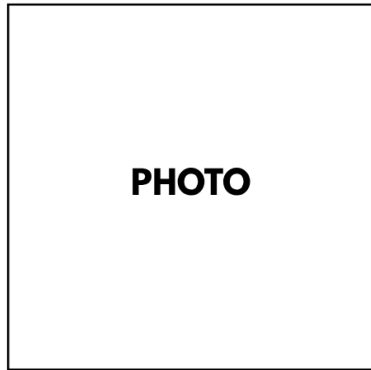




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Instruction:

Dear candidate,

Thank you for your interest in the **Strategic Industry-Academic Award**.

To ensure a seamless evaluation process, we would like you to compile your evidence of achievement using this template.

Please upload only **ONE (1)** completed template file in the nomination platform.

Your cooperation is much appreciated.

Thank you.

Secretariat

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ITEM EVIDENCE

SECTION A		
NO.	CRITERIA	EVIDENCE
1.	Strategic Partnership Strength Collaboration demonstrates strong alignment between academic expertise and industry needs, supported by clear objectives and shared outcomes.	
	A. Clear alignment between industry needs and academic expertise through formal collaboration (MoU, contract, structured partnership).	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formal Partnership Documentation: Evidence of formal collaboration such as MoU, MoA, contract, or official agreement demonstrating commitment between academic and industry partners. 2. Strategic Alignment Evidence: Joint strategic plan, project proposal, or documentation showing alignment between academic expertise and industry needs. 3. Industry Support & Endorsement: Letters of support, endorsement, or confirmation from industry partners demonstrating relevance and commitment to collaboration. 4. Partnership Structure & Governance Evidence: Documentation showing collaboration framework, governance structure, roles, and shared outcomes supporting sustainable partnership implementation. <p><i>*Or additional relevant documents demonstrating the stated criteria.</i></p>

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SECTION B		
NO.	CRITERIA	EVIDENCE
2	Impact on Industry Practice & Innovation Partnership produces measurable impact such as innovation, improved processes, new products, or industry transformation.	
	A. Collaboration produces tangible innovation or technological advancement.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Innovation Output Evidence: Evidence of tangible innovation outputs such as prototype, product, system, or technological solution developed through the collaboration. Industry Performance Improvement Evidence: Documentation showing improved industry productivity, efficiency, competitiveness, or operational performance resulting from the innovation. Impact Case Study & KPI Evidence: Case studies, benchmarking data, or KPI results demonstrating measurable impact or transformation in industry practice. Recognition & Industry Validation Evidence: Awards, certifications, recognitions, or testimonials from industry partners confirming the significance and value of the innovation. <p><i>*Or additional relevant documents demonstrating the stated criteria</i></p>
	B. Demonstrated improvement to industry performance, productivity, or competitiveness.	

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SECTION C		
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3	Impact on Teaching, Learning & Curriculum Collaboration enhances curriculum relevance, graduate employability, experiential learning, or work-integrated learning opportunities.	
	<p>A. Integration of industry input into curriculum design or programme development.</p> <p>B. Provides students with real-world exposure (internships, projects, industry mentoring).</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Curriculum Integration Evidence: Curriculum or programme documents showing integration of industry input in curriculum design, course structure, or programme development. Work-Integrated Learning Evidence: Evidence of experiential learning such as WIL, internships, industry projects, or structured real-world learning activities. Industry Collaboration in Student Development: Documentation of student involvement with industry including mentorship programmes, joint projects, or industry-supervised learning activities. Graduate Employability Evidence: Graduate employability data, tracer studies, or outcome reports demonstrating improved job readiness and career relevance. <p><i>*Or additional relevant documents demonstrating the stated criteria</i></p>

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SECTION D		
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4	Research, Commercialisation & Knowledge Transfer Partnership contributes to applied research, commercialization, intellectual property, or knowledge transfer benefiting both academia and industry.	
	A. Joint research outputs, patents, or commercialization initiatives. B. Effective transfer of knowledge, expertise, or technology between partners.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Joint Research Output Evidence: Evidence of joint publications, conference papers, research reports, or funded projects produced through academic–industry collaboration. Intellectual Property & Commercialisation Evidence: Documentation of patents, copyrights, intellectual property filings, licensing agreements, or commercialisation outcomes resulting from the collaboration. Knowledge Transfer Implementation Evidence: Evidence of technology transfer, innovation reports, joint development outputs, or applied research benefiting both academia and industry. Capacity Building & Knowledge Sharing Evidence: Documentation of joint seminars, workshops, training programmes, or professional activities demonstrating effective knowledge and expertise transfer between partners. <p><i>*Or additional relevant documents demonstrating the stated criteria</i></p>

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SECTION E		
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5	Sustainability & Scalability of Collaboration Collaboration demonstrates long-term sustainability, potential for scaling, and continuous value creation.	
	A. Partnership demonstrates long-term continuity and mutual commitment.	<p>1. Long-Term Partnership Continuity Evidence: Evidence of sustained collaboration such as renewal of MoU/MoA, long-term agreements, or multi-year partnership commitments.</p> <p>2. Expansion & Scaling Evidence: Documentation showing expansion of collaboration across faculties, institutions, industry partners, or regional/international networks.</p> <p>3. Strategic Development & Future Planning Evidence: Strategic roadmap, future collaboration plan, or development framework demonstrating long-term value creation and growth potential.</p> <p>4. Financial & Resource Sustainability Evidence: Evidence of sustained funding, shared resources, or investment support ensuring continuity and scalability of the collaboration.</p> <p><i>*Or additional relevant documents demonstrating the stated criteria</i></p>
	B. Potential for expansion to wider industry, community, or international networks.	

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SECTION F		
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6	<p>Societal, Economic or Community Impact Collaboration contributes to societal benefit such as workforce development, community empowerment, sustainability, or national development goals.</p>	<p>1. Community & Workforce Development Evidence: Documentation showing contribution to community engagement, workforce development, training, or upskilling initiatives benefiting society or industry.</p> <p>2. SDG / ESG / ESD Impact Evidence: Impact reports demonstrating alignment with sustainability goals such as SDG, ESG, ESD, or national development priorities.</p> <p>3. Policy, Advisory or Social Innovation Evidence: Evidence of contribution to policy development, advisory roles, or social innovation initiatives creating positive societal impact.</p> <p>4. Public Recognition & Outreach Evidence: Media coverage, public recognition, or stakeholder acknowledgement demonstrating broader social, economic, or community impact.</p> <p><i>*Or additional relevant documents demonstrating the stated criteria</i></p>



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SECTION E

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