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About the Global Innovation and Tech Excellence Awards

The World Innovation, Technology and Services Alliance (WITSA) was founded in 1978. It is a leading consortium of tech association members from more than 80 countries around the world. WITSA set up the Global Innovation and Tech Excellence Awards (formerly known as the Global ICT Excellence Awards) in 2000. Candidates are nominated by members of the alliance for awards including the Chairman's Award and within broad categories (Digital Opportunity/Inclusion, Smart Cities, Sustainable Growth/Circular Economy, Innovative eHealth Solutions, Public/Private Partnership, E-Education and Learning, Emerging Digital Solutions, and Startup Ecosystem), as well as other individual awards.