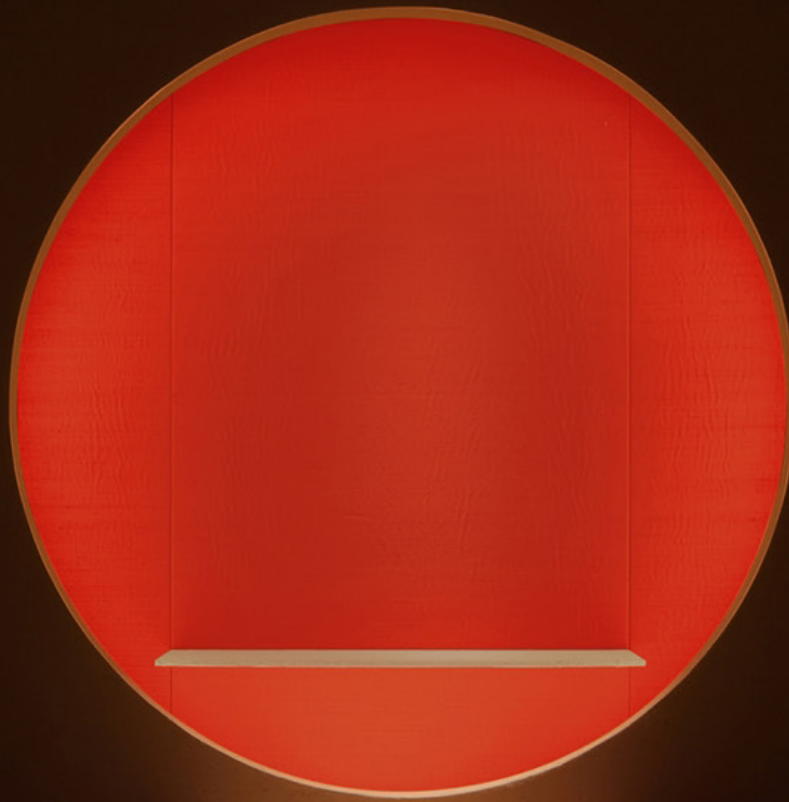


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The mission of the LIV Hospitality Design Awards is to celebrate high-quality architectural ventures and diverse interior design projects that shape the worldwide hospitality industry. The program was launched in 2020 and is an inclusive platform, pursuing and rewarding exceptional projects within LIVING and EATING spaces.

LIV HOSPITALITY DESIGN AWARDS STANDS FOR THE BEST LIVING SPACE.

Society constantly redefines space. Hospitality responds by embracing these changes, whether through the introduction of new accommodation concepts, or by focusing on lifestyle, design, and the lived experience of guests. From short-term rental to private housing, beach resort to boutique hotel, campervan to co-living, today’s types of accommodation have never been more diverse.

LIV HOSPITALITY DESIGN AWARDS STANDS FOR THE BEST EATING SPACE.

Local speciality restaurants are expanding globally, food courts are synonyms of diversity, and fine dining is a multi-sensorial experience; the options available in the food and beverage industry are in constant evolution, offering exciting new concepts, different atmospheres, designs, colors, and textures for both our taste buds and our eyes.

Simply put, from cocktail bar to food court, Michelin-starred establishment or an event space, food truck to a private club, the food and beverage scene has never been as exciting as it is today.

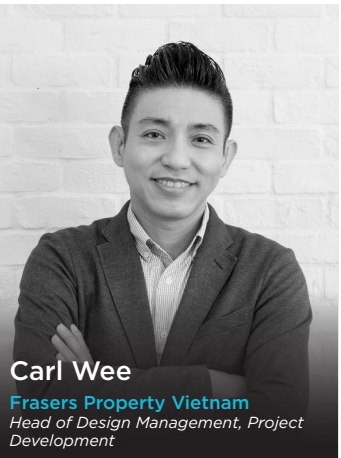
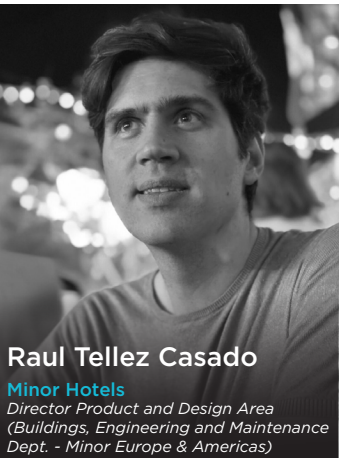
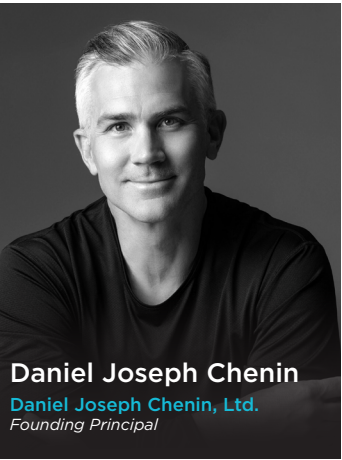
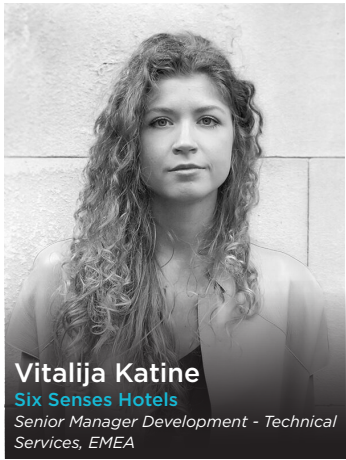
Hospitality architecture and interior design are key factors in guest satisfaction and benchmarks for the levels of service, quality and comfort that a guest expects. The LIV Hospitality Design Awards strive to support and promote inspired projects by professional designers, as well as fresh and stimulating work created by emerging designers and students.

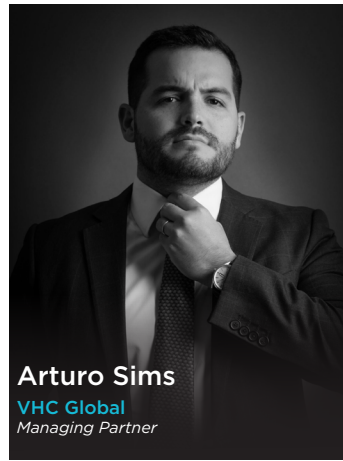
The LIV Awards *BOOK OF DESIGN* showcases a collection of the year’s best hospitality-related architectural projects and interior design realizations. All our winners are setting remarkable new standards and trends; they are truly visionary designers, showcasing creativity and innovation. We hope you enjoy discovering their work as much as we do sharing it.



The 2025 LIV Hospitality Design Awards Jury panel was composed of 37 talented and experienced professionals: entrepreneurs, academics, and developers from the field of hospitality design. They evaluated every single submission received from 58 countries, and selected the “Architectural Design of the Year” and “Interior Design of the Year” awards for both professional and student winners.

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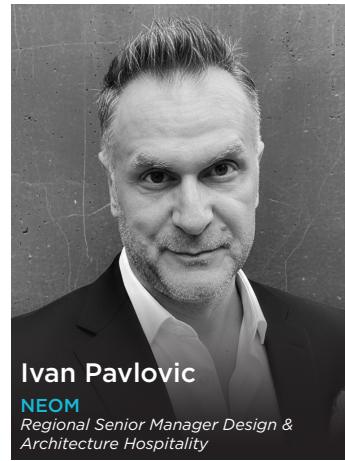
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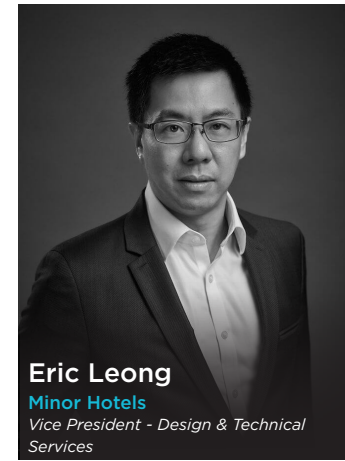
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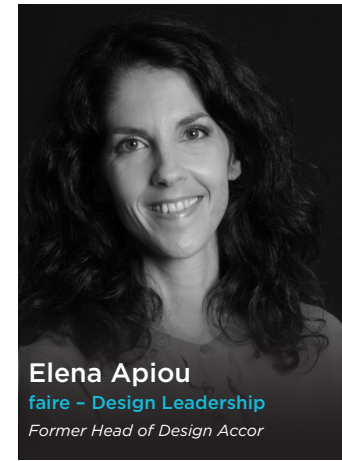
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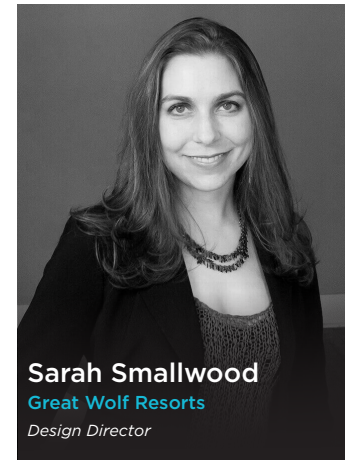
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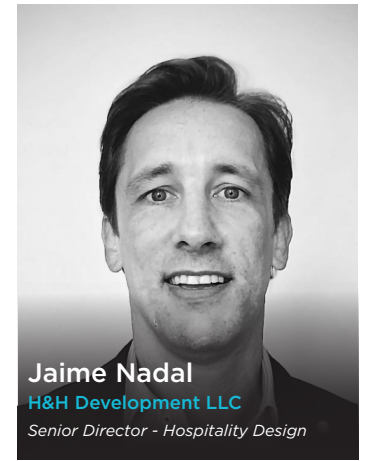
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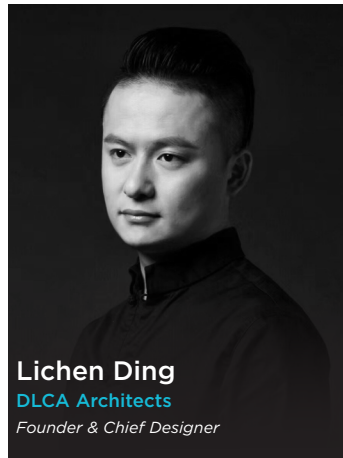
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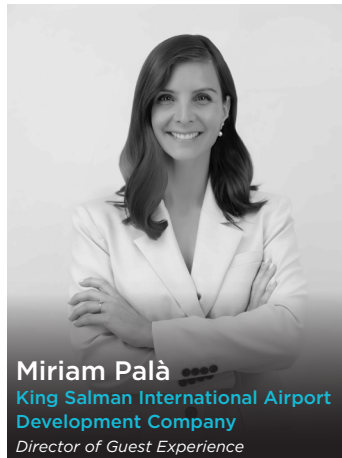
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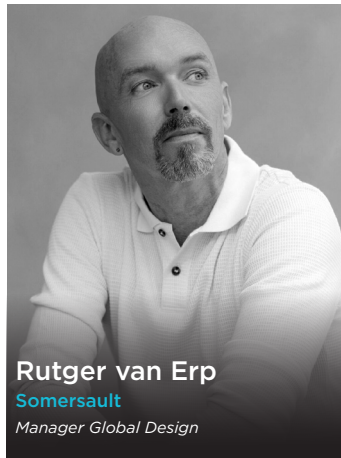
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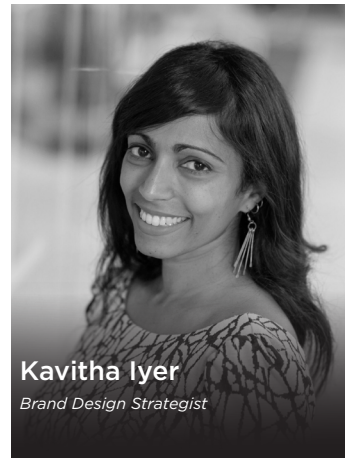
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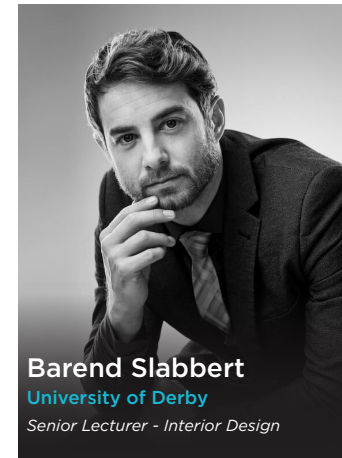
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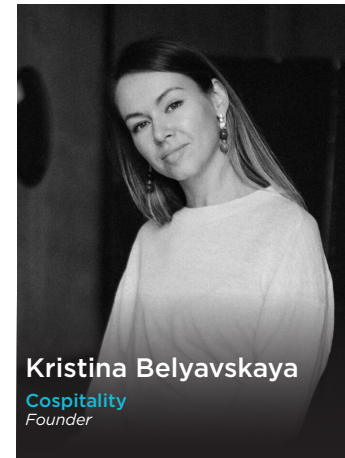
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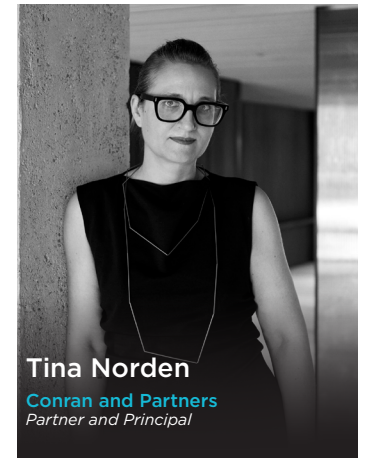
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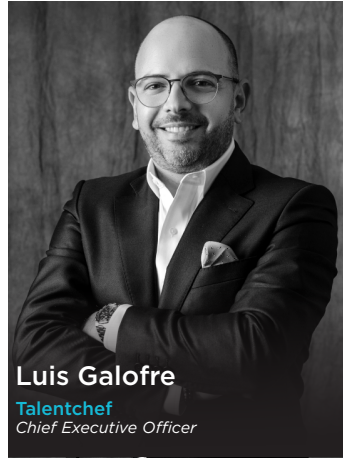
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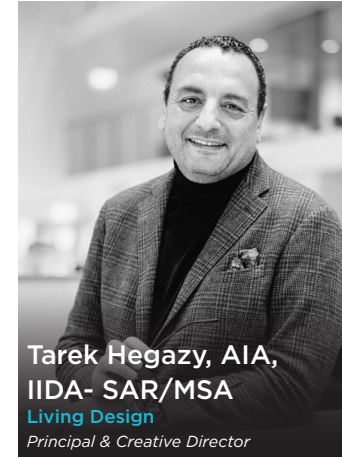
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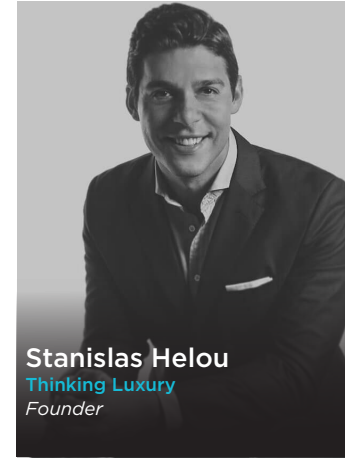
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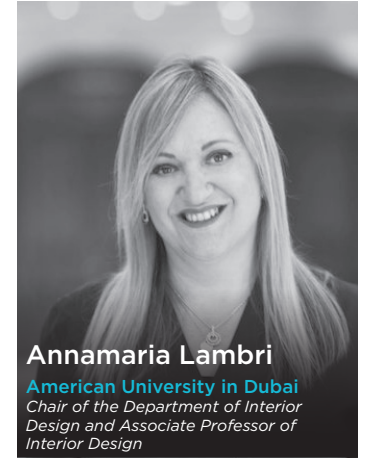
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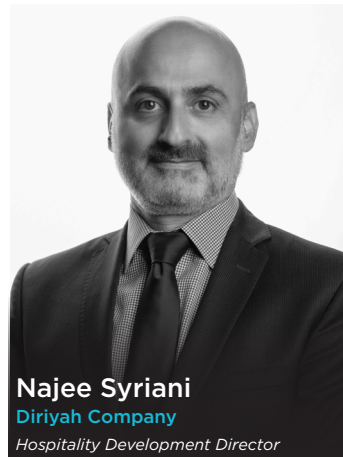
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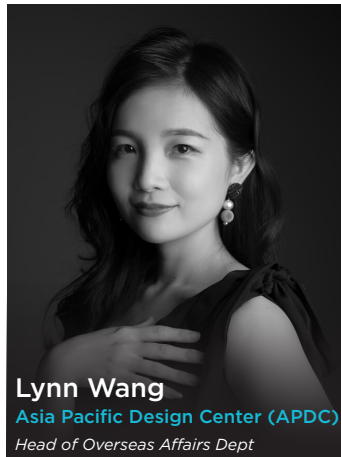
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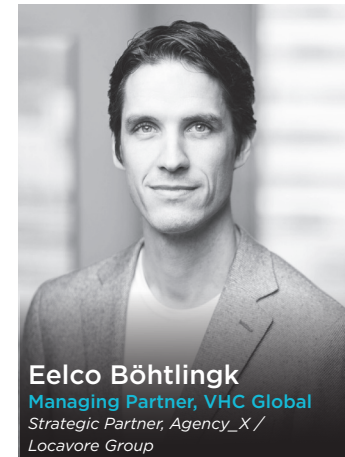
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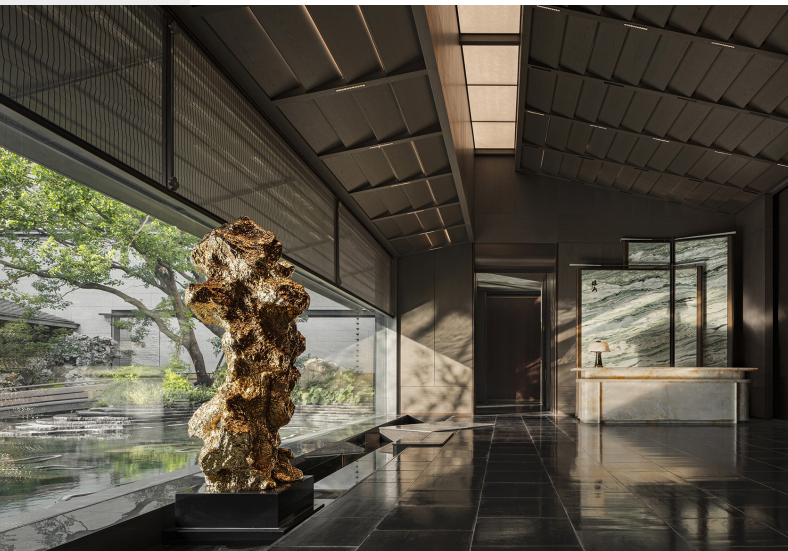
NH Collection Dubai Gate

GG&GRACE INTERNATIONAL, United Arab Emirates
Lead Designer(s): Gauthier Guillaume

Winner in Renovation

NH Collection Dubai Ibn Battuta Gate is a transformative renovation that reimagines a Dubai icon through a contemporary lens. Blending tradition with modernity, the design celebrates the cultural richness of the region while introducing a refreshed lifestyle experience. Inspired by the majestic Ibn Battuta Gate, the concept unfolds through three core pillars: Gate to Serenity, Gate to Fusion, and Gate to Experience. These themes guide the guest journey—from tranquil rooms layered with soft textures and warm tones, to eclectic public spaces where heritage meets innovation.

Photo Credit: GG&GRACE International



YINSHAN, WUXI

Nature Times Art Design Co.,Ltd, China
Lead Designer(s): Wei Jinjing

Winner in Residence

Nestled at the southern foot of Huishan Mountain, the project embraces the 400-year-old Jichang Garden across quiet alleys. Rooted in the rhythms of nature and the soul of local heritage, the design weaves Huishan Mountain's undulating silhouette into the courtyard walls, while the fifty scenes of Jichang Garden are reimagined as modern corridors and cascading waters. Courtyard walls subtly frame the silhouette of Longguang Pagoda, as ethereal spring mist lingers in the air.

Photo Credit: Nature Times Art Design / Qin Zhaoliang



GREENTOWN · PHOENIX MANSION, JINHUA

Nature Times Art Design Co.,Ltd, China
Lead Designer(s): Wei Jinjing

Winner in Residence

The latest masterpiece of Greentown's "Phoenix" series is nestled along the Wuyi River, Jinhua's only prestigious location embraced by the river and four parks. Through masterful design, it outlines a new, contemporary, and luxurious Wu-style clubhouse in Jinhua. Upon entering the reception hall, guests are immediately calmed by the "Phoenix Folding Its Wings" mother-of-pearl art installation. Descending to the lower level, a grand crystal chandelier hangs centrally like a curtain of light, setting a tranquil tone.

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Palace Deluxe

Lori Morris Design, Canada
Lead Designer(s): Lori Morris

Winner in Residence

Palace Deluxe exudes an aura of Old-World timeless elegance, captivating the senses with its irresistible charm. Spanning an impressive 19,679 square feet, boasting five bedrooms and a host of remarkable features that redefine sophistication. Every detail has been meticulously designed, curated and crafted by Lori Morris to create an ambiance of grandeur and refinement. From the moment of arrival it captivates with custom stone floor designs, richly detailed wood treatments, and refined ceiling moldings.

Photo Credit: Brandon Barre, Edward James



Story & Day

Nordico Design, Taiwan
Lead Designer(s): San chi Yang

Winner in Residence

Inspired by the clients' affinity for the Nordic lifestyle, Story & Day begins with the daughter's beloved Finn Juhl sideboard, extending its calm, tactile quality into the entire home. The 122-square-meter residence is conceived as a flexible system rather than a fixed layout—using dyed birch veneer, fabric sliding doors, and modular furniture to compose a gentle rhythm of daily life. The design negotiates the different sensibilities of mother and daughter: the mother values simplicity and brightness, while the daughter prefers a touch of artistic nostalgia.



Dusit Thani Hot Springs Hotel Jing Mountain

Yang & Associates Group, China
Lead Designer(s): Mr. Yang Bangsheng

Winner in Resort - Boutique

Dusit Thani is a luxury brand under the renowned Dusit Hotels & Resorts in Thailand, committed to offering travelers an unparalleled journey of physical and mental rejuvenation. Dusit Thani Hot Springs Hotel Jing Mountain boasts a prime location, with breathtaking views of mountains and lakes. YANG skillfully integrated the hotel's natural landscape into its design, optimizing the layout and circulation to maximize the use of scenic resources. This approach ensured that every key spatial node offers captivating vistas for admiration, enjoyment, and exploration.

Photo Credit: Yang & Associates Group

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The LIT Design Awards were created to recognize the efforts of talented international lighting product designers and lighting implementers. We believe that lighting is both an art and a science, and is one of the most important elements of design. The LIT Awards were envisioned to celebrate creativity and innovation in the field of lighting products and applications.

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