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# Awards Rules

Casa Asia, an institution of public diplomacy made up by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, European Union and Cooperation of Spain, the Generalitat of Catalonia and the City Councils of Barcelona and Madrid, was founded in 2001 with the aim of promoting knowledge, dialogue and relations between the Asia-Pacific region and Spain, mainly among their respective civil societies.

To this end, it set up the Casa Asia Award in 2004. The aim of this initiative was to acknowledge and disseminate the work of individuals and organizations, both public and private, that excelled in their respective fields of activity in Asia-Pacific or in the promotion of the relations of Spain with countries of the Asia-Pacific region.

**Casa Asia announces the Casa Asia Awards 2021 according to the following**

## RULES

1. The awards are granted annually and given to those individuals and organizations, both public and private, that have excelled in the economic, social, educational, cultural or cooperation for development fields, promoting dignity and human rights in the Asia-Pacific region, and/or have contributed to promoting knowledge, dialogue and relations between Spain and the Asia-Pacific region. The Awards will be granted in the following four categories:

- Economy and Business
- Education and Science
- Culture and Society
- Diversity and Sustainable development

2. Any person or entity may submit nominations for the awards in each of the four categories. All nominations should be presented by highlighting the merits of the person or organization proposed as candidate in a form that can be downloaded from Casa Asia's website ([www.casaasia.es](http://www.casaasia.es)). Self-nominations, including nominations presented from an organization or by members of an organization the nominee belongs to, will not be considered.

3. Candidates may be individuals or organizations, preferably from Spain or from a country of the Asia-Pacific region.

4. The award will consist of a commemorative engraving of a prestigious artist and the amount of 1,500 Euros per category, which will be given to the awardees at the Casa Asia Awards ceremony. Casa Asia will also organize parallel activities with the aim of promoting the work and merits of the winners.

5. The jury will be made up of the Director General of Casa Asia, as a Chairman, and eight experts in the areas selected for the awards (two experts for each category). In the categories corresponding to their respective areas, the following representatives of Casa Asia's staff will act as Secretaries of the Jury: the Director of Economy and Business, for the category of Economy and Business; the Director of Politics, Society and Education, for the category of Education and Science; the Director of Culture and Exhibitions, for the category of Culture and Society; and the Head of the area of Diversity and Interculturality, for the category of Diversity and Sustainable Development. The jury's deliberations are secret. Its members will act with fairness. Votes may not be delegated but may also be cast online the day before the jury's meeting, in which case they should be submitted via email to the Chairman. The Secretaries of the jury will only vote in their respective categories. The awards will be given in a single vote and by a simple majority of the votes cast. In the event of a tie, the Chairman of the Jury shall have the casting vote.

6. The deadline for submission of nominations is November 30th, 2020.

7. Participation in the Awards entails the acceptance of these rules and the privacy policy of Casa Asia ([www.casaasia.es/politica-de-privacidad/](http://www.casaasia.es/politica-de-privacidad/)).

8. The forms for the reception of candidatures should be sent by e-mail to the following address: [premioscasaasia@casaasia.es](mailto:premioscasaasia@casaasia.es).

9. The Casa Asia Awards will be given at an event organized 'ad hoc' by Casa Asia in 2021.