

SYMPOSIUM 25

Leveraging Education through the Advancement of Technology

EduTech Excellence Awards Criteria



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Welcome to

EduTech Symposium

EduTech Symposium, a premier event organized by the Center for Educational Technology (CETE) at The Maldives National University (MNU). This symposium stands as a beacon for those passionate about the transformative power of technology in education. As the digital age progresses, the integration of innovative technologies into teaching and learning becomes not just beneficial but essential.

Attendees will have unparalleled opportunities to explore the practices of tech integration, uncover the latest trends, tackle pressing challenges, and identify emerging opportunities within the realm of Educational Technology.



Objectives

- To provide a platform for educators to showcase their practice of integrating technology in teaching and learning.
- To showcase successful examples of technology integration that can inspire others.
- To offer opportunities for professionals and experts to interact, share and explore best practices of technology integration in teaching and learning.
- To support educators in advancing their technology integration skills and facilitate networking and connections for a better future.



About the Awards

The EduTech Symposium 2025 provides educators with a platform to showcase their best practices in integrating technology into teaching, learning, and administration.

The Excellence in Technology–Enabled Education Awards recognize and celebrate outstanding achievements in leveraging technology to enhance educational practices.



Award Categories

Category 1: Individual Category

- Open to individuals or groups of educators.
- Recognizes technology integration practices used to enhance personal teaching and learning.
- Submissions should highlight innovative methods or tools that directly benefit individual classrooms or instructional strategies.

Category 2: Institutional Category

- Open to institutions showcasing technology integration practices applied across the organization.
- Recognizes initiatives that enhance educational practices on an institutional level, benefiting all or most stakeholders.
- s were used to address the challenges/obstacles.



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In each category, the best three submissions will receive:









Judging Criteria

CRITERIA	DESCRIPTION	WEIGHTAGE
INNOVATION	Originality and creativity in using technology to address educational challenges.	25%
IMPACT	Demonstrable benefits to teaching, learning, or administration outcomes.	25%
SCALABILITY / TRANSFERABILITY	Potential for the practice to be scaled or adapted by others.	20%
ALIGNMENT WITH OBJECTIVES	How well the practice aligns with educational goals and institutional values.	15%
PRESENTATION QUALITY	Clarity, organization, and overall quality of the submission or showcase.	15%

In case of a tie, further evaluation will be conducted, and the final decision will rest with the Awards and Publicity Committee.



Judging Panel

The judging panel will consist of:

- 1 Member from the Centre for Educational Technology and Excellence (CETE).
- 2 External Experts specializing in educational technology.

Important:

- Submissions should clearly articulate the practice, its objectives, the role of technology, and the outcomes.
- Supporting materials (e.g., videos, testimonials, or data) are encouraged to demonstrate impact.
- Group submissions for the Individual Category should specify all contributors.
- Institutional submissions must be endorsed by the institution's leadership.



Venue

The Maldives National University

Rahdhebai Higun, Machangolhi Male' (20_03), Republic of Maldives

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