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MIIP Gala Dinner & Awards Night 2024 Press Release (Post-event Report)

The Malaysian Interior Industry Partners Association (MIIP) hosted its 14th Gala Dinner and Awards Night on 27th September 2024. As a biennial celebration, this year's event featured a special opening ceremony officiated by YB Tuan Nga Kor Ming and honoured outstanding individuals and companies from the interior built industry, recognizing their excellence and contributions over the past two years.

About MIIP and the Awards Ceremony

Established in 2010, MIIP is dedicated to fostering a professional and comprehensive standard for the interior design industry, with a focus on "collaboration over competition" to support sector growth. MIIP is uniquely positioned in Malaysia as it unites members from various areas of the interior built industry, including interior fit-out builders, manufacturers, material suppliers, and interior designers.

Thanks to the collective efforts of industry partners, the interior design sector has been one of the fastest to recover post-pandemic. The industry's valuation from 2022 to 2024 is projected to reach RM 134 billion. With this backdrop, MIIP is focused on driving innovation, ensuring high-quality outputs, and promoting sustainable growth through strong collaboration.

The MIIP biennial "Gala Dinner and Awards Ceremony" was established to recognize outstanding contributions within the industry, encouraging both professionalism and innovation. This year's event saw over 150 top entries competing across 18 categories spanning 5 key areas.

YB Tuan Nga Kor Ming's Address

This year's event had the honour of hosting YB Tuan Nga Kor Ming, Minister of Housing and Local Government (KPKT), marking the first time a ministerial-level official has graced the MIIP event. YB Nga Kor Ming commended MIIP for its role as a cross-industry platform, encouraging the sector to embrace digital transformation by utilizing AI and IoT to enhance interior design and service offerings.

He further recognized the industry's progress toward greener, more sustainable practices in alignment with Environmental, Health, and Safety (EHS) principles. This vision dovetails with the government's objectives of carbon emission reduction, waste management, and building a sustainable economy. YB Nga Kor Ming urged MIIP to continue championing these values, contributing to an innovative, sustainable, and people-centered Malaysia.

Fostering Industry-Government-Academia Collaboration



Since its inception, MIIP has actively collaborated with government bodies and government-linked companies to pool resources for industry advancement. In the post-pandemic era, MIIP has begun incorporating foreign models of "Industry-Government-Academia" collaboration, working closely with universities to inject innovation into the interior built industry, creating a win-win situation for all stakeholders.

As part of these efforts, MIIP introduced a new award category this year—the "Interior Product Design Award"—specifically for Malaysian university students. This award recognizes excellence in furniture, lighting, kitchen designs, storage solutions, and smart home innovations.

Embracing Green Ideals for Global Standards

In line with the global shift towards a "green economy" and "sustainable development," MIIP has consistently featured an "Environment, Health, and Safety (EHS)" category within its awards to ensure that industry players remain committed to green practices and sustainability. These awards are evaluated under the guidance of the Department of Occupational Safety and Health (DOSH) within the Ministry of Human Resources.

MIIP President's Address: Responsibilities of the Current Committee

In his speech, MIIP President Mr. Elvin Tay highlighted the remarkable achievements of the current committee, including a substantial increase in membership—from 80 members two years ago to over 120 members today. "This growth reflects the industry's recognition of MIIP's core value of 'collaborative growth over cutthroat competition,'" said Mr. Elvin Tay.

He also emphasized the introduction of the university student award category as a significant breakthrough, made possible through the collective efforts of the committee. The invitation of a minister-level official to the awards signifies a milestone for MIIP, further solidifying its influence and strengthening ties with the government.

Looking ahead, Mr. Elvin Tay reaffirmed MIIP's commitment to fostering industry collaboration, raising professional standards, and enhancing Malaysia's global competitiveness in the interior design sector. "Let us move forward together, driven by professionalism, integrity, and innovation, to shape a brighter future for both the interior design industry and Malaysia," he concluded.

Award Winners: 14th MIIP Annual Dinner and Awards Ceremony

MIIP Awards 2024 - Category 1: Completed Fit-Out Project

Category 1.1: Retail

Gold : CHEKSERN YOUNG BUILDERS SDN BHD: WHISKY HOUSE, TSLAW TOWER, KUALA LUMPUR

Gold : SUNRAY PRESTIGE CONSTRUCTION SDN BHD: PAVILION DAMANSARA HEIGHTS MALL



Silver : GOODWINDS PROJECT SOLUTIONS SDN BHD: BSH SHOWROOM

Category 1.2: Hospitality

Platinum : CYML GROUP SDN BHD: RENOVATION WORKS OF LOUNGE 1051 AT KUALA LUMPUR INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. (PACKAGE 1051)

Gold : SYARIKAT LIAN PING ENTERPRISE SDN BHD: INDIGO HOTEL (P. AREA & GUESTROOM)

Gold : JALEX SDN BHD: INTERIOR FIT OUT TO CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL (PUBLIC AREA AND GUESTROOM)

Silver : JALEX SDN BHD: INTERIOR FIT OUT TO ELSE HOTEL (PUBLIC AREA AND GUESTROOM)

Category 1.3: Food and Beverage Outlet

Platinum : CAN.I INTERIOR FIT-OUT SDN BHD: RENOVATION WORKS OF LOUNGE 849 AT KUALA LUMPUR INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (KLIA T1) FOR SELECT SERVICE PARTNER MALAYSIA SDN BHD

Gold : SUNRAY CONSTRUCTION & INTERIOR SDN BHD: F&B OUTLET PENANG

Silver : ADNEX INTERIOR SOLUTION SDN BHD: ISHIN @ IOI RIO

Category 1.4: Commercial Offices

Platinum : CYML GROUP SDN BHD: PROPOSED DEMOLITION, DESIGN, BUILD AND COMPLETION OF INTERIOR RENOVATION WORKS FOR IJM HEADQUARTERS AT WISMA IJM

Gold : SUNRAY CONSTRUCTION & INTERIOR SDN BHD: UOB MAIN BRANCH KUALA LUMPUR

Gold : SUPERB IMPRESSION CREATIONZ SDN BHD: CORPORATE OFFICE WORKPLACE

Category 1.5: Public Design

Platinum : CHEKSERN YOUNG BUILDERS SDN BHD: AURUM THEATRE, GSC, THE EXCHANGE TRX, KUALA LUMPUR

Gold : PLM INTERIORS SDN BHD: DIGITAL NASIONAL EXPERIENCE CENTRE

Silver : SUNRAY CONSTRUCTION & INTERIOR SDN BHD: PANTAI HOSPITAL KUALA LUMPUR

Silver : CAN-I INTERIOR FIT-OUT SDN BHD: RENOVATION OF WARDS AT LEVEL 7, GLENEAGLES HOSPITAL MEDINI JOHOR

Category 1.6: Residential

Silver : ARMARIOR SDN BHD: SPECTRUM HOUSE - GRAND YET SERENE

MIIP Awards 2024 - Category 2: Innovative & Creative Application of Material

Category 2.1: Wall Covering & Soft Furnishing

Platinum : WALTEX CORPORATION (M) SDN BHD : WALTEX - PARATHAI PAVILION DAMANSARA HEIGHT

Gold : SHIMLEN SDN BHD : ACOUSTIC ARTISTRY: TRANSFORMING SPACES WITH SLEEK ACOUSTIC FLUTED PANEL

Silver : WALTEX CORPORATION (M) SDN BHD : WALTEX - TUCKER & CO

Category 2.2: Flooring

Platinum : JALEX SDN BHD : SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF STONE FLOOR TO TRX MALL

Gold : HAL EMPIRE SDN BHD : CARPET FLOORING WORKS @ NEW PRASARANA'S HEADQUATERS BUILDING

Silver : ESIA CARPET SDN BHD : AVANTE HOTEL

MIIP Awards 2024 - Category 3: Product Excellence

Category 3.1: Furniture

Platinum : NATURAL SIGNATURE SDN BHD : TATAMI SERIES

Gold : OPPEIN LIVING MALAYSIA : OPPEIN TECHNOLOGY MEETS BEAUTY

Silver : BIG BATH SDN BHD : 4 FUNTIONS THERMOSTATIC SHOWER SYSTEM



Category 3.2: Fittings & Fixtures

Platinum : ECOSIL SOLUTION SDN BHD : ACOUSTIC WALL TILES (AWT)

Gold : MOLICC SYSTEM SDN BHD : ARTISTIC FIRE RESISTANT DOOR

Silver : SHIMLEN SDN BHD : INNOVATIVE ACOUSTIC FLUTED PANELS

Category 3.3: Sustainable & Green Product

Platinum : JURUSANWA ENTERPRISE SDN BHD : SOLID CORE TIMBER DOOR & FIRE DOOR WITH LC+ (CARBON NEUTRAL PRODUCT)

Gold : WALTEX CORPORATION (M) SDN BHD : WALTEX CRYPTON FABRIC

Silver : NATURAL SIGNATURE SDN BHD : SUSTAINABLE RUBBERWOOD FURNITURE

Category 3.4: Consumer Product

Platinum : TECH AV CONCEPTS SDN BHD : PERSONALIZED SMART HOME SOLUTIONS

Gold : SMARTPOOLS SDN BHD : ARENA DEBUT + LAPS SYSTEM

Silver : TOPMIX RESOURCES SDN BHD : TOPMIX WALL PANEL

MIIP Awards 2024 - Category 4: Environment, Health and Safety Management (EHS)

Best Practices : JALEX SDN BHD: EHS FOR ALAMANDA MALL

Best Practices : INOVAR INDUSTRIES SDN BHD: SUNWAY VELOCITY 2/M OSCAR/DSTH TANJUNG 12

MIIP Awards 2024 - Category 5: Student Interior Product Design

Platinum : ASIA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION: ONG JING ROU

Gold : ASIA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION: LIM XIANG YU

Silver : SUNWAY UNIVERISITY: WONG WEN XIN