



# Call For Entries

## ***World's Best Financial Innovation Labs 2020***

***Entry Deadline: March 31***

In the June 2020 issue, *Global Finance* will present The Innovators 2020, the publication's seventh annual awards program recognizing entities that regularly identify new paths and design new tools in finance.

**As part of this effort, *Global Finance* magazine will identify and list the World's Best Financial Innovation Labs.**

Sometimes also called innovation hubs or centers, they take many forms. They can be hosted or sponsored by public agencies, consultants and private corporations. They typically offer education, facilities and networking opportunities.

This year, there will be a new awards category to specifically honor innovation labs run by consultants.

To submit an entry, please provide the following information where applicable. *Global Finance* will consider activities from January 2019 to the present:

- Name/contact info
- Name or host/sponsor & location of innovation center
- Please provide details on the inspiration for the entry, for example:
  - *What is the primary focus of the lab?*
  - *Does the lab provide financing or access to financing?*
  - *What noteworthy developments have emerged from the lab since January 2019?*
  - *Does the lab offer mentoring opportunities?*
  - *Does the lab offer networking opportunities?*
- Please provide concrete measures of success, such as: revenue generated by the Innovation Lab, the number of companies served by the lab, any patents that have been awarded for innovations nurtured in the lab, etc.
- Client testimonials are welcome

The 2020 Innovators Award winners will be honored at an awards dinner in November. Middle East and Africa Innovators will be honored at the *Global Finance* Middle East Digital Banks & Innovators Awards on September 21 at the Ritz-Carlton DIFC in Dubai.

To see coverage of Best Financial Innovation Labs 2019, please go to:  
<https://www.gfmag.com/magazine/june-2019/innovators-2019-innovation-centers>

**Submissions should be made no later than March 31, 2020 and sent to:  
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