

CALL FOR ENTRIES

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ASIA PACIFIC
INTERIOR DESIGN
AWARDS 2026
亞太區室內設計大獎
二零二六年

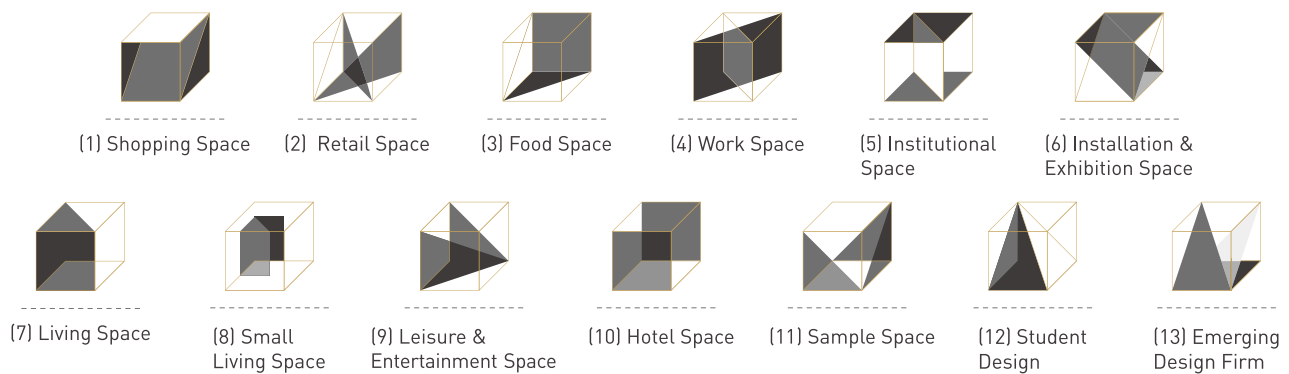
APIDA

Into the 34th Anniversary year, APIDA continues to give recognition to outstanding interior design projects and designers, promoting professional standards and ethics among interior design practices. Open to the design professionals from all over the world. APIDA is an excellent opportunity to gain worldwide recognition and public acclaim.

| OBJECTIVES

- Promote the public awareness of interior design as an important aspect of everyday life;
- Acknowledge and give industry recognition to quality projects and designers;
- Encourage and promote professional standards and ethics among interior design practices operating in the region.

| A) DESIGN CATEGORIES



- [1] **Shopping Space:** Shopping malls.
- [2] **Retail Space:** Shops, retail outlets, showrooms, department stores, food markets, kiosks, etc.
- [3] **Food Space:** Cafes, bars, lounges, restaurants, canteens, food courts, etc.
- [4] **Work Space:** Offices, studios, warehouses, factories, co-working space, etc.
- [5] **Institutional Space:** Community centres, schools, kids playgroups, education/learning centres, libraries, hospitals, clinics, airports, public transport stations, government space, etc.
- [6] **Installation & Exhibition Space:** Gallery, museum, trade exhibitions, sales offices provided by realty developers, art installations, public park installation, etc.
- [7] **Living Space:** Apartments, private houses, etc. (800 sq. ft. or above)
- [8] **Small Living Space:** Apartments, private houses, housing developments, etc. (less than 800 sq. ft.)
- [9] **Leisure & Entertainment Space:** Spas, swimming pools, casinos, clubs, cinemas/theatres, health/fitness centres, gyms, beauty centres, salon, game centres, theme park, etc.
- [10] **Hotel Space:** Commercial hotels, budget hotels, city hotels, resort, service apartments, etc.
- [11] **Sample Space:** Show flat provided by realty developers to create an environment on actual building site or offsite prototype to promote the sales of the property.
- [12] **Student Design:** Design project submitted by interior design/interior architecture student.
- [13] **Emerging Design Firm:** Emerging Design Firm shall be corporations or firms holding an interior design / interior architecture practice in Hong Kong less than or equal to 5 years.

| AWARDS CATEGORIES

- **Judge's Choices** (Picked by each judge).
- **Gold, Silver, Bronze Awards, Distinction and Excellence** for each category (except Emerging Design Firm category).

| B) BRAND CATEGORIES

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| [1] Bedrooms | [6] Flooring | [11] Lighting | [16] Sanitary Fitment |
| [2] Ceiling | [7] Furniture & Finishes | [12] Main Contractor | [17] Smart Living |
| [3] Decorative Architectural Glass | [8] Home Appliances | [13] Multi-brand Agent/Distributor | [18] Tiles |
| [4] Developer | [9] Ironmongery | [14] Paint | [19] Wall Coverings |
| [5] Fabrics & Soft Furnishings | [10] Kitchens | [15] Partitioning and Acoustic | |

*The Organizer reserves the right to revise the name of award categories with consideration of winning company's nature.

| AWARDS CATEGORIES

- **Best Brand Award** for each category.

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| ADJUDICATION

- A shortlist of finalists in each category will be selected by a highly qualified judging panel from a number of business, professional and academic fields. Adjudicators include local judges and judges from overseas. Awards will be announced during awards presentation ceremony.

| JUDGING CRITERIA

4-Fold APIDA's DESIGN Award Criteria: [1] Originality and Innovation [2] Functionality [3] Space Planning [4] Aesthetics

4-Fold APIDA's BRAND Award Criteria: [1] Originality and Innovation [2] Functionality [3] Sustainability [4] Aesthetics

The Criteria is highly subject to the Chairman of the Adjudication Panel or individual adjudicator's discretion to change or to add-in.

| RULES AND REGULATIONS

- The application grants the HKIDA an irrevocable and perpetual license to deal with, exhibit or in whatsoever way make use of the materials in respect of the reasonable activities of the HKIDA including using the materials in brochures, website, DVDs, books, power point presentation, exhibition, and any other appropriate functions, occasions and printed matters whether or not sure are commercially sponsored, with a view to make profit for HKIDA or for any other commercial purposes.
- The Organizers reserve the right to withhold awards not deemed to meet the required standard in any category. The decision reached by the Panel of Judges will be deem final.
- All materials submitted for the competition will automatically become the property of the Organizers, and may be released for publicity purposes without further notification or clearance from the party concerned. Submissions may be entered into ONE OR MORE CATEGORIES.
- All winners will ONLY be announced on the Presentation Ceremony of the Awards.
- Project entered for this competition must have been completed between 1 August 2024 to 31 July 2026 in order to qualify.
- Project photos must be actual photographs, no company related information/logo can be added on photos, and rendered images will not be accepted (except Student Design category).
- Students can only submit entries for Student Group for free.
- Enrollment of previous awarded projects of APIDA will not be accepted.

| ENTRY SCHEDULE & ENTRY FEE

- Call for Entries (Early Bird) : 29 May 2026 - 12 June 2026
- Call for Entries : 13 June 2026 - 31 July 2026
- Entries in all categories must be received on / before 31 July 2026 at 5pm (Hong Kong Time), any entry received after the deadline will NOT be accepted.
- Entry Fee (Early Bird) : Member - HK\$1,080 / Non Member - HK\$2,080
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