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2010 Australia and New Zealand Internet Best Practice Awards Winners Announced

The winners of the 2010 Australia and New Zealand Internet Best Practice Awards were announced last night at a gala dinner at Crown Towers, Melbourne.

The Awards are convened by .au Domain Administration Ltd (auDA) and Internet NZ Inc, the non-profit managers of “.au” and “.nz”, and recognise organisations, businesses, groups and individuals that have contributed to the development and take up of the Internet in Australia and New Zealand.

“The Awards were established to recognise initiatives that have embraced the possibilities presented by the Internet – to reach out to a community of users, to improve security or to make useful information available online” said auDA CEO, Chris Disspain.

“They are a way to engage organisations that aren’t a part of the traditional ‘Internet industry’ but who use the Internet to improve the lives of Australians and New Zealanders. To that end, we’re extremely pleased with the wide range of excellent entries that were received and very proud of the deserving winners”.

The winners, runners-up and highly commended entries are:

Security Category

WINNER	Australian Computer Emergency Response Team (AusCERT) Repatriation of data stolen by malware to affected parties initiative
SHORTLISTED	Cocoon Data Holdings Limited Secure Objects Technology
	CommsNet Group Pty Ltd “The Essential Guide to Information Technology Security Best Practices”

Openness Category

WINNER	CanTeen <i>What Now</i> Initiative
RUNNER-UP	Australasian Legal Information Institute (AustLII)
HIGHLY COMMENDED	Murdoch Children’s Research Institute Australian Early Development Index Initiative
SHORTLISTED	RSPCA Queensland WOAW Initiative

Accessibility Category

WINNER	The National Library of New Zealand - Te Puna Mātauranga o Aotearoa
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Aotearoa People's Network Kaharoa

RUNNER UP

Community Technology Centres Association

HIGHLY COMMENDED

Australian Seniors Computer Clubs Association

Diversity Category

WINNER

Terabyte Interactive Ltd
Lindauer Online Initiative

Youth Category

WINNER

Cassandra Fraser-Bell
Darwin City Council
GRIND Initiative

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