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<u>Inaugural CIC Construction Digitalisation Award 2021 Presentation</u> <u>Ceremony Honours Outstanding Local Projects and Organisations</u>

Hong Kong - 1 November 2021 – The Construction Industry Council (CIC) today organised the inaugural CIC Construction Digitalisation Award 2021 (the Award) Presentation Ceremony to recognise outstanding local projects and local organisations for their achievements in digitalisation and innovation to improve construction productivity, quality, sustainability and safety.

The Award received 120 entries in its two categories, namely "Project" and "Organisation". There are six sub-categories under the "Organisation" category, including Client (Government, Public Clients and Developers), Consultant, Contractor Category A, Contractor Category B, Training / Research Institute and Start-up Company. 23 winning teams were selected through a stringent evaluation process. Winners were invited to share their success stories and invaluable experience earned from their digital transformation journey in the ceremony.

Speaking at the ceremony, Mr. CHAN Ka-kui, Chairman of the CIC said, "With the strong policy support of the Development Bureau to promote construction digitalisation, we have built a solid foundation and extensive infrastructure ready to promote BIM adoption and development in Hong Kong. The usage of digital technology in construction has now become more popular and effective. This Award is part of our efforts to promote digitalisation in Hong Kong's construction industry."

Ir Ricky LAU, Permanent Secretary for Development (Works) said, "Digitalisation is indeed the process of leveraging digital technology to improve business and outcomes, thereby playing an important role in 'Construction 2.0' strategy."

To further promote digitalisation in the Hong Kong construction industry, the CIC has been working with experts and key industry stakeholders to craft the Construction Digitalisation Roadmap. Ar. Donald CHOI, Chairperson of Task Force on Construction Digitalisation and



Organising Committee of the Award officially launched the Roadmap during the ceremony and introduced the identified six high-value digital application areas. The digital application areas, namely Smart Data Sharing, Smart Planning and Design, Smart Submission with BIM, Smart Offsite Fabrication and Delivery, Smart Site Management and Smart Asset and Facility Management, and strategies to support construction digitalisation.

Digitalisation stories of winners of the Award and more information about the Award are available on **cdaward.cic.hk**.

Lists of Winners:

Project Category	Award
Cross Bay Link, Tseung Kwan O - Main Bridge and Associated Works	Gold
InnoCell	Silver
North Lantau Hospital - Hong Kong Infection Control Centre	Bronze
CKR - Digitalisation Journey	Merit
Three-Runway System (3RS)	Merit

Organisation Category	Award
Client	
Electrical and Mechanical Services Department	Gold
Airport Authority Hong Kong	Silver
Corporate Intelligence of the Architectural Services Department	Bronze
Digitalisation Journey for Smart Drainage Services Delivery in Drainage	Bronze
Services Department	
Consultant	
Arup	Gold
Digital is Differentiator - AECOM	Silver
Rider Levett Bucknall Limited	Bronze



Contractor Category A		
Gammon Construction Limited	Gold	
Hip Hing Engineering Co., Ltd.	Silver	
China State Construction Engineering (Hong Kong) Limited	Bronze	
Contractor Category B		
ATAL Engineering Limited	Gold	
Start-up Company		
Varadise Limited	Gold	
RaSpect Intelligence Inspection Limited	Silver	
Llewellyn and Partners Company Limited	Bronze	
Training / Research Institute		
The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology	Gold	
iLab@HKU: The finest lab that catalyses construction digital	Silver	
transformation		
City University of Hong Kong (Department of Architecture and Civil	Bronze	
Engineering)		
Transcendence Company Limited	Bronze	





Mr. CHAN Ka-kui, Chairman of the CIC delivers welcome remarks at the ceremony



Ir Ricky LAU, Permanent Secretary for Development (Works) (6th right) poses for a photo with the project team of Cross Bay Link, Tseung Kwan O - Main Bridge and Associated Works, the Gold award winner of Project category





Group photo with members of the CIC Construction Digitalisation Award 2021 Organising Committee



Ar. Donald CHOI, Chairperson of Task Force on Construction Digitalisation and Organising Committee of the Award inroduces the details of the Construction Digitalisation Roadmap





Ir Albert CHENG, Executive Director of the CIC is pleased that the first CIC Construction Digitalisation Award received passionate response from the industry. It shows that there are many digitalisation pioneers in Hong Kong's construction industry who are keen to implemented advanced new technologies

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About the Construction Industry Council

The Construction Industry Council (CIC) was formed in 2007 under the Construction Industry Council Ordinance (Cap. 587). The CIC consists of a chairman and 24 members representing various sectors of the industry including employers, professionals, academics, contractors, workers, independent persons and Government officials.

The main functions of the CIC are to forge consensus on long-term strategic issues, convey the industry's needs and aspirations to the Government, provide professional training and registration services, and serve as a communication channel between the Government and the construction industry.

Please visit www.cic.hk for further details.

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