

## The Benchmark Security Awards recognise Australia's leading IT Security leaders

The Benchmark Security Awards powered by iTnews and techpartner.news is a conference and awards program celebrating leadership in cyber security from a cross section of Australian business, including end users and tech partners.

For the first time, these two leading technology publications are coming together, highlighting the efforts of security end users and partners, making this event bigger, better, and more impactful than ever. This is your chance to be part of something truly special—so don't miss the opportunity to enter!

**Partner entries:** Security partner organisations will be awarded for their efforts to protect end customers, their assets and data, transactions, enhance security, ensure business continuity or boost an organisation's ability to recover from a disaster.

For **End users entries**, please enter using the form on iTnews.

The 2025 Benchmark Security Awards will be presented at a Gala Dinner and conference on the 6th November at Doltone House, Hyde Park, Sydney.

In order to judge the winners in each category, we would like to find out some information on the work that you do.

Please can you answer the 10 questions below to the best of your ability so we can share with the judges

Benchmark Security Awards agenda

3.00 Registration  
3.30 Conference  
5.30 Networking Drinks  
6.30 Benchmark Security Awards  
10.00 Finish

There will be an opportunity to purchase additional tickets to the event nearer the time.

### When is the deadline for entries?

The deadline for entries is 15th August.

### The judging process

The awards will be judged by a select panel comprised of the iTnews and techpartner.news editorial team and guest judges. Event sponsors have no involvement in the judging process.

Please keep your answers to less than 300 words per question.

**The Benchmark Security Awards will be awarded in the following categories**

1. **Government**
2. **Industrial**
3. **Education**
4. **Healthcare**
5. **Finance**
6. **Energy**
7. **Retail**
8. **Telecommunications**
9. **NFP**
10. **Security Leader of the year**

**Questions?**

You can ask questions about the awards by emailing us [here](#).

iTnews and techpartner.news reserves the right to publish details of your award entry but will not publish information that you indicate is confidential.

**\* 1. Please enter your details below (details of the person nominated for the award)**

First Name	<input type="text"/>
Last Name	<input type="text"/>
Company	<input type="text"/>
Job Title	<input type="text"/>
Email	<input type="text"/>
Phone Number	<input type="text"/>
Dietary Requirements	<input type="text"/>

**\* 2. Please upload a headshot**

Choose a photo that you would like to see featured in any news story or video about your nomination. We accept .PNG, .JPG or .GIF. We prefer large professionally-taken shots in horizontal format, at 1400 x 900 or larger. File size limit: 16MB

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**3. Which category would you like to enter>**

- ☐ Government
- ☐ Healthcare
- ☐ Finance
- ☐ Retail
- ☐ NFP
- ☐ Telecommunications
- ☐ Industrial
- ☐ Education
- ☐ Energy

**4. Are you able to attend the Benchmark Security Awards on 6th November 2025 at Doltone House, Hyde Park? All finalists receive 2 complimentary tickets**

5. Name of Guest (if known, or we can register at at later date)

Name

Job Title

Company

Email

Phone

Dietary Requirements

\* 6. What are the core security challenges commonly faced by your customers in this sector, and how has your work addressed them?

\* 7. What tangible security and business outcomes have you achieved for customers in this sector?

\* 8. What types of complexity or constraints have you encountered in your customer engagements, and how did you overcome them?

\* 9. How have you ensured your solutions deliver strong value for money to customers in this sector?

\* 10. How have you managed customer relationships and stakeholder engagement to support successful security outcomes?

11. In what ways have you uplifted your customers' long-term security capability or maturity?

## **Conditions of entry**

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**Winners will be announced at a gala dinner and conference on the 6th November at Doltone House, Hyde Park, Sydney.**

**By registering, I have read and accept the privacy policy, terms and conditions, and event registration terms and by submitting my email address I agree to receive the iTnews and techpartner.news newsletter and receive special offers on behalf of iTnews and techpartner.news, nextmedia and its valued partners.**

**Thank you for your submission and best of luck!**

**Please select 'done' to submit your entry.**