

IFSEC India Awards 2026
Application Form: Woman Security Leader of the Year

AWARD CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION
Woman Security Leader of the Year	Recognises a woman security leader with at least five years of industry experience who has demonstrated attributable leadership and impact in security, resilience, governance or risk management during the eligibility period.
ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA	
1. The nominee must be a woman security leader with at least five years of industry experience as of 31 March 2026. 2. The nominee must have completed at least one year with the organisation being represented in the nomination as of 31 March 2026. 3. The nomination must demonstrate the nominee's relevant contributions, achievements or initiatives delivered during the eligibility period from 1 April 2024 to 31 March 2026. 4. Strategies or initiatives commenced earlier may be included where the nomination demonstrates relevant implementation activity or measurable impact during the eligibility period.	

IMPORTANT RULES FOR PARTICIPATION
1. All mandatory fields and questions must be completed. Responses should be relevant to the category and supported by evidence where applicable. 2. Please indicate "Not Applicable" only for non-evaluation fields that do not apply. 3. Information presented for evaluation must relate to the nominee's contribution within the organisation being represented and during the eligibility period, unless expressly stated otherwise. 4. The final eligibility of the nomination is subject to the Terms and Conditions.

APPLICANT INFORMATION (FOR CORRESPONDENCE) *			
Name of Applicant/Primary Contact for Correspondence <i>(should be the authorized signatory)</i>		Designation	
Mobile Number		Email ID	

INDIVIDUAL GENERAL INFORMATION*

Name of the nominee (same will appear on the trophy)	
Name of the Organisation	○
Designation	
Current Role Start Date	(DD/MM/YYYY)
Date of Joining the Organisation Being Represented	(DD/MM/YYYY)
Company Address	
Company Website	
Contact Details	Telephone: Email:
Qualification	
Total Years of Experience in the Industry (as on 31 March 2026)	
Total Years of Experience in Current Organisation (as on 31 March 2026)	
Primary Areas of Responsibility <i>Select all that apply.</i>	☐ Physical security ☐ Enterprise security ☐ Security operations ☐ Security risk management ☐ Crisis or incident management ☐ Business continuity and resilience ☐ Investigations ☐ Fire and life safety ☐ Security technology

	☐ Governance and compliance ☐ Training and capability development ☐ Other, please specify: _____
Professional Profile / LinkedIn URL	

CASE STUDY:

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN MAXIMUM 150 WORDS*

(RESPONSES SHOULD FOCUS ON THE NOMINEE'S PERSONAL LEADERSHIP, CONTRIBUTIONS AND IMPACT DURING THE ELIGIBILITY PERIOD FROM 1 APRIL 2024 TO 31 MARCH 2026.

APPLICANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO SUPPORT RESPONSES WITH SPECIFIC EXAMPLES, OUTCOMES ACHIEVED AND RELEVANT EVIDENCE THAT ACCURATELY REFLECT THE NOMINEE'S ROLE AND ACHIEVEMENTS)

1. Describe the most significant security, resilience, governance or risk-management priority addressed by the nominee during the eligibility period. Explain the organisational need, the nominee's personal role in setting the direction, and the decisions or responsibilities directly attributable to her.

2. Explain how the nominee translated the direction into action. Describe the principal actions taken, resources or priorities managed, implementation challenges addressed, stakeholder engagement, and relevant improvements in governance, accountability, collaboration, team capability, mentoring or knowledge-sharing.

3. Describe the organisational outcomes attributable to the nominee's contribution during the eligibility period. Provide relevant evidence relating to security, resilience, governance, risk management, team capability or decision-making, and explain how the nominee's contribution and the reported outcomes were validated.

Please upload supporting documents relevant to the nomination. Each document should not exceed five pages or 5 MB. Only relevant extracts should be submitted.			
S No.	Document Name	Description of document	Attachment
1	Individual Profile (CV / Profile highlighting career achievements) *		Upload file
2	Evidence Supporting the Nominee's Leadership Contributions and Attributable Outcomes During the Eligibility Period*		Upload file
3	Awards / Citations / Accolades (if any)		Upload file
4	Any Other Supporting Document (if any)		Upload file

DECLARATION BY THE APPLICANT*	
☐ I declare that the information provided in this application is correct and accurate, relates to the nominee and organisation represented in the nomination, and has been submitted with the necessary authorisation. I agree to abide by the applicable rules, terms and conditions of participation.	
Name	
Designation	
Organisation	
Date	

