

## **Terms and Conditions**

## **Rules of Entry**

- 1. It is free to enter the Jewellery World Awards Dubai Edition (JWA Dubai).
- 2. Each company is allowed to enter a maximum of 2 categories.
- **3.** Registration and entry submission system is open on <u>Monday, 19 July 2021</u>. Early registration allows additional time to review award categories and judging criteria before submitting entries, and increases the chance of being interviewed by the Judging Panel which can be an advantage in the judging process.
- 4. Fully completed online Entry Form must be submitted by 19:59 (Gulf Standard Time) on Thursday, 21 October 2021.

By submitting an entry, the applicant/entrant confirms that he/she is authorised to fill out the entry form on behalf of the company and all the information provided is true and correct.

Entrant must supply supporting documents to any claim made in the entry form. The supporting document can be in the form of news clipping, certificate from authority, or report issued by independent agents etc.

Entrant may be requested by the organiser to provide additional information or supporting document(s) in order to validate the fact or statement that is claimed by the entrant in the registration form and entry form(s). All entry forms and supporting documents will be handled and reviewed by the JWA Dubai team before handing over to JWA Dubai Judging Panel for judging.

5. Once a company is shortlisted as an Honouree, it will have to pay an Honouree Package fee that covers part of the costs of producing all Honouree-exclusive materials and trade-wide global marketing and promotion campaigns.

For each company, the Honouree Package fee is USD 700 for the first shortlisted category and USD 250 respectively for the second category being shortlisted as Honouree. So if a company is shortlisted for two categories, the fee will be USD 950.

By submitting an entry, the entrant agrees to pay this fee, which is non-refundable.

This fee will be charged once the company is shortlisted as an Honouree. Please visit https://www.jwadubai.com/entry-submission/ for further details on what the Honouree Package fee covers.





- 6. Entry Form for each award category should be completed in full, including only information that is relevant to the specific question to enable the judging panel to assess its merit. If the same answers are inappropriately applied to other categories you are entering, the judging panel reserves the right to consider entries with the same answers as one entry to a category at their discretion, and your entry to other categories will be disqualified.
- 7. Due diligence will be conducted once the entry is closed. JWA Dubai reserves the right to request a visit to the facilities or for an interview over the phone, face-to-face or online, as part of the judging process.
- **8.** Honourees, or shortlisted finalists, may be required to provide further details and documentation upon the request of the judging panel to support information given in the Entry Form.
- **9.** The JWA Dubai reserves the right to move submission to a more appropriate category.
- **10.** An entry to an award category cannot be withdrawn from the judging process once the applicant has been short-listed and announced as an Honouree.
- **11.**Once shortlisted as Honourees, companies are required to submit highquality images and information requested by our Editor within the deadline for the production of the JWA Dubai official publication.
- **12.** For nomination-only categories, short-listing of nominees is at the discretion of the Chair of Judges.
- **13.** All information supplied by applicants will be treated in the strictest confidence, with all judges obliged to sign non-disclosure agreements.

Entry does not grant an organisation or individual rights to use the JWA Dubai name, logo or images without the expressed written approval of the organiser. Only Honourees and Recipients will be granted permission to use the award's logo in compliance with the guidelines stipulated by the award's organiser.





## Judging

- The Honourees, or shortlisted finalists, will be announced in December 2021. The Recipient, or winner, will be announced in February 2022 at the JWA Dubai Ceremony and Gala Dinner during the JGT Dubai (Jewellery, Gem & Technology Dubai).
- **2.** Judges will consider each entry submission against the category criteria and their own discretion based on their relevant experience and expertise.
- **3.** Judges reserve the right to request a visit to the facilities or for an interview over the phone, face-to-face or online, as part of the judging process.
- 4. The role of the Chair of Judges is to clarify the criteria and to mediate in the event of differing opinions to determine the award for the highest honour. The Chair of Judges does not have a casting vote except when there is a draw among the judges.
- 5. Judges' decisions are final and binding and no discussions or correspondence will be accepted relating to any of their decisions.
- **6.** Informa Markets Asia Limited, the organiser of the award, is not liable for any costs incurred by candidate organisations during the judging process.
- **7.** Any applicant who, in the opinion of the judges or the organiser, is perceived to have harassed or bribed any member of the judging panel or the JWA Dubai team will have their entry disqualified.
- **8.** The JWA Dubai reserves the right to withdraw an entry from the judging process at any time, if the entry is deemed inappropriate for any reason.
- **9.** If it is found that any applicant has knowingly provided false information on their application for their entry, the JWA Dubai reserves the right to withdraw the entry in question and to withdraw at any time any award given to the applicant.
- **10.** By entering or agreeing to participate in the JWA Dubai, all applicants agree to the above terms and conditions.

