#### 2018 Stevie Awards for Women in Business Winner Finalist Press Release Template

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**[ORGANIZATION OR INDIVIDUAL NAME] WINS [LEVEL] STEVIE® AWARD IN 2018 STEVIE AWARDS FOR WOMEN IN BUSINESS**

## Women Around the World Recognized at Event in New York City

[CITY, STATE] – November 17, 2018 – [ORGANIZATION NAME] has been named the winner of a [LEVEL] Stevie® Award in the [CATEGORY NAME] category in the 15th annual Stevie Awards for Women in Business.

The Stevie Awards for Women in Business honor women executives, entrepreneurs, employees, and the companies they run– worldwide. The Stevie Awards have been hailed as the world’s premier business awards.

Nicknamed the Steviesfor the Greek word for “crowned,” the awards were presented to winners last night during a dinner event attended by more than 550 people at the Sheraton New York Times Square Hotel in New York City. The event was broadcast via Livestream.

More than 1,500 entries were submitted this year for consideration in more than 90 categories, including Executive of the Year, Entrepreneur of the Year, Company of the Year, Startup of the Year, Women Helping Women, and Women Run Workplace of the Year. [ORGANIZATION NAME] won in the [CATEGORY NAME] category for [INDUSTRY AND/OR SIZE OF COMPANY].

[PARAGRAPH ABOUT THE WINNING NOMINATION(S) AND THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS, INCLUDING A QUOTE FROM AN EXECUTIVE WITHIN YOUR ORGANIZATION CONGRATULATING THOSE NOMINATED.]

Gold, Silver and Bronze Stevie Award winners were determined by the average scores of [more than 200 business professionals](https://stevieawards.com/women/judges) around the world, working on six juries.

This year’s Stevie Awards for Women in Business was complemented by a new one-day educational and networking event called the [Women|Future Conference](http://www.WomenFutureConference.com), also at the Sheraton New York Times Square Hotel on November 16.

“In its 15th year, the Stevie Awards for Women in Business received a record number of nominations. With the new Women|Future Conference preceding the announcement of winners on November 16, it was a day to celebrate the achievements of working women around the world,” said Michael Gallagher, founder and president of the Stevie Awards. “We congratulate all of this year’s Grand, Gold, Silver and Bronze Stevie Award winners for their achievements.”

Details about the Stevie Awards for Women in Business and the list of Finalists in all categories are available at [www.StevieAwards.com/Women](http://www.StevieAwards.com/Women).

**About [ORGANIZATION NAME]**

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**About the Stevie Awards**Stevie Awards are conferred in seven programs: the Asia-Pacific Stevie Awards, the German Stevie Awards, The American Business Awards®, The International Business Awards®, the Stevie Awards for Great Employers, the Stevie Awards for Women in Business and the Stevie Awards for Sales & Customer Service. Stevie Awards competitions receive more than 10,000 entries each year from organizations in more than 70 nations. Honoring organizations of all types and sizes and the people behind them, the Stevies recognize outstanding performances in the workplace worldwide. Learn more about the Stevie Awards at [http://www.StevieAwards.com](http://www.stevieawards.com).

HCL Technologies sponsored the Red Ladder Women in Technology Awards in the 2018 Stevie Awards for Women in Business.

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