



PRESS RELEASE

CYBERSECURITY MALAYSIA CONFERS NATIONAL AWARDS TO CYBER SECURITY INDUSTRY LEADERS; CALLS TO STRENGTHEN MALAYSIA'S DIGITAL ECOSYSTEM THROUGH NATIONAL DIGITAL TRUST FRAMEWORK

KUALA LUMPUR, 6 August 2024 – CyberSecurity Malaysia, the national cybersecurity specialist and technical agency under the purview of Ministry of Digital, today called upon stakeholders within Malaysia's digital ecosystem to intensify collaboration in order to maintain robust cybersecurity infrastructure and uphold digital trust.

Digital Trust denotes the level of confidence in the ability of people, technology and processes to create a secure digital world. It is a critical component that underscores the trustworthiness and confidence accorded to businesses, organisations as well as governments.

"By working together, we can create a resilient cyber ecosystem that not only protects against current cyber-attacks but also anticipates and mitigates future cyber risks. Such collaboration is essential for ensuring the security and stability of our increasingly digital society," said Dato' Ts. Dr. Haji Amirudin Bin Abdul Wahab, Chief Executive Officer of CyberSecurity Malaysia at Malaysia Cyber Security Awards 2024 Gala Dinner.

CyberSecurity Malaysia has initiated several key initiatives in facilitating public-private partnerships (PPPs) in Malaysia. Amongst them is CyberSecurity Malaysia Collaboration Program (CCP), a strategic initiative that has so far successfully attracted more than 100 partners to collaborate on joint research initiatives, development of security technologies, and shared training programs. In addition, CyberSecurity Malaysia's Program Galakan Pemerkasaan Keselamatan Siber (PGPKS), focusing on small & medium enterprises (SMEs) has helped more than 250 SMEs in strengthening their cyber security readiness.

According to Dato' Ts. Dr. Haji Amirudin, CyberSecurity Malaysia is assessing the current digital trust landscape in Malaysia to identify initiatives, challenges, strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats related to digital trust. "CyberSecurity Malaysia is reviewing several digital trust models to identify key elements, best practices, as well as potential gaps within Malaysia's digital trust landscape. Based on these initiatives, we will develop a National Digital Trust Framework to drive Malaysia's digital trust strategy and priorities,"

The Malaysia Cyber Security Awards 2024 is one of the key highlight programs at Cyber Digital Services Defence & Security Asia or CyberDSA 2024, a regional conference and exhibition held from 6th to 8th August 2024 which showcases the latest cybersecurity and defense technologies as well as facilitates exchange of insights on cyber intelligence. The awards were presented by Mr. Gobind Singh Deo, the Minister of Digital.

The 15th annual awards edition received 52 nominations across ten categories. The awards not only recognise the efforts of local cybersecurity professionals, homegrown SMEs and global companies, but also encourage innovations that spark strategic alliances within the local security and ICT industry. The prestigious recognition underscores the critical role cybersecurity professionals play in safeguarding Malaysia's digital assets.

List of Malaysia Cyber Security Awards 2024 recipients:

CYBER SECURITY PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR

1. **Ts. Johari bin Jalaludin**
Head of Cybersecurity, PLUS Malaysia Berhad
2. **Devinder Singh A/L Sardool Singh**
Chief Information Security Officer, Maybank Group
3. **Baljit Singh Dhillon**
Head Strategy, Planning and Governance, Digital Nasional Berhad

CYBER SECURITY COMPANY OF THE YEAR

1. **TM Technology Services Sdn. Bhd**
2. **Ensign InfoSecurity (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd**

CYBER SECURITY PROJECT OF THE YEAR

1. **Health Management Institute on SASE SDWAN Implementation**
Netassist Sdn. Bhd
2. **ePerolehan for Malaysia Government**
Commerce Dot Com Sdn. Bhd

CYBER SECURITY INNOVATION (PRODUCT) OF THE YEAR

1. **StarSentry - Applied Security Intelligence Sdn. Bhd**
2. **Helios - Axiata Group Berhad**

CYBER SECURITY INNOVATION (EDUCATION) OF THE YEAR

1. **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Computer Science (Cyber Security), Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Computer Science With a Specialism in Digital Forensics, Master of Science in Cyber Security**
Asia Pacific University of Technology & Innovation (APU)

CYBER SECURITY INNOVATION (SERVICE) OF THE YEAR

1. **Malaysia Cybersecurity Center of Excellence (CCoE) Sdn Bhd**
BlackBerry Limited

CYBER SECURITY OUTREACH PROVIDER OF THE YEAR

1. **Sektor Sumber dan Teknologi Pendidikan, Jabatan Pendidikan Negeri Selangor**
2. **Association of Islamic Banking and Financial Institutions Malaysia (AIBIM)**
3. **Delta Spike Asia Sdn. Bhd**

CYBERSAFE PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR

1. **YBhg. Dato' Ahmad Noordin bin Ismail**
2. **Syarifah Noor Aslah binti Syed Omar**

CYBER SECURITY APPRECIATION

1. **Commerce Access Sdn. Bhd**
2. **Huawei Technologies (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd**
3. **Securemi Sdn. Bhd**

CYBER SECURITY LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

1. **YBhg. Jeneral (Bersara) Tan Sri Dato' Sri (Dr.) Haji Zulkifeli bin Mohd. Zin**

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