

## Frequently asked questions



### How do I enter?

Please enter via our entry platform: [gfta.awardsplatform.com](https://gfta.awardsplatform.com).

### How much does it cost to enter the Awards?

It is free to submit an entry to the Gartner Finance Awards.

### I am a vendor or consultant; can I submit on my client's behalf?

We do not accept entries from vendors or consultants promoting their products or consultancies that have delivered consultancy engagements in finance operations for clients. Please encourage your client to enter directly. Please email us if you are unsure whether you fall into this category.

### Is there a specific time frame for when the project should have been completed?

There is no specific time frame for when a project should have been completed; however, our entry criteria specifically ask for evidence of the impact on business objectives. If the initiative is relatively new, you may not be able to provide this.

### I am not a Gartner client; can I still enter?

Yes, we welcome any submission from any finance professional and/or team across the globe, provided that you are not a technology vendor or consultant.

### What is considered a strong entry?

We suggest that you review our category guide for the entry criteria. We are looking for innovative finance work with a strong, measurable impact on business objectives.



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June 30, 2026

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## What categories do you have for this year?

Please look at our [Category Guide](#), which you will find under “Helpful Resources” on our website. We anticipate that there is a category for every team. This year, there are four categories:

- 1 AI-Ready Data Breakthrough of the Year
- 2 Finance AI Capability of the Year
- 3 AI-Ready People Breakthrough of the Year
- 4 Enterprise AI Breakthrough of the Year



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## Can I submit multiple entries?

Yes, absolutely!

- If submitting the same program to multiple categories, please adapt your entry to meet the entry criteria for each category.
- If multiple entries are submitted into one category, please differentiate the submissions by using different entry names.
- We also welcome different entries in different categories.

## What do I need to gather before submitting my entry?

Please access useful resources on our website under “[Helpful Resources](#).” We have built these documents for your use and to optimize your ability to submit a compelling entry.

## Who judges the entries?

All applications are judged by three independent Gartner subject matter experts.

## What are the benefits of entering the Awards?

- Showcase your finance leadership practices.
- Attract top finance talent to your organization.
- Advance the finance profession.