

Rules of World IoT Awards

I. Solicitation period:

From now to midnight (24:00 BJT) on September 20, 2020. Registration will not be accepted after the deadline.

II. Participants:

1. IoT scientific research institutions from various countries and regions;
2. IoT enterprises (previous top 500 of the "World IoT Ranking List" and excellent enterprises are preferred);
3. IoT technological achievements, software and hardware products, application service platforms, IoT systems;
4. IoT standard organizations and IoT business associations;
5. Experts, scholars, scientific research and management talents engaged in the field of IoT, and individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the world IoT.

III. Scope of solicitation

IoT-based industries (including intelligent manufacturing), health care, agriculture, energy, logistics, cultural tourism, smart city, public administration, artificial intelligence, aerospace, civil and military technology, ecological environment protection, transportation system based on vehicle network, finance, security and safety, smart life (including wearable devices and smart home), modern service industry, etc.; perception, cloud computing, big data, artificial intelligence solutions, software and hardware products, and other technical fields;

IV. Solicitation methods

Voluntary application, recommendation by national and regional governments/ institutions/ organizations and WIOTC

V. Categories of awards

The World IoT Awards fall into several categories, including enterprises, technologies, products, development and application, services, figures, industry promotion, etc.

VI. Application materials

1. *2020 World IoT Awards Registration Application Form* shall be filled out by entity/ enterprise/ individual applicant, which should be signed and stamped with the official seal (For overseas enterprises, the application form shall be signed and confirmed by the person in charge of the enterprise). The completed application form and scanned copy shall be sent to the designated email.

2. Entity/ enterprise/ individual applicant shall provide introduction materials of IoT products, solutions and application services (including but not limited to videos and pictures, papers, products/ articles, solution information, technologies and achievements, successful experience/ suggestions, speech presentation and annual output value of application services), intellectual property data, qualification and honors, and relevant supplementary certificates and documents.

VII. Registration fee

All the entities and individuals that register and apply for the awards should pay a registration fee of USD 200/award or RMB 1,500/award (the registration fee will not be returned).

VIII. Evaluation procedure

Register for application → Qualification review → Preliminary evaluation → Announcement → Final evaluation → Award presentation

IX. Announcement

The list of winners will be announced on the official website of WIOTC

(www.wiotc.org) and the WeChat official account (sjwlwdh) at the end of October 2020 to solicit public opinions.

X. Awarding time and prizes

All the awards (trophies/ medals/ certificates) will be presented at the 2020 WIOTC.

XI. Preferential treatment for winners

1. All entities that register and apply for the awards can publicize their enterprises, products, technologies and solutions free of charge on the official website of the WIOTC;
2. The list of winning entities, enterprises, individuals, projects, products, solutions and application services will be announced on the official website of the WIOTC and WeChat official account, and winning entities can get roadshow opportunities to promote projects/ products during the summit;
3. Winning entities and individuals can obtain the World IoT project investment and cooperation opportunities to invest and build the IoT economic demonstration zone (base), and have the priority to join the institutions, platforms and projects of WIOTC;
4. Winning entities and individuals can enjoy priority in providing products, projects, solutions and application services to Smarter Planet Internet of Things Co., Ltd. and running cooperative projects;
5. Winning entities and individuals can enjoy the benefits of membership in the IoT Innovation Alliance free of charge;
6. Winning entities and individuals can enjoy priority in delivering keynote speeches at the WIOTC and relevant summit activities or participating in high-end dialogue;
7. Winning entities and individuals can enjoy priority in applying for establishment of the WIOTC branch / branch association and participating in the investment and construction of demonstration base (park).

XII. Notes

1. All the entity and individual participants must submit authentic materials, technologies, patents and solutions for evaluation, ensure the authenticity of submitted materials and assume corresponding legal liability according to relevant laws and regulations;
2. The World IoT Awards Organizing Committee will review and verify the qualification of all enterprises, products, projects, technical achievements, schemes and academic articles used for the application of awards; qualified candidates will be selected from the entities or individuals that passed the qualification review, and winners will be evaluated according to the application materials;
3. If it is necessary to invite experts to conduct on-site investigation for the evaluation of enterprises, projects, products, development and innovation achievements, and solutions, relevant entities can apply to the Organizing Committee and cover relevant expenses;
4. The products, technologies, solutions and technological achievements that are registered for application shall comply with relevant laws and regulations and existing standards;
5. The products, technologies, solutions and technological achievements that are registered for application shall have neither intellectual property disputes nor suspected infringement;
6. Applicants shall fill out the application form and submit relevant application materials according to the specific requirements of *2020 World IoT Awards Registration Application Form*;
7. If there is false information or infringement, the Organizing Committee will cancel the qualification for competing World IoT Awards, and will not refund the registration fee;
8. The application materials can be downloaded from the official website of WIOTC (www.wiotc.org) and the WeChat official account (sjwlwdh);

9. After preparing all the application materials, please put them into a folder and create a zip file, which shall be sent to the email: awards@wiotc.org; over-sized file of application materials can be stored in a USB flash disk and sent to the Organizing Committee.

XIII. Contact

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