STANDARD BANK KZN TOP BUSINESS AWARDS 2024

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

All entrants to answer question one. Submission should not exceed 2000 words. (If you wish to submit an entry in more than one category please add your motivation. A separate entry form is not necessary)

Question 1. Explain why you believe you or your company/organisation should win a Standard Bank KwaZulu-Natal Top Business Award. You must be able to show that your company contributes to the KZN economy and has a proactive business model that adheres to the principles of King IV. You must aspire to achieve four governance outcomes:

- 1. Ethical culture: Explain how the governing body/management and the wider organisation are being equipped and are on track to deliver on the goal of having an ethical culture being a responsible corporate citizen.
- 2. Good performance and value creation: Please provide the latest annual report if applicable or give an overview of the organisation's financial reporting systems and general performance in the marketplace.
- 3. Adequate and effective control: Explain the management/ governing body structure
- 4. Trust, good reputation, legitimacy: Explain how the company communicates and interacts with all its stakeholders internally and externally to ensure its relationships are effectively managed.

Question 2. Please provide evidence/ explain why you should win the award in the category selected. Please use the category description to motivate your answer. Submissions should not exceed 1000 words. As a guideline:

- 1. Explain why you have entered the category
- 2. What evidence do you have for your success/impact? (Project completion, financial success, report, photos, testimonials, etc.