	1-2 Award Entries	3-5 Award Entries	6-10 Award Entries	11-20 Award Entries	21-30 Award Entries	31 and above Award Entries
Price Per Entry (RM)	2,900.00 this price includes virtual booth	2,300.00 this price includes virtual booth	2,000.00 this price includes virtual booth	1,900.00 this price includes virtual booth	1,800.00 this price includes virtual booth	1,700.00 this price includes virtual booth
Price Per Entry (USD)	900.00 this price includes virtual booth	700.00 this price includes virtual booth	600.00 this price includes virtual booth	560.00 this price includes virtual booth	530.00 this price includes virtual booth	500.00 this price includes virtual booth
Package Includes:	1. Award Entry Fee comes c/w 1 Virtual Booth. You do not need to buy booths separately. Your booth entitlement is as below					
	1 Standard Virtual Booth worth RM3,900.00	1 Standard Virtual Booth worth RM3,900.00	1 Standard Virtual Booth worth RM3,900.00	1 Business Virtual Booth worth RM4,400.00	1 Platinum Virtual Booth worth RM5,400.00	1 Platinum Virtual Booth worth RM5,400.00
	Features in your Virtual Booth					
	2 Images 1 Video Phone Call	2 Images 1 Video Phone Call	2 Images 1 Video Phone Call	10 Images 10 Videos Phone Call	25 Images 25 Videos Phone Call	25 Images 25 Videos Phone Call
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organisation Name • Organisation Logo • Company/Product Images 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Corporate Video • Corporate Brochures download • Write-up of Organisation 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phone Call • Whatsapp and Email Messaging 	
	2. Award Entry Fee also come c/w 1 Virtual Storefront Showcase for EVERY innovation. This Virtual Storefront Showcase is worth RM1,000 each. Features in Your Innovation Storefront are below:					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation Title and Category • Video of Innovation 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Photos • Description of innovation 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phone Call • Whatsapp and Email Messaging 		

● B : Individual Package

Package Code	INDIVIDUAL B-1 Award Entry	INDIVIDUAL B-2 2 or more Award Entries
Price Per Entry (RM)	1,600 Award Entry fee comes c/w 1 virtual storefront showcase (worth RM 1,000.00)	1,400.00 Award Entry fee comes c/w 1 virtual booth (worth RM 3,700.00)
Price Per Entry (USD)	500.00 Award Entry fee comes c/w 1 virtual storefront showcase (worth USD250.00)	430.00 Award Entry fee comes c/w 1 virtual booth (worth USD 925.00)
Package Includes:	No Virtual Booth	1 Standard Virtual Booth value at RM3,700.00 c/w <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovator's Name • Innovation Title • 1 Corporate Video • Corporate Brochures download • 2 Images • Write-up of Organisation • Phone Call • Whatsapp and email messaging
	Virtual Storefront Showcase features:	Award Entry Fee also come c/w 1 Virtual Storefront Showcase for EVERY innovation (worth RM 1,000 per Storefront). Features include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation title and category • Description of innovation • Phone Call • 1 Video • Whatsapp and email messaging • 2 Images
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation title and category • 1 Video • 2 Images • Description of innovation • Whatsapp and email messaging 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation title and category • Description of innovation • Phone Call
Features in your Virtual Booths	None	2 Images 1 Video Phone Call

Award Entry Fee comes complete with Virtual Booth and/or Virtual Storefront Showcase. You do not need to buy these separately. Applicable for Individuals, Community Colleges, Polytechnics

* The above fees is subjected to 6% service tax.

C : Youth Package

Package Code	YOUTH-C1	YOUTH -C2
No. of Award Entries	1 Award Entry	2 or more Award Entries
Price Per Entry (RM)	RM 1,000.00	RM 800.00 <i>this price includes virtual booth</i>
Price Per Entry (USD)	USD 330.00	USD 265.00 <i>this price includes virtual booth</i>
Package Includes:	No Virtual Booth	1 Standard Virtual Booth value at RM3,700.00 c/w <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organisation Name • Organisation Logo • 1 Corporate Video • Corporate Brochures download • 2 Images • Write-up of Organisation • Live chat with visitors • Whatsapp and email messaging
	1 Virtual Storefront Showcase value at RM1,000.00 c/w <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation title and category • 1 Video • 2 Images • Description of innovation • Live chat with visitors • Whatsapp and email messaging 	1 Virtual Storefront Showcase for every innovation value at RM1,000 per Storefront c/w <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation title and category • Video of innovation • Photos • Description of innovation • Live chat with visitors • Whatsapp and email messaging
Features in your Virtual Booths	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Images • 1 Video • 1 Account for live chat

Award Entry Fee comes complete with Virtual Booth and/or Virtual Storefront Showcase. You do not need to buy these separately.
 Applicable for Individuals, Community Colleges, Polytechnics

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Virtual Booth Design

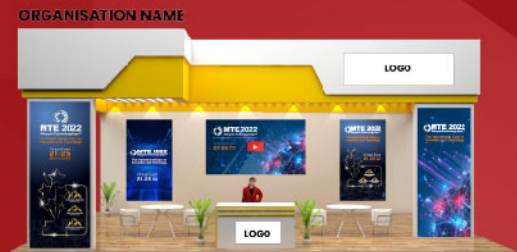
Standard booth

1



Business booth

2



Platinum booth

3



Innovation Marketplace

For over 2 decades now, MTE has been supported by Malaysia's various Ministries including Ministry of Health and Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation. This event will bring forth and showcase outstanding innovation that is driving improvements and transforming the healthcare industry.

This platform encourages the development of practical, replicable solutions to global challenges. Put a spotlight on your cutting-edge ideas, outstanding innovations, services, and initiatives, and build a dynamic and innovative ecosystem to meet SDG targets together.



D : Booth Packages

Package Code	D1	D2	D3
Price (RM)	3,600.00	4,200.00	5,200.00
Price (USD)	1,200.00	1,500.00	1,800.00
Virtual Booth Type	Standard	Business	Platinum
Booth Entitlements (Primarily for Corporate Information)			
Company Name	1	1	1
Company Logo	1	1	1
Corporate Video	1	1	1
Live video chats	1	2	5
Whatsapp function	Yes	Yes	Yes
Email	Yes	Yes	Yes
No. of Product Storefronts within booth to showcase products	1	10	20
Within Each Booth, Each Product is Featured on a dedicated Pop-up Page. This is called the Storefront Showcase.			
Entitlements of Storefront Showcase			
No. of Storefront Showcases	1	10	25
Product Video Uploads	1	10	25
Product Images/Photo Uploads	2	10	25
Description of Product	Yes	Yes	Yes
Live Chat Accounts for Product Enquiry	1	2	5
Whatsapp and Email	Yes	Yes	Yes

* The above fees is subjected to 6% service tax



Entry Regulations and Guidelines

1. Entries must be submitted to the online awards submission system by **25 September 2023** - 23:59 (GMT+8). There will be no extensions granted under any circumstances.
2. There are 5 Award Categories. Entries must be submitted into the category best described and most relevant to your innovation. If an incorrect category is selected, the Awards Committee reserves the right to disqualify the entry.
3. As a guide, Innovation(s) entered for competition must be an innovation /idea /initiative /programme that is/are directly contribute to sustainability, eradicating poverty, improving well-being, protecting our planet, and building peace and prosperity. We understand that certain innovations often serve and impact more than one SDG and participants should choose the category that will benefit the most or most positively impacted by their innovation.
We can help you to select the most relevant category for your entry/entries. Feel free to reach us at:
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Whatsapp : +6012.2315583 / +6012.3217345
4. Entry fees must be made in full upon submission of entries using online banking transfer or via local cheque. Payment is non-refundable.
5. Awards entry submissions, interviews and communications between participants and jurors (if any) will be in English.
6. The Organiser restricts content which involves nudity, all forms of violence and exploitation, cruelty of animals etc. This restriction is due to the diversity in age and cultural backgrounds of our global audience. All content must be appropriate for a general audience. Any inappropriate content submitted by participants will be duly removed without notice to the participant.
7. The submitted content can be expressed in words, image, sound or a combination of any, to enable efficient delivery of the critical messages to the judges. Each submission must include items (a) to (d) as explained below:
 - a) Synopsis of work/innovation (200 words – MS word document)
 - b) Minimum one video (HD 1080p, max 5 mins). A YouTube link is recommended.
 - c) Photo (minimum 1 – jpg format, max 2mb)
 - d) Detailed written description of the innovation (PDF – about 500 words)
8. The online awards submission system allows participants to submit additional supporting documents such as powerpoint presentations and other documents.
9. The Organisers reserves the right to the use of photos, videos, synopsis, and write-ups which participants have provided in the online awards submission system for the purpose of the promotion of MTE 2023: SDG International Innovation Awards (SDGIIA) and publicity of your innovation and participation.
10. The same entry may be submitted into multiple product categories. If you wish to enter your innovation in more than one category, you will need to repeat the online submission process for every category that you choose. For example, if you are submitting one innovation for 3 different categories, you will be required to make 3 online submissions. An entry fee is applicable for each submission.
11. Entries must meet ALL the following requirements BEFORE they are qualified for judging:
 - a) All required sections and fields of the online entry application form are completed.
 - b) All requirements of above item 7 are fulfilled.
 - c) Supported by full payment. Full payment must be made by **25 September 2023**.
 - d) Incomplete and unpaid entries will be disqualified. The participant is solely responsible for ensuring that their submission is complete.
12. The jury will evaluate entries submitted in the online submission system. Jurors may request for more information at any time to support validation which might include online interviews, emails or telephone calls.
13. The jury's decisions are final and no appeal will be entertained.
14. Results will be announced on **20 October 2023** on MTE 2023: SDG International Innovation Awards (SDGIIA) virtual platform.
15. MTE 2023: SDG International Innovation Awards & Expo (SDGIIA) will take place virtually over 3 days. During this period, visitors will contact participants through our virtual platform via messaging app and email. After the event ends, all innovations will continue to be exhibited virtually for 2 weeks.
16. Medals and certificates will be shipped to all winners.
17. By participating in this Awards, each participant / exhibitor undertakes to guarantee that all information, documentation and media content submitted are original, accurate, and there is no violation or infringement of the intellectual property and copyright law. Participant(s) is/are solely responsible and liable for any violation or infringement of intellectual property rights or copyright laws. PROTEMP Exhibitions and Conferences Sdn. Bhd. and all stakeholders for this event assumes no liability for any form of IP or copyright infringement by participants.

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