

Press Release



Global Finance Names The Stars Of China 2017

NEW YORK, September 8, 2017 — *Global Finance* is proud to present the winners of the 10th annual Stars of China Awards, honoring the best Chinese financial institutions.

The Stars of China Awards are the preeminent evaluation of financial institutions in China by international media, and they recognize the strongest and most innovative financial leaders in China.

A full list of the winners appears on the following pages and will be published in the November issue. The Stars of China special report will include *Global Finance's* exclusive ranking of the Safest Banks in China. It will also include an in-depth look at the success stories behind the winners and their various approaches to excellence in the unique environment of the People's Republic. All winners will be recognized at an awards ceremony in Beijing on November 21st.

"China is a challenging country for foreign investors, who need local insight and guidance to navigate the country's complex and rapidly changing markets. Our Stars of China designation indicates a high level of sophistication and client care," said Joseph D. Giarraputo, Publisher and Editorial Director of *Global Finance*.

Please see the following pages for the full list of winners.

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AWARDS CEREMONY

Global Finance's will honor the Stars of China 2017 at an awards ceremony in Beijing on 21 November at the Pan Pacific Hotel. For more information on the event please contact: Richard Scholtz, email: richard@gfinance.co.uk



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2017 Winners

Best International Bank	Bank of China
Best Corporate Bank	ICBC
Best Consumer Bank	DBS
Best City Commercial Bank	Harbin Bank
Best SME Bank	Postal Savings Bank
Best Bank Transformation	China Construction Bank
Most Innovative Bank	China Zheshang Bank
Innovation in Fintech	Neo Financial
Innovation in Payments	AsiaPay
Best Bank for Transaction Services	Guangfa Bank
Best Bank For Cross-Border Trade Settlement	DBS
Best Bank for RMB Services	Standard Chartered
Best M&A Bank	Bank of China
Best Bank for Precious Metals	Ping An
Best Bank for Commodities	Standard Chartered
Best Bank for Renewable Energy	ICBC
Best Bank for Asian Syndicated Lending	Harbin Bank
Best Asset Manager	ICBC
Best Private Bank	China Merchants Bank
Best Private Bank for Millennials	ICBC
Best Bank For Intergenerational Wealth Management	China Merchants Bank
Best Bank for Corporate Social Responsibility	Standard Chartered
Best eCommerce Provider	Tencent (Tenpay)
Best OBOR Initiative - Domestic	China Merchants Bank
Best OBOR Initiative - Foreign	Standard Chartered