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ABOUT US

The **Digital India Programme** is a flagship programme of the Government of India with a vision to transform India into a digitally empowered society & knowledge economy. To realise this vision, it is imperative that the focus be sharpened on the use of innovative digital initiatives to not only enable governance & services on demand, but also to empower citizens.

Indian government entities at all levels - Centre, State & local bodies - continue undertaking various initiatives to fulfil the Digital India vision. Due recognition should be accorded to such digital initiatives along with the teams that help build & implement them.

Digital India Awards (<https://digitalindiaawards.india.gov.in>) presents an opportunity to encourage and honour innovative digital initiatives by government entities at all levels. DIA 2022 aims to inspire and motivate not only **government entities** but also **startups** in fulfilling the Digital India vision. The nominations for the awards can be submitted online on the **National Awards Portal** (<https://awards.gov.in>).

Digital India Awards are instituted under the aegis of **National Portal of India** (<https://india.gov.in>) which provides single-window access to information & services being offered by entities of the Indian government at all levels. The National Portal has been designed and developed by National Informatics Centre (NIC), Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India as a mission mode project.

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The graphic features a central gold medal with the text "DIGITAL INDIA 2022 Awards Categories" in purple. The medal is surrounded by vibrant, flowing ribbons in shades of pink, orange, and blue. Below the medal, several gold stars of varying sizes are scattered across a dark blue background with a subtle geometric pattern.

DIGITAL INDIA 2022 Awards Categories

Digital Initiatives at Grassroots Level

Recognizing initiatives that use Digital Technology e.g., AI, Blockchain, Drones, IoT, ML, GIS, etc. in domains like agriculture, health, education, employment, labour, skilling etc. at the level of Panchayats, Local Bodies, Sub-Districts. Nominations to be authorized by the District Collector.

Local Bodies can apply.

Digital Empowerment of Citizens

Universally accessible, anytime anywhere access to Digital resources and promoting collaboration in participative governance and digital literacy leading to enhanced ease of living.

All Govt entities can apply.

Digital Initiatives for Ease of Doing Business

Digital initiatives creating significant impact by reducing the time, costs and efforts in setting up, conducting and operating business activities viz., single window clearance system, etc.

All Govt entities can apply.

Public Digital Platforms – Central Ministries, Departments and States

Excellence in design and implementation of a Public Digital Platform with a wide scale coverage and having high impact in the society (evaluation criteria may carry extra weightage for initiatives by North Eastern States). Nominations would be evaluated to select two awardees each for central and state level.

Govt entities - Central Ministries/Departments & States can apply.

Data Sharing and Use for Socio Economic Development

Sharing of Government Data by Ministries/ Departments/ Organizations, States, Smart Cities and ULBs to a central repository to create a vibrant data ecosystem in the country for analysis, decision making, innovation, services, economic development and public good (The category would encompass data sharing initiatives beyond Open Data and extra weightage would be given to those publishing datasets on data.gov.in).

All Govt entities can apply.

Digital Initiatives in Collaboration with Startups

Excellence by Government Entities in collaboration with Startups (as recognized by DPIIT) for enhancement and/or transformation of digital governance, improving the experience of digital services and digital empowerment of citizens i.e., fulfilling Digital India Vision.

Govt entities who have collaboration with Startups can apply.

Best Web & Mobile Initiatives Complying with GIGW & Accessibility Guidelines

Web & Mobile initiatives ensuring universal accessibility along with rich content and barrier-free access on any device.

All Govt entities can apply.