

Judges commend quality of entries

With this year's Excellence Awards drawing ever closer, the competition is hotting up and the high standard of entries has been praised by the judging panel. Meanwhile, tickets for the awards ceremony are selling fast

This year's Excellence Awards judging is well underway. The judges have been impressed with the variety of entries in many of the categories with those competing for the Marketing and E-Business Awards coming in for particular mention.

According to the judges, entries in these two categories demonstrated innovation from the different ends of the marketing spectrum, showing that creative flair is alive and well in the print sector.

The judges also commented on the significant amount of work and initiative that had gone into entries. Finally, entries in the Application of Digital Technology category showed that personalisation

technology has stepped up over the past year to include more dynamic applications.

What was also clear from the judging process was that companies are increasingly realising that they need to have a very diverse strategy across business if they want to succeed.

So just who did outshine their peers? Book your place at this year's Excellence Awards ceremony and find out. The celebrations will take place in the Ballroom at the London Hilton on Park Lane, London W1 on Monday 30 June, 2008. The dress code is black tie and admittance is by ticket only.

To book tickets for the ceremony, please click on the 'register to attend' button on

the Excellence Awards' website (www.bpifprintingworldawards.com). Using this page on the website you can purchase tickets and submit the names of guests. Please note the deadline for submitting your guest's names is 20 June.

David Felice is happy to answer any questions you have about the evening and can be contacted on 020 8267 4017 or david.felice@haymarket.com

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Company of the Year (fewer than 100 employees)

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Brogli Press
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Richard Edward

Training and Development Award (more than 100 employees)

To be announced on the night

Training and Development Award (fewer than 100 employees)

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Chesapeake Branded Packaging Jon Wilkinson
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