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# HKIHRM Announces Winners of HR Excellence Awards 2017/18 Recognising the outstanding work of HR professionals

[11 June 2018 – Hong Kong] Outstanding organisations and HR professionals were recognised for their remarkable people management strategies and practices that contributed to organisational success at the HKIHRM HR Excellence Awards Ceremony 2017/18 that took place at the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre on 25 May 2018. A total of 12 awards were presented to ten winning organisations and individuals, with the JTH Group being the biggest winner, taking home three awards including the "Grand Award of the Year".

Hailed as the Oscars of the HR profession, the HKIHRM HR Excellence Awards 2017/18 Presentation Ceremony was joined by over 200 distinguished guests and HR practitioners who greeted and celebrated with the award winners in a joyful and cheerful atmosphere.

Mr David Li, President of the HKIHRM, said in his welcome speech at the ceremony, "The HKIHRM is proud to provide a platform where our HR practitioners can draw on each other's experience and insights through constructive exchanges, and become inspired with innovative ideas for professional and organisational gains. The HR Excellence Awards programme can definitely fulfil this unique goal." Being a member of the judging panel, Mr Li took the opportunity to thank other members of the judging panel for their devotion of time and immense efforts in the selection process. The judging panel of the HKIHRM HR Excellence Awards 2017/18 was led by the Honourable Jasper Tsang Yok-sing, GBM, GBS, JP as the Chairman. Other panel judges included Dr Raymond So, BBS, JP, Under Secretary for Transport and Housing, the HKSAR Government; Dr Ritchie Bent, The Excellent HR Leader Awardee 2014, Dr Sabrina Tin, Director, Human Resources, Asia, Sony Music Entertainment Asia Inc., Mr David Li, President of the HKIHRM, and Mr Lawrence Hung, Vice-President of the HKIHRM and Chairperson of the HKIHRM HR Excellence Awards 2017/18's Organising Committee.

Attending the Ceremony as the Guest of Honour, the Honourable Jasper Tsang Yok-sing, GBM, GBS, JP commended the Institute for organising the Award programme, giving visible recognition to the effort of the award winners who will continue to inspire the next generation of HR practitioners to excel in their work while raising the bar of the profession.

Since its launch in 2012, the HKIHRM HR Excellence Awards programme, aimed at raising the professional HR management standards in Hong Kong, has gained continuous recognition and tremendous support from Hong Kong's HR practitioners and businesses.

#### **Relevant Information:**

Click here for the full list of awardees.

Click here to download photo of the HR Excellence Awards Ceremony 2017/18.

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#### **About HKIHRM**

As the most representative professional human resource institute in Hong Kong, the Hong Kong Institute of Human Resource Management (HKIHRM), a non-profit making organisation, has more than 5,200 members, with about 600 of whom are corporate members. Founded in February 1977, the Institute aims at developing, maintaining and enhancing professional standards in HR management, and increasing the perceived value and influence of the HR profession. The Institute organises a wide range of professional activities such as multi-level training programmes, conferences and an award programme, and provides services such as conducting surveys and publishing a professional journal. The Institute is commissioned by the Government of the HKSAR as the professional writer to develop and produce the Specification of Competency Standards (SCS) for the Human Resource Management sector under Hong Kong Qualifications Framework. The HKIHRM is a member of the Asia Pacific Federation of Human Resource Management which is one of the continental federations under the World Federation of People Management Associations. For more information, please visit our website at http://www.hkihrm.org.