ICC Tech Excellence Awards 2026

Category: Outstanding Tech Innovator Awards

Sub-category: Industry 4.0

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Name of the member who has nominated you	
Designation	
Organization Name	
Email ID	

Section I: Participant Information *		
Participant Name		
Organization Name		
Registered Office Address	City	State
Current Designation		
Total years of experience in IT sector		
Years of experience as a CIO		
Years of experience in current organization		
Contact Number		
Email ID		
LinkedIn profile		
Organization Website (if any)		

Section II: Organizational Overview *	
Type of Organization	□ PSU □ Private □ MNC □ Start-up □ Others, please specify: _____
Date of Incorporation	
Total no. of employees as on December 31, 2025	
Annual Turnover for FY 2024-25 (INR in crores)	
Brief description of Business (max 50 words)	

Section III: Operational Metrics *		
Particulars	**FY 2023 - 24**	**FY 2024 - 25**
No. of Industry 4.0 initiatives implemented		
Name of the Industry 4.0 initiatives implemented		
Productivity improvement achieved through Industry 4.0 (%)		
No. of IoT devices / smart systems deployed		

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% of operations / plants digitised or automated		
Section IV: Case Study * (max 200 words)		
A. Strategic Vision & Technology Leadership		
Q1. What Industry 4.0 vision did you drive (productivity/quality/safety/energy), and how did you prioritise plants/lines/use cases? Mention stakeholder alignment (operations/maintenance).		
Ans.		
B. Digital Transformation & Innovation		
Q1. What was implemented (IIoT/edge/analytics/MES/automation/digital twin etc.) and what was innovative in integration (OT-IT integration, reference architecture, rollout model)?		
Ans.		
C. Business Impact & Measurable Outcomes		
Q1. What operational KPIs improved (OEE, downtime, scrap/rejects, throughput, energy, safety)? Mention baseline and address two to three KPIs.		
Ans.		
D. Governance, Risk & Resilience		
Q1. How did you manage operational and cyber risk in OT environments (access control, segmentation, change control, safety standards, reliability)? Provide one concrete control improvement.		
Ans.		

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| **E.   Future Readiness & Scalability** |
| Q1. How will you replicate/scale across plants (templates, playbooks, CoE, vendor strategy)? Provide a rollout plan with scale targets. |
| Ans. |

Section V: Supporting Documents	
Certificate of Incorporation/ MSME certificate/ GST certificate*	
Summary of Key achievements*	
Testimonials / recommendation letters	
Media Coverage or Certifications	
Case study links etc	

| **Section VI: Participant Declaration *** |
| I/we hereby declare that the details furnished in the application form and supporting documents submitted for ICC Tech Excellence Awards 2026, are to the best of my knowledge and belief true, correct, and complete. In case any of the said information is found to be false or untrue or misleading or misrepresenting, I am/we are aware that I/we will be held liable for it. |

I/we declare that below is true:

- The applicant is a registered company/enterprise operating in India or with significant operations in India for minimum two years as on December 31, 2025

- The initiative/Innovation is launched, implemented and operational in the India markets between January 01, 2024, to December 31, 2025, or major part of the initiative falls within this period

- The business complies with relevant international standards/regulations (e.g. DPIIT certificate for start-ups, quality certifications, sector-specific standards, where applicable).

- The nominee participating is a Chief Information Officers or equivalent C-level IT leaders such as Deputy Tech Innovators, IT Director/VP of IT department, Chief information security officer, or equivalent with minimum 10+ years of experience as on December 31, 2025

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- The nominee holds the Tech Innovators position for at least 2 years overall across organizations as on December 31, 2025

I/we hereby declare that the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the decision of the Jury will be final and binding.

Participant Name: _____

Designation: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____