

## The EFQM Global Excellence Award 2018

This year eight high performing organisations were nominated in the 2018 EFQM Global Excellence Award Programme. They received value-adding strategic feedback from assessors coming from a diverse range of organisations, from private and public sectors, from SMEs to global multi-nationals, from both industrial and service sectors.

We are glad to announce that the Jury of the EFQM Global Excellence Award decided this year to give the highest recognition, the EFQM Excellence Award to **Infineon Technologies Austria AG**.

In addition, seven organisations were recognised as Prize Winners and Highly Commended for their outstanding performance.

- **Dubai Police** – United Arab Emirates – Prize Winner in Succeeding through the Talent of People & Sustaining Outstanding Results
- **Sakarya University** – Turkey – Prize Winner in Adding Value for Customers & Developing through the Talent of People
- **VAMED-KMB** – Austria – Prize Winner in Harnessing Creativity and Innovation & Succeeding through the Talent of People
- **Tarsus Municipality** – Turkey – Prize Winner in Leading with Vision, Inspiration & Integrity
- **HLA Hospital Universitario Moncloa** – Highly Commended in Adding Value for Customers
- **Mini Assembly, Plant Oxford** – United Kingdom – Highly Commended in Achieving Sustainable Results
- **Yangtze optical fibre and cable joint stock limited company (YOFC)** – China – Highly Commended in Adding Value for Customers

**Congratulations to everyone!**

[Pictures are available here!](#)

### About the EFQM Excellence Award

The objective of the EFQM Excellence Awards is to recognise Role Model organisations in Europe and beyond, whether private, public or non-for-profit. These are excellent organisations with an indisputable track record of success in turning strategy into actions and continuously improving their performance. The EFQM Excellence Awards are supported by the most challenging assessment process. All applicants are assessed by a team of independent experts who spend an average of 500 hours per applicant.

### About EFQM

EFQM is a not for profit membership foundation with 25 years' experience of supporting organisations, from Europe and beyond, reach sustainable Excellence and even exceed it. With its carefully designed portfolio of services and a network strong of 30.000 organisations from all sectors, size and maturity, EFQM is recognised by institutions and acknowledged by leaders as a key partner to success.

EFQM is also the custodian of the EFQM Excellence Model, a non-prescriptive framework created by a team of experts from industry and academia that can be used to gain a holistic view of any organisation, regardless of size, sector or maturity. Since its inception, the EFQM Excellence Model has been a blueprint for EFQM members and organisations across and beyond Europe to develop a culture of excellence, drive innovation, and improve results.

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