

With Thanks to our Judging Panels

Final Judges

Alderman Peter Estlin, The Rt. Hon.
The Lord Mayor of the City of London |
Chair of the Final Judging Panel

Rajesh Agrawal, Deputy Mayor of London
for Business | Mayor of London

Raheel Ahmed, CEO Retail
Lending | Barclays UK

Amali de Alwis MBE, Managing Director |
Microsoft for Startups UK at Microsoft

Tim Campbell MBE, Founder | Bright Ideas Trust

Julie Devonshire OBE, Director,
the Entrepreneurs Institute |
King's College London

Gerard Grech, Chief Executive | Tech Nation

Sophie Hutcherson, Non-Executive
Director and Executive Coach | FCCA

Anthony Impey MBE, Founder | Optimity

Amanda Jordan OBE, Co-Chair |
Corporate Citizenship

Sir Harvey McGrath, Chair |
Big Society Capital and Heart of the City

Vanda Murray OBE, Chair of
the Board | Marshalls Plc

Sir Ken Olisa OBE, Founder and
Chairman | Restoration Partners

Cyrus Todiwala OBE DL, Chef Patron |
Cafe Spice Namaste Group

Preliminary Judges

David Adair, Head of Community Affairs | PwC

Carrie Adams, Global Diversity
and Inclusion Lead | DLA Piper

Davinder Chaggar, Social and Economic
Development Manager | Lendlease

Andy Melia, Head of Community
Investment | Business in the Community

Sarah Mitchell, Director | Heart of the City

Dianna Neal, Head of Economy,
Tourism and Culture | London Councils

Zoe Portlock, Director of Services |
Bromley by Bow Centre

Fiona Rawes, Philanthropy
Director | City Bridge Trust

Asif Sadiq MBE, Head of Diversity,
Inclusion and Belonging | The Telegraph

Helen Sanson, Director | Tower Hamlets
Education Business Partnership

Amy Solder, Interim Head of
New Operating Models | NESTA

Doniya Soni, Strategy and Operations
Manager | WhiteHat

Claire Tunley, Head of Employability |
City of London Corporation

Chris Turner, Executive Director | B Lab UK



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CELEBRATING BUSINESS IMPACT IN SOCIETY

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Message from Alderman Peter Estlin | The Rt. Hon. The Lord Mayor of the City of London

Welcome to the **32nd Lord Mayor's Dragon Awards!**



I am delighted to welcome you to the Mansion House for tonight's celebration of business impact in society. The Dragon Awards were founded 32 years ago by my predecessor as Lord Mayor, Sir David Rowe-Ham. As they did then, the Awards today continue to showcase the UK's best in class responsible businesses.

Throughout my mayoralty, I have championed the importance of shaping tomorrow's City today. I believe that we must ourselves create the society we want to live in, and not wait for it to create us. This has been at the heart of my

efforts to promote greater preparedness and inclusivity in a rapidly changing digital era. It is also at the heart of what the Dragon Awards are all about.

Our applicants have harnessed their resources to shape a fairer, more open, more engaged business community. Across the country, they are redefining the role of business in society; shaping it to be fit for the future. They have invested £29 million in their communities and mobilised over 50,000 volunteers to reach a total of more than 2.5 million people. These figures, and their stories of lives changed, are inspiration for us all.

Congratulations to each of our applicants, our finalists and our winners. Here is to a memorable evening celebrating what has been, and can be, achieved.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Peter Estlin". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Alderman Peter Estlin
The Rt. Hon. The Lord Mayor
of the City of London

Our **2019 Finalists** are:

Heart of the City Award

Formation Architects

For Formation Community: Outreach programme

N-Able

For Responsible Business Programme

Boosting Social Impact Award

Gate One

For Gate One and Coin Street:
An entrepreneurial partnership

Mace Group

For Volunteering for Better Communities

Inclusive Employment Award

Goldman Sachs

For Plumtree Court On-Site Diversity
& Inclusion Programme

Herbert Smith Freehills LLP

For The Networked Scholarship Scheme

K&M McLoughlin Decorating Ltd

For Skills for Jobs Initiative

KPMG

For Black Heritage Reverse
Mentoring Programme

Innovation Award

Refinitiv

For TicketAid

Weil, Gotshal & Manges (London) LLP

For Micro Rainbow: The UK's first
ever safe house for LGBTI refugees

Regional Impact Award

KPMG

For Tackling the Geography of
Disadvantage in Social Mobility
Cold-Spots and Opportunity Areas

Marsh & McLennan

For Support at Home Manchester

Standard Life Aberdeen Plc

For Better Futures Inclusive
Employment Programmes

Community Partners Award

City Year UK

For their partnership with Credit Suisse

in2scienceUK

For their partnership with
University College London

IntoUniversity

For their partnership with UBS

Taylor Bennett Foundation

For their partnership with Brunswick,
Finsbury, FTI Consulting and Taylor Bennett

The Lord Mayor's Award for Leadership in Digital Skills

Barclays

For Barclays Digital Eagles

BT Plc

For Barefoot Computing

Nominet Plc and Livity

For Nominet Digital Neighbourhood