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# Trade and Supply Chain Finance Awards 2025

*Call for Entries*

**Entry Deadline Extended To November 6**



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**In February 2025, Global Finance will publish its annual selections for the World's Best Trade Finance and Supply Chain Finance Providers.**

Trade Finance and Supply Chain Finance are leveraging digital technologies to boost efficiency and transparency amid global disruptions. Meanwhile, Artificial Intelligence is beginning to play a role in these sectors by enabling predictive analytics, optimizing inventory management, and improving risk assessment through real-time data analysis.

Global Finance will name the best trade finance providers in nearly 100 countries, territories and districts, eight global regions and eight regions of the US. The editors will select the best bank for trade finance globally, and the best banks in various service categories, such as document management and export finance.

The Supply Chain Finance Awards will include winners in eight global regions, as well as global winners for the world's best supply chain finance providers (bank and non-bank), best customer implementation and best dynamic discounting solution.

Global Finance's industry awards, rankings and recognition programs are the trusted standard of excellence for the financial industry and are backed by a 38-year history of editorial accuracy and integrity. Global Finance's corporate and financial audience relies on them because they are credible, reliable and have stood the test of time.

The reach and impact of Global Finance's Awards extends far beyond its readership and the banking and financial sector. These awards are amplified locally, regionally and globally through social media efforts, traditional media coverage and the marketing and promotion campaigns of winning organizations.

Global Finance will honor winning organizations at an awards ceremony and lunch during the BAFT Europe Bank-To-Bank Forum in Amsterdam on March 12.



Gunther Blum (center right), Vice President at BNY Mellon, celebrates being named the World's Best Trade Finance Bank with the team from BNY Mellon at Global Finance's Best Trade Finance and Supply Chain Finance Awards lunch at the BAFT Europe Bank To Bank Forum in January 2024.



Richard Scholtz, Global Finance's Managing Director, Europe & Asia presenting the World's Best Supply Chain Finance Bank Award to Citi's Katherine Earl, Director, Trade and Working Solutions Head Germany, Austria and Benelux and Global Sector Lead for Mobility.

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Global winners will be recognized in the following categories:

## BEST TRADE FINANCE PROVIDERS

Best Trade Finance Provider - Bank	Best Use of Artificial Intelligence in Trade Finance
Best Trade Finance Provider - Non-Bank	Best Provider of Sustainable Finance Solutions in Trade Finance
Best SME Trade Finance Provider - Bank <i>New For 2025</i>	Best Trade Finance Software Provider
Best SME Trade Finance Provider - Non-Bank <i>New For 2025</i>	Best DLT Platform for Trade Finance
Best Digital Asset Capabilities for Trade Finance <i>New For 2025</i>	Best Bank for Export Finance
Best Trade-as-a-Service Solution <i>New For 2025</i>	Best Bank for Trade Finance in Emerging Markets
Most Innovative Bank For Trade Finance	Best Bank for Trade Finance in Frontier Markets
Best Trade Document Management	

## BEST SUPPLY CHAIN FINANCE PROVIDERS

Best Supply Chain Finance Provider – Bank	Best Customer Implementation
Best Supply Chain Finance Provider – Non-Bank	Best Dynamic Discounting Solution
Best Reverse Factoring Solution <i>New For 2025</i>	
Best Sustainable Supply Chain Finance Program <i>New For 2025</i>	

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## Trade Finance & Supply Chain Finance Awards 2025

Regional awards will be given for both Trade Finance and Supply Chain Finance in:

REGIONAL AWARDS		
Africa	Central & Eastern Europe	North America
Asia-Pacific	Latin America	Western Europe
Caribbean	Middle East	

Awards will be given for the Trade Finance category ONLY in the following countries, territories districts and US Regions:

COUNTRY TERRITORY AND DISTRICT AWARDS					
Algeria	Cameroon	Germany	Lithuania	Paraguay	Switzerland
Angola	Canada	Ghana	Luxembourg	Peru	Taiwan
Argentina	Chile	Greece	Malaysia	Philippines	Tanzania
Armenia	China	Guatemala	Malta	Poland	Thailand
Australia	Colombia	Honduras	Mauritius	Portugal	Tunisia
Austria	Costa Rica	Hong Kong	Mexico	Qatar	Turkey
Azerbaijan	Cote d'Ivoire	Hungary	Mongolia	Romania	UAE
Bahrain	Croatia	India	Morocco	Rwanda	United Kingdom
Bangladesh	Cyprus	Indonesia	Mozambique	Saudi Arabia	United States
Belgium	Czech Republic	Italy	Namibia	Senegal	Uruguay
Bolivia	Denmark	Jamaica	Netherlands	Serbia	Uzbekistan
Bosnia & Herzegovina	Egypt	Japan	New Zealand	Singapore	Vietnam
Botswana	El Salvador	Jordan	Nigeria	Slovakia	Zambia
Brazil	Estonia	Kazakhstan	Norway	South Africa	
Bulgaria	Finland	Kenya	Oman	South Korea	
Burkina Faso	France	Kuwait	Pakistan	Spain	
Cambodia	Georgia	Latvia	Panama	Sweden	

US REGIONAL AWARDS		
Far West	New England	Southeast
Great Lakes	Plains	Southwest
Mid-Atlantic	Rocky Mountain	

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## METHODOLOGY

With input from industry analysts, corporate executives and technology experts, Global Finance selects the winners based on objective and subjective factors. Our criteria include trade-related transaction volume, the scope of global coverage, customer service, competitive pricing, risk management and innovative products, services and technology. Provider submissions inform decisions, and performance will be judged over the period Q4 2023 through Q3 2024.

## ENTRY PREPARATION

*Take advantage of this opportunity to participate in the review process.*

It is not necessary to enter in order to win, but experience shows entries significantly increase the chance of success. In many cases, entrants present information and perspectives that may not be readily available to the editors of Global Finance. Global Finance maintains best journalistic practices to protect the confidentiality of information supplied. Any information provided that is not appropriate for the public domain should be clearly identified.

Those making submissions should provide concise information in the following areas:

1. Transaction volume, market share and scope of global coverage. Submit data on the scale of your trade operations, including comparisons with competitors. For supplier finance awards, also submit the number of customers using your solutions, the number of countries involved and how many suppliers are enrolled.
2. Customer service. Submit customer endorsements (Global Finance may make further contacts for additional information).
3. Execution skills. Submit client-specific examples of trade transactions and/or implementation of supply chain financing solutions and their associated benefits.
4. Commitment to the business. Submit (year-on-year) data about technology investment, the number of employees dedicated to the business, expansion and capabilities.
5. Technology. Provide examples of cutting-edge technology deployment and product innovation.
6. Please include the contact information requested below to ensure your submission is processed properly.
  - Provider Name (as it should appear on awards-related announcements)
  - Award(s) Being Submitted For
  - Submission Contact Name/Title/Email/Phone
  - Communications Contact Name/Title/Email/Phone
  - Line of Business Head Contact Name/Title/Email/Phone

All contact information is required for entries to be considered.

Any contact information submitted on Global Finance Calls For Entries or regarding the publication's awards and events programs are subject to Global Finance's privacy policy, listed here: <https://www.gfmag.com/privacy-policy/>

**PLEASE NOTE: If you do not receive confirmation of receipt of your entry from the contact listed at the bottom of this page within 48 hours of sending, please resend AND notify them to ensure that your entry has been received and is processed correctly.**

# The Value and Importance of Global Finance Awards Logos

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The distinction of being a Global Finance award honoree is a powerful marketing advantage every winner can and should use to stand out from and above their competitors.

Some of the ways Global Finance award winners promote their status include:

- Recruitment and retention efforts
- Websites
- Investor relations information
- Conference and event signage
- Press and publicity efforts
- Internal communications
- Advertising
- Employee motivation programs
- Pitch books
- Branch signage
- Promotional videos
- Social media campaigns
- Email signatures
- Promotional materials
- Stadium, airport and outdoor signage
- Annual reports

Earning a Global Finance award also allows individual honorees as well as entire departments to stand out within their own organizations, leading to higher visibility across their industry sectors, improved staff retention and greater professional and personal recognition.

