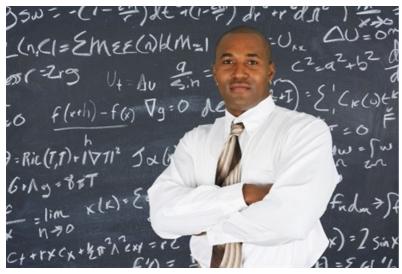


# African EduWeek Awards finalists

The finalists in the inaugural African EduWeek Awards have been announced, showcasing the most innovative and life-changing projects, organisations, companies, teachers and education professionals who have been responsible for pioneering new frontiers, pushing boundaries, for inspiring others and for achieving growth in education in Africa.



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The African EduWeek Awards categories vary from supplier of the year in basic and high education to Community and NGO of the Year and the winners will be announced on Wednesday evening, 1 July 2015 at Gallagher Convention Centre in Johannesburg. The winners in the Stars in Education Teachers Awards and Future Stars Awards, organised by Argo, will also be honoured during this evening.

#### The finalists in the African EduWeek Awards are:

# Supplier of the Year 2015, Basic Education:

- Edit Microsystems
- Margie Ogilvy Promotions
- One on One Community Based Programmes
- Palanga Publishing
- Think Ahead

# Supplier of the Year 2015, Higher Education:

- CCDSA
- GetSmarter
- TSiBA Education NPC
- Via Afrika

# Supplier of the Year 2015, Early Childhood Development:

- Clamber Club
- Prima Interactive
- MIB Technology
- · Tools for School

### Supplier of the Year 2015, Special Needs:

- · Edit Microsystems
- MIB Technology
- · Sensory Solutions
- X-Stream Balance

### Supplier of the Year 2015, ICT:

- · Edit Microsystems
- GetSmarter
- Siyafunda Community Technology Centre
- Think Ahead

## Supplier of the Year 2015, Innovation Product Award:

- Molteno Institute for Language and Literacy
- Snapplify
- The Reach Trust with the Department of Basic Education and UNICEF
- Vastratech (Smart Amp)
- Vastratech (Smart IFP)

#### **Environment Award 2015:**

- Collect-a-Can
- Pick n Pay School Club
- Samsung's Solar Powered Internet Schools
- St Stithians College

# **Community Award 2015:**

- CAD4ALL Architectural & Draughting College
- iSchool Press Team Programme
- Siyafunda Community Technology Centre
- SpellAfrica Initiative

#### NGO of the Year 2015:

- · Kagiso Shanduka Trust
- Knysna Education Trust
- Siyafunda Community Technology Centre
- TSiBA Education NPC

### Stars in Education finalists, in association with Argo:

- Kritisha Rajcoomar, HOD, Woodview Primary School, KwaZulu-Natal
- · Lesiba Kwenaite, Teacher, Pirwana Secondary School, Limpopo
- · Selloane Mphafudi, Laerskool Westerlig, Gauteng

### Future Stars Awards finalists, in association with Argo:

Karabo Maloka, Student, University of Pretoria

- Mapule Mofokeng, Student, CTI Randburg Campus
- Montsheng Tryphosa Makhalemele, Student, TUT

The judging panel that chose the finalists and winners from 130 entries comprises leading experts in the education sector, including teachers, NGOs, suppliers and consultants, including:

- Ariellah Rosenburg, CEO, ORT
- Marius Ehrenreich, President of South African Principals' Association / Groote Schuur High School
- Graham Brown-Martin, Founder, Learning Without Frontiers African EduWeek E-Tech Africa keynote speaker
- Sharon Rowe, Principal, Foot Prints Special Needs School
- · Jaye Richards Hill, Managing Director, Tablet Academy Africa

Broadcast stalwart and CliffCentral.com founder Gareth Cliff will host the awards ceremony which forms part of the 9th annual SABC Education African EduWeek, which is expected to gather more than 3500 teaching professionals and more than 120 local and international exhibitors at the Gallagher Convention Centre from 1-2 July.

#### EduWeek exhibition

The 9th annual SABC Education African EduWeek is widely regarded as the premier, all-encompassing education event on the African continent. It is taking place from 1-2 July in the Gallagher Convention Centre with more free-to-attend educational training and development for teachers, a futuristic look at teaching and dozens of suppliers with the latest classroom technology and services.

Enter a world of educational knowledge at African EduWeek and view the latest products and services for the education sector in areas that include basic education, IT, higher education, publishing, inclusive education, science and maths, safety and security, sustainability and energy efficiency and school supplies and stationery.

African EduWeek is organised by Spintelligent, Cape Town-based trade exhibition and conference organiser, and the African office of Clarion Events Ltd, based in the UK.

#### **Event details:**

SABC Education African EduWeek: 1-2 July 2015 EduTheatres and workshop programme: 1-2 July 2015

Exhibition: 1-2 July 2015 E-Tech Africa: 1-2 July 2015

African EduWeek Industry Awards: 1 July

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