



**HKT SMART LIVING**  
AWARDS 2017

# Spotlight on Smart Interiors

The first awards in Hong Kong to seamlessly blend Smart Living with Interior Design



*(Front row from left)* Steve Leung, Founder of Steve Leung Designers Ltd; Ringo Ng, Managing Director of HKT's Consumer Group; Alex Arena, Group Managing Director of HKT; James Law, Chairman & CEO & Chief Cybertect of James Law Cybertecture; and Antony Chan, Creative Director of CREAM, as well as nine outstanding winning designers (back row), at the HKT Smart Living Awards 2017 presentation ceremony

HKT is Hong Kong's premier telecommunications service provider and a leading operator in fixed-line, broadband, mobile communications and many other services.

One such division is HKT Smart Living, which seeks to make everyday home life more convenient, efficient and enjoyable through innovative application of the latest technologies.

The recently-launched HKT Smart Living Awards – the first of its kind in Hong Kong – was established to recognize and reward interior designers who integrate smart living concepts into their residential projects.

The four-week enrollment period drew a near overwhelming response from some 75 applicants, who competed for 11 awards in

four categories. These included the HKT Smart Living Design Award, Best Application of Smart Living Concept Award, Best Interior Design Concept Award and the Most Popular Smart Living Design Award.

Entries were judged by members of the public, plus industry leaders such as James Law, Chairman & CEO & Chief Cybertect of James Law Cybertecture; along with Steve Leung, Founder of Steve Leung Designers Ltd, Antony Chan, Creative Director of CREAM and Ringo Ng, Managing Director of HKT's Consumer Group. Held at Porterhouse by Laris at California Tower in Central, the Awards recognized nine local interior designers who have made outstanding achievements in incorporating smart living technologies into residential projects.



Nine outstanding winners of the HKT Smart Living Awards 2017



Virtual Reality (VR360) home automation experience



11 awards were presented in HKT Smart Living Awards 2017



Senior managements of HKT presented the souvenirs to the judges



**Gold Award**

Anson Cheng,  
Anson Cheng  
Interior Design Ltd



Marina Cove



**Silver Award / Best Application of Smart Living Concept Award**

Rowena Gonzales,  
Liquid Interiors Ltd



Grand Austin



**Bronze Award**

Alain Wong,  
COMODO Interior & Furniture Design Co Ltd



Greenville Gardens



**Best Interior Design Concept Award / Merit Award**

Kenji Wong,  
TaDe Design Group Ltd



The Masterpiece



**Merit Award**

Andy Choi,  
OneStep Design Studio Ltd



Serene Villa



**Merit Award**

Andy Wan,  
Pure AW's Designers Ltd



The Astrid



**Merit Award**

Gary Man,  
Fancy Design



Marinella



**Merit Award**

Regina Kwok,  
Artwill Interior Design House



Arezzo



**Most Popular Smart Living Design Award**

Alex Choi,  
3 Design Interiors



Casa Marina



**James Law, Chairman & CEO & Chief Cyberect of James Law Cyberecture**

Architects and interior designers are now passionate about learning how to integrate technology into a home design and build a space. Smart technology is a new material today to make your home design becomes smart and intelligent as "Smart Living" can shape people's lives and build a quality of living.



**Steve Leung, Founder of Steve Leung Designers Ltd**

We are fortunate that people are now in a generation of technology and smart living has become a key element for today's home design. Technology builds a quality living for people and we should make good use of it to create a better living environment.

**Antony Chan, Creative Director of CREAM**

Technology transforms our design. We are now in a new year of living with all Internet of Things "IoT" and also within a new century of industry revolution. Designers have to know how to apply smart technology into our home designs in a subconscious way. Technology is people oriented that can feel what we feel. This is an artificial intention to control what's behind the computer.



**Ringo Ng, Managing Director of HKT's Consumer Group**

Through the Awards, we look forward to joining forces with interior design specialists to introduce smart living elements into every household. In our next step, we will extend the Awards to interior design students, with an aim of unleashing their potential while educating the young talents in smart home design concepts.



For more details of the HKT Smart Living Awards 2017, please visit <http://smartliving.hkt.com/eng/awards>

