

Best brains of industry awarded

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Kolkata: Genius Consultants Ltd, in association with The Times of India, on Friday organized the Human Resource Excellence Award to recognize the efforts of HR community. The initiative was aimed at honouring companies and institutions for their training initiatives, employment engagement practices, innovative retention strategies, recruitment policies and leadership in the field of human resource development.

The awards were given to firms in two categories — one to companies with a turnover of Rs 100-1,000 crore and the other those with a turnover of over Rs 1,000 crore. The Lifetime Achievement award was awarded to Sujit Sen, the former vice-chairman of Bengal Chamber of Commerce & Industry.

In the first group for companies, Anthroplace Consulting Pvt Ltd bagged the best recruitment consulting firm award. Globsyn Business School was recognized as the best B-school for providing



Genius Consultants CMD R P Yadav hands over the HR excellence award to Gaurav Barik, who received it on behalf of Emami Ltd

specialization in human resources. The company with best training HR initiatives went to SKS Microfinance Ltd. Univercell Communications walked away with the award for its employment engagement practices. Tata Metaliks Kuboto Pipes Ltd was adjudged the best company for innovation and recruitment. The best innovative retention strategy award went to Inspectorate Griffith India Pvt Ltd.

In this group, Avik Chatterjee of Tata Metaliks Kuboto Pipes won the most number of awards. He was adjudged the outstanding HR professional of the year and the most innovative HR manager. Chatterjee also won the HR leadership award. Partha Pratim Chatterjee of Inspectorate Griffith Pvt Ltd was recognized as the most popular HR manager while Manjula Rao of Brainbees Solutions won the award for being the

most talented recruiter.

In the other category, TIL Ltd received the award for the best HR practice. Coromandel International Ltd was recognized as the company that had the best HR training initiatives. Glaxosmithkline Consumer Healthcare Ltd was awarded for being the best in employee engagement practices as well as for innovative retention strategy. Emami Ltd won the award for excellence in HR through adoption of technology. MSP Steel & Power Ltd was adjudged the best for innovative talent management and succession planning.

In the same group, Mathan Raj of Glaxosmithkline Consumer Healthcare Ltd was deemed the most innovative and most popular HR manager. Niranjan Dutta of Family Credit Ltd bagged the most talented recruiter award. The most outstanding HR leader award went to R Durgaprasad of Nagarjuna Fertilizers & Chemicals Ltd. N Krishnamohan of Emami Ltd was adjudged the best CEO with HR orientation.

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