

INDIAN INNOVATOR AWARDS 2015

Entrepreneur OF THE YEAR

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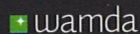


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Wissam Younane addressing the assembly on behalf of BNC Publishing



On the occasion of the second annual Indian Innovator Awards, Entrepreneur of the Year, BNC Publishing as part of the *Entrepreneur* MENA franchise, awarded individuals across multiple categories on December 7, 2015 at Jumeirah Golf Estates in Dubai, UAE. The relevant award winners have established themselves

as clear industry innovators who have made significant contributions to Middle East business arena, and set the benchmark for corporations operating across the region.

A total of 19 awards were presented, with all of the winners having set themselves apart from their peers in the region by showcasing a commitment to excellence and

thereby raising the bar of their respective industries. Speaking on behalf of *Entrepreneur*, Wissam Younane, Director, BNC Publishing, began by thanking the evening's Guest of Honor, Consul General of India Anurag Bhushan, for his support. Younane followed his initial greeting by welcoming award winning Indian singer K. S. Chithra together with Indian actress Saritha to the event as esteemed guests of the awards.

Organized by *Entrepreneur* MENA, the 2015 Indian Innovator Awards recognized and honored enterprise leaders and individuals who have distinguished themselves and shown sector significance and outstanding business conduct across a variety of industries that are key drivers of respective Middle East's economies. On behalf of the Indian Consulate, the Consul General of India, Anurag Bhushan presented the awards

to the 2015 Indian Innovator award winners. The Consul General also discussed the increasing enterprise strength of the award winners, and the importance of the Indian business community to the UAE as a whole, lauding the powerful and warm relationship between the UAE and India.

The Indian Innovator Awards, Entrepreneur of the Year, seeks to acknowledge agility across a variety of industries including luxury, healthcare, construction, hospitality, education, banking, and communications, amongst other key drivers of the Middle East's economy. In closing, Younane congratulated the award winners and thanked them for their continued support of *Entrepreneur* operations in MENA, counting them as some of "our most valued friends of the brand," and promising to maintain the relationships for many years to come. >>>

The winners of the 2015 Indian Innovator Awards



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- RESPONSIBLE LEADERSHIP DAWOOD BIN OZAIR
- THOUGHT LEADERSHIP K. RAJARAM
- EDUCATION INNOVATION THUMBAY MOIDEEN
- CONTRIBUTION TO BUSINESS DILIP RAHULAN
- ENTREPRENEURIAL ECOSYSTEM DEVELOPMENT YOGESH MEHTA
- COMMUNICATIONS INNOVATION DIPESH DEPALA
- LUXURY ENTREPRENEUR OF THE YEAR ROSEMIN MANJI
- MARKET SPECIALIZATION INNOVATION GAURAV SINHA
- INDUSTRIAL INNOVATION BHARAT BHATIA
- SUPPLY INNOVATION RIAZ KHIMANI
- LOGISTICS INNOVATION ABHISHEK SHAH
- CONSTRUCTION INNOVATION FAIZAL KOTTIKOLLON
- FASTEST GROWTH KAUSHIK SONI
- SUSTAINABILITY INNOVATION DHILIP KUMAR
- REAL ESTATE INNOVATION RIZWAN SAJAN
- HEALTHCARE INNOVATION DR. SHAMSHEER VAYALIL
- LEGAL INNOVATION ASHISH MEHTA
- FINANCE INNOVATION RAJEEV KAKAR
- BANKING INNOVATION DR. ADNAN CHILWAN



K. Rajaram accepting the Thought Leadership award



Gaurav Sinha accepting the Market Specialization Innovation award



Yogesh Mehta accepting the Entrepreneurial Ecosystem Development award



Stephen Marney, Master of Ceremonies



Kaushik Soni accepting the Fastest Growth Enterprise award



Dr. Adnan Chilwan accepting the Banking Innovation award



Ashish Mehta accepting the Legal Innovation award



Dr. Shamsheer Vayalil, Healthcare Innovation award, accepted on his behalf



Rajeev Kakar, Finance Innovation award, accepted on his behalf

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Faizal Kottikollon accepting the Construction Innovation award



Rizwan Sajan accepting the Real Estate Innovation award



Thumbay Moideen, Education Innovation award, accepted on his behalf



Rosemin Manji accepting the Luxury Entrepreneur of the Year award



Dipesh Depala accepting the Communications Innovation award



Dilip Rahulan accepting the Contribution to Business award



Bharat Bhatia accepting the Industrial Innovation award



Dawood Bin Ozair accepting the Responsible Leadership award



Riaz Khimani accepting the Supply Innovation award



Dhilip Kumar accepting the Sustainability Innovation award



Abhishek Shah accepting the Logistics Innovation award