



# HIGH CALIBRE NOMINATIONS RECEIVED FOR THE ICT ACHIEVERS AWARDS 2016



The South African Communications Forum (SACF) announced today that the quality of nominations received by close of nominations was of a high quality and reflected the calibre of leaders and organisations in the Information and Communication Technology (ICT) sector.

This is in light of the upcoming ICT Achiever Awards taking place on 27 October 2016 in Sandton, Johannesburg.

The event will celebrate and honour outstanding achievements of individuals and companies in the ICT sector. Most notable among the nominations received were the submissions for ICT Innovator and the Lifetime Achievement Award. The online judging will commence in the coming week where finalists will be shortlisted.

Chief Executive Officer of the SACF, Loren Braithwaite had this to say: "I think the judges have a tough task ahead of them, but the process is in capable hands and we look forward to celebrating our winners in a month's time."

The theme for the inaugural awards is, "Celebrating Excellence, Innovation and Leadership."

SACF Chairperson, Lucky Masilela, expressed SACF's commitment to "seeing ICT achievers receive the recognition they deserve". He says "ICT impacts every aspect of our lives and the decision to host these awards speaks to the value we place on the potential of ICT to transform the economy."

High profile business leaders of the ICT industry and other businesses using ICT are expected to grace the occasion, alongside several senior government representatives.

For those interested to attend this prestigious event, individual seats and tables are available and can be booked via the awards website [www.ictachieversawards.org.za](http://www.ictachieversawards.org.za).

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