Singapore Press Club Awards 2022

Launched in conjunction with the 50th anniversary of the Singapore Press Club, with the kind sponsorship of Citi, the annual awards aim to recognise the excellent work and contributions of media professionals towards building a vibrant media industry in Singapore.

The Singapore Press Club Rising Star Awards seek to celebrate and encourage young professionals (below 35 years of age) by recognising excellence in their craft and lasting impact of their work.

The CDL-Singapore Press Club Sustainability Journalism award recognises a journalist who has demonstrated commitment and passion to leave a better world for future generations through their work in the media in any of the 17 areas outlined in the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

The Singapore Media Industry Hall of Fame, presented by Singapore Press Club and sponsored by Citi, recognises the outstanding contributions of veterans in the media and media-related professions through their long careers in the industry.

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Rising Star Young Journalist Awards

In recognition of excellent storytelling and impactful journalism that has helped to promote profound change.

Winner Nabilah Awang, Journalist, TODAY



Passionate about social causes, TODAY journalist Nabilah Awang strives to give voice to under-represented and unseen minority communities in Singapore. A tenacious journalist who goes the extra mile to connect with her sources, Nabilah has shed light on complex topics such as child abuse, gender equality, as well as race and religion. As a health and community reporter, she has written extensively about the plight of healthcare workers, caregivers and migrant workers.

Winner Kelly Ng, Correspondent, The Business Times

Kelly Ng covers banking, finance, fintech and sustainability for The Business Times. Ever the versatile correspondent, her stories often confront hard-hitting issues, from the risks and ethics surrounding non-fungible tokens to how the pandemic has widened Singapore's income chasm. She has embraced new storytelling methods, and has a slew of videos and infographics under her belt. Kelly also co-produced two documentaries, one of which, Curtain Up!, premiered at various festivals across North America.



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Rising Star Young Digital Journalist Awards

In recognition of excellence in storytelling on digital platforms that created exemplary user experience.



Winner Rebecca Pazos, Data Visualization Editor, The Straits Times

Rebecca Pazos, Data Visualisation Editor at The Straits Times, has received multiple awards for her excellent digital work, including a Silver medal at the Society of News Design's Best of Digital Design for her outstanding portfolio of work. Rebecca is dedicated to telling compassionate, human-centred data stories.

Winner Chai You Xia, Senior Journalist, 8World News, Mediacorp

As a digital journalist, Chai You Xia challenges herself with new ways of presenting and producing compelling stories on digital platforms. Her videos have made a strong impact as her storytelling is both heart-warming and thought-provoking. What's more, with her bilingual reporting skills, You Xia is a role model for new journalists. She is also passionate about women's issues and mental health.



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CDL - Singapore Press Club Sustainability Journalism Award

In recognition of excellent sustainability journalism that has had a positive impact on public attitudes, behaviours and policies that further the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals.

Winner Audrey Tan, Assistant News Editor and Science and Environment Correspondent, The Straits Times

Audrey Tan's tireless coverage of sustainability at The Straits Times over a nine-year career has led to reforms in the environmental impact assessment frameworks in Singapore. Her pieces on climate change, biodiversity conservation and carbon markets have been consistently tenacious. She has also embraced new channels, specifically her environmental podcast "Green Pulse" and a series of climate change cartoons in the lead up to COP26.



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SINGAPORE MEDIA INDUSTRY HALL OF FAME

On the 50th anniversary of Singapore Press Club, we are pleased to announce 50 inductees to the inaugural Singapore Media Industry Hall of Fame in recognition of their outstanding and lasting contributions to the media profession and the industry in Singapore.

Posthumous Inductees



Ananda Perera Director of News, SBC



Ee Boon Lee Senior Controller of News, RTS/SBC; and Senior Editor, NTUC News



G Sarangapany Founding Publisher/Editor, Tamil Murasu



Loy Teck Juan Chief Editor, Lianhe Zaobao



Lyn Holloway CEO, Straits Times Press and CEO, SPH



Othman Wok Deputy Editor, Utusan Melayu Press

Posthumous Inductees



Remesh Kumar Senior Managing Executive Producer, SBC/Mediacorp



S Chandra Mohan Senior Vice President and Director,

Current Affairs, SBC



Steven Lee Senior Controller of Radio, SBC



T S Khoo Editor-in-Chief, The Straits Times (Founding President, Singapore Press Club)



V T Arasu Chief Editor, Tamil Murasu



Wee Kim Wee Editorial Manager, The Straits Times (Founding Pioneer, Singapore Press Club)



Wong-Lee Siok Tin General Manager, SBC



Yusof Ishak Founder & Managing Director, Utusan Melayu Press



Ahmad Thani Executive Editor, Malay News & Current Affairs, SBC



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Senior Vice President, Group Corporate Communications and Marketing, CapitaLand



Brian Richmond Radio Presenter, SBC/Mediacorp



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James Fu Press Secretary to Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew



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Lim Jim Koon Chief Editor, Lianhe Zaobao



Lucy Leong Senior Controller of Radio, SBC



Margaret Thomas Deputy Editor, The Business Times



Mano Sabnani Editor-in-Chief, TODAY and CEO, Mediacorp Press; and Editor, The Business Times, SPH



Mun Chor Seng Head of Location Operations, SBC



Peter Lim

Editor-in-Chief, The Straits Times and Head of SPH English, Malay and Tamil Media



P N Balji

Editor-in-Chief, TODAY and CEO, Mediacorp Press; and Editor, The New Paper, SPH



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