

The 16th Inside Asian Gaming
Power 50 Gala Dinner



EVENT INFORMATION PACKAGE

Organized by



Venue
sponsor



Friday 3 November 2023
The Grand Ballroom, MGM Macau, Macau

iagpower50.com





ABOUT THE EVENT



Anxiously awaited each year, the Asian Gaming Power 50 is *Inside Asian Gaming's* annual list of the 50 most powerful and influential people in the Asian gaming industry.

The inaugural “Big 50” — as we like to call it — took place in 2008. By tradition, each year on the first Friday in November, we celebrate the Asian Gaming Power 50 with a lavish Black Tie Gala Dinner in the most exquisite ballroom or theater of a luxurious integrated resort in Macau with the venue traditionally rotating between Macau’s six integrated resort companies: Galaxy, Melco, MGM, Sands, SJM and Wynn. In 2022 — for the first time in the 15 year history of the event — the Asian Gaming Power 50 Black Tie Gala Dinner was held in the Philippines at City of Dreams, Manila, but returns to Macau at MGM Macau in 2023.

It’s worth noting that only four people have sat atop the “Big 50”:

2008	Dr Stanley Ho
2009	Tan Sri KT Lim
2010, 2013 to 2018	Mr Sheldon Adelson
2011 to 2012, 2019 to 2022	Mr Francis Lui



ABOUT THE ORGANIZER



Inside Asian Gaming is Asia's leading B2B digital and print media brand for the gaming, resort and entertainment industry. It has the highest website traffic, social media following, digital newsletter distribution and print magazine distribution of any such brand.

Founded in 2005, *IAG* is widely distributed to industry executives throughout Macau, the Philippines, Singapore, Australia and the rest of the APAC region in two formats: a monthly English and traditional Chinese fully bilingual digital and print magazine and a daily English and Chinese language e-newsletter titled *IAG Breakfast Briefing*.

IAG produces **all original content** and is almost always the first media outlet to publish breaking industry news. The deep domain knowledge our team has accumulated from as far back as the 1980s allows *IAG* to offer highly insightful opinion pieces and analysis of industry news. *IAG* has also established our own business services and consulting unit focusing on providing advice to gaming industry participants.

For more information visit asgam.com.



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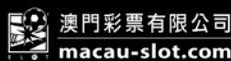
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ABOUT THE 16TH ASIAN GAMING POWER 50 BLACK TIE GALA DINNER



- Celebrate the announcement of the annual IAG Power 50 list
- Gather industry influencers to connect, exchange and network
- Glamorous black tie evening with fine food and quality entertainment



THE TIGER ROARS AGAIN

This year's theme "The Tiger Roars Again" signifies the impressive recovery of the entire Asian gaming industry over the past 12 months following three years of pandemic-related challenges. The return of the Asian Gaming Power 50 Black Tie Gala Dinner to Macau in 2023 is also in respect of the reopening of Macau's borders in January, which has spurred an incredible surge in visitation and gaming revenues in the months since. *IAG* plans to rotate the location of the Asian Gaming Power 50 Black Tie Gala Dinner in future, with Macau to host the event every odd year and another jurisdiction to host the event every even year.



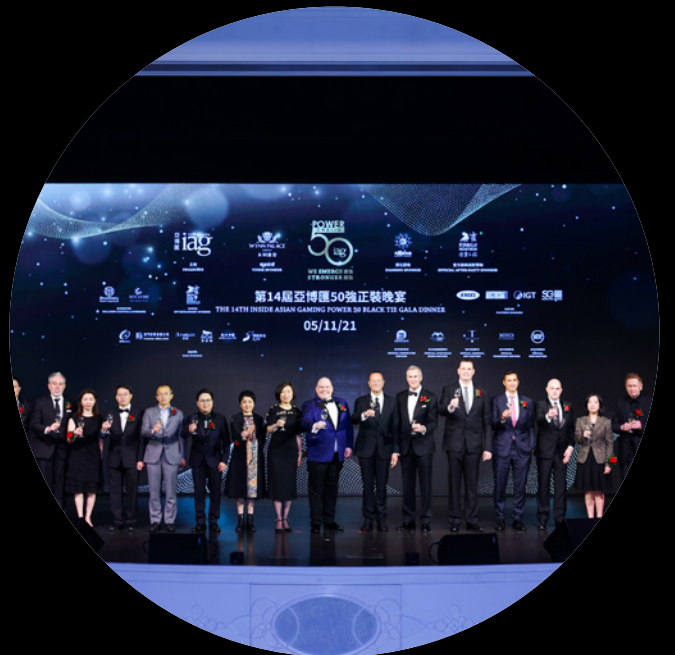


RED CARPET WELCOME COCKTAIL





OFFICIAL TOASTING





LIVE PHOTOGRAPHY



Multiple professional photographers are on site during the dinner, both for artistic photography to be used post event and for immediately-available live photography. On-site QR codes allow guests to immediately download photos taken just minutes earlier to share on social media.



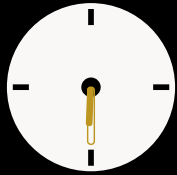
THIS YEAR'S BALLROOM



The Grand Ballroom, MGM MACAU



RUNDOWN



18:30

Guest Reception and Red Carpet welcome cocktail



19:30

Gala dinner

- Welcome toast and group photos
- Entertainment and performances
- Group photos



22:00

Dinner ends, official After Party starts

Ranking announcements spread throughout the night



ENTERTAINMENT





OFFICIAL AFTER PARTY





2023 IAG POWER 50 RANKING ANNOUNCEMENT

- List announced throughout the night by renowned VIPs



2022 POWER 50 LIST

RANK	SCORE	NAME	TITLE	COMPANY
1	3,510	Francis Lui	Vice Chairman	Galaxy Entertainment Group
2	2,682	Lim Kok Thay	Chairman and CEO	Genting Berhad
3	2,281	Lawrence Ho	CHAIRMAN and CEO	Melco Resorts and Entertainment
4	2,070	Pansy Ho	Co-Chairperson and Executive Director	MGM China
5	1,748	Rob Goldstein	CHAIRMAN and CEO	Las Vegas Sands
6	1,511	Enrique Razon Jr	Chairman and CEO	Bloomberry Resorts
7	1,382	Winfried Engelbrecht-Bresges	Chief Executive Officer	The Hong Kong Jockey Club
8	1,251	Wilfred Wong	President and Executive Director	Sands China
9	1,026	Craig Billings	CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER	Wynn Resorts
10	997	Chen Lip Keong	Founder, Controlling Shareholder and CEO	Nagacorp
11	992	Daisy Ho	Chairman and Executive Director	SJM Holdings
12	972	Masayuki Goto	President and CEO	Japan Racing Association
13	893	Angela Leong	Co-Chairman and Executive Director	SJM Holdings
14	881	Grant Chum	COO and Executive Director	Sands China
15	873	Patrick Dumont	President and COO	Las Vegas Sands
16	872	Bill Hornbuckle	CEO and President	MGM Resorts International
17	852	Kevin Kelley	Chief Operating Officer – Macau	Galaxy Entertainment Group
18	836	Lim Keong Hui	Deputy CEO and Executive Director	Genting Berhad
19	825	Paul Town	Chief Operating Officer	Marina Bay Sands
20	824	Han Chang-woo	Chairman and CEO	Maruhan Group
21	798	Steve Hsieh	Chairman	Taiwan Lottery Co
22	770	Linda Chen	Vice Chairman, COO and Executive Director	Wynn Macau
23	762	Yoji Sato	Executive Director	Dynam Group
24	761	Tan Hee Teck	President and CEO	Genting Singapore
25	757	Lee Choong Yan	President and EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	Genting Malaysia
26	756	IAN MICHAEL Coughlan	President and Executive Director	Wynn Macau
27	739	Kingson Sian	President and CEO	Travellers International Hotel Group
28	738	Barni Evans	CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER	Sportsbet
29	737	Adam Rytenski	Managing Director and CEO	Tabcorp
30	735	Evan Winkler	President and Managing Director	Melco Resorts and Entertainment
31	698	Lee Sam-geol	Chief Executive Officer	Kangwon Land
32	683	Jun Fujimoto	Representative Director and President	Universal Entertainment Corp
33	671	Michael Ahearne	Chief Executive Officer	SkyCity Entertainment Group
34	669	Daesik Han	Chairman and CEO	Hann Philippines Inc
35	663	Ambrose So	Vice Chairman, Executive Director and CEO	SJM Holdings
36	631	Ciarán Carruthers	Chief Executive Officer	Crown Resorts
37	615	Henry Cheng	Chairman	Chow Tai Fook
38	613	Thomas Arasi	President and COO	Bloomberry Resorts
39	611	David Sisk	Chief Operating Officer – Macau Resorts	Melco Resorts and Entertainment
40	605	Phillip Chun	Chairman	Paradise Group
41	601	Jaydev Mody	Chairman	Delta Corp
42	590	Ted Lin	Chief Executive Officer	Taiwan Sports Lottery Co
43	577	KENNETH Feng	President, CHIEF STRATEGIC AND Financial Officer	MGM China
44	576	Hubert Wang	President and COO	MGM China
45	568	Alejandro Tengco	Chairman and CEO	PAGCOR
46	564	Byron Yip	PRESIDENT	Tiger Resort, Leisure and Entertainment Inc
47	559	Stephen Ho	Chief Executive Officer	Macau Slot
48	555	Alfredo "Albee" Benitez	Founder	Leisure & Resorts World Corporation
49	548	Jay Chun	Chairman and Managing Director	Paradise Entertainment
50	540	Kim Young-san	President and CEO	Grand Korea Leisure



PRESS RELEASE SCHEDULE

**Venue announcement
7 September 2023**

**Further possible press
releases from September to
November 2022**

**INSIDE ASIAN GAMING NAMES MGM AS VENUE SPONSOR FOR 2023
ASIAN GAMING POWER 50 BLACK TIE GALA DINNER**

Macau, 7 September 2023 – Leading B2B gaming industry media brand *Inside Asian Gaming* is delighted to announce that the 16th Asian Gaming Power 50 Black Tie Gala Dinner will be held in The Grand Ballroom at MGM MACAU on Friday 3 November, with MGM as official venue sponsor.



With the COVID-19 pandemic now firmly in the rearview mirror, confirmation of MGM as host sees the Gala Dinner return to its traditional home of Macau, having last year traveled outside Macau – to City of Dreams Manila – for the first time ever in the event's then 15-year history.

IAG does, however, look forward to the Asian Gaming Power 50 Black Tie Gala Dinner continuing to move around the Asia-Pacific region in the future, with the organizers planning to hold the famous event in Macau during odd-numbered years and outside Macau in even-numbered years.

- After party
- Entertainment
- Platinum and gold sponsors
- Judging panel
- Official partners
- Live streaming
- Winners
- Highlights videos



FUN FACTS ABOUT THE ASIAN GAMING POWER 50

From 2008 to 2022:

- 168 have appeared on the TOP 50 list
- 41 people have appeared on the TOP 50 list just once

Only four people have been number 1:

2008

2009

2010,
2013 - 2018

2011, 2012,
2019 - 2022



Dr Stanley Ho



Tan Sri Lim Kok Thay



Mr Sheldon Adelson



Mr Francis Lui

Only six people have appeared all 15 years from 2008 to 2022
(in alphabetical order):



Chen Lip Keong



Philip Chun



Lawrence Ho



Angela Leong



Lim Kok Thay



Francis Lui



HOW IS THE ASIAN GAMING POWER 50 JUDGED?

The Asian Gaming Power 50 list is judged by an esteemed panel of hand-selected judges with decades of industry experience:

Andrew W Scott	Vice Chairman and CEO	Inside Asian Gaming (Panel Chairman)
Ben Blaschke	Managing Editor	Inside Asian Gaming
Grant Bowie	Member of the Advisory Board	Institute for the Study of Commercial Gaming at the University of Macau
David Green	Chairman	Newpage Consulting
Desmond Lam	Professor in IR and Tourism Management	University of Macau
Melina Leong	Managing Director	Yeewood Consultancy Limited
Rui Pinto Proença	Managing Partner	MdME Lawyers

The judges examine each gaming business in the Asian gaming industry and assign one point for each US\$1 million in GGR. Those points are then allocated between the organization's key one, two or more key executives. Scores are then adjusted up or down for a multitude of positive and negative factors. The final stage of the judging process involves examining the list for reasonableness and looking at key head to head match ups and making appropriate minor adjustments.

The judging process is arduously long and intense, and usually takes some 60 person hours over the period July to October. Typically emails totalling some 15,000 words are written between the judges during the process.



VENUES

(Past six years)

2018	MACAU	 新濠影滙	 新濠
2019	MACAU	 澳門JW萬豪酒店	 銀娛GEG
2020	MACAU	 澳門巴黎人	 澳門金沙
2021	MACAU	 永利皇宮	 永利
2022	MANILA	 CITY OF DREAMS MANILA	 新濠
2023	MACAU	 美高梅	 美高梅

- Venue sponsorship rotates annually
- With each property being venue sponsor just once in a many year cycle, it's a rare opportunity for the venue to showcase their event capabilities to the industry

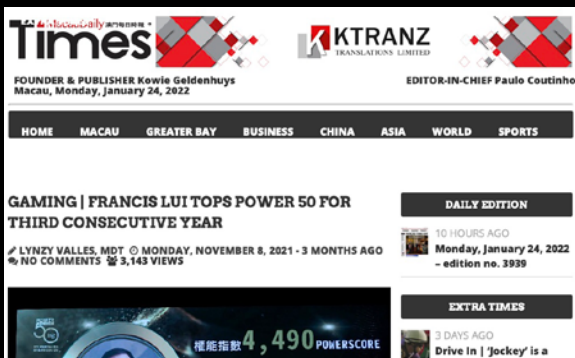
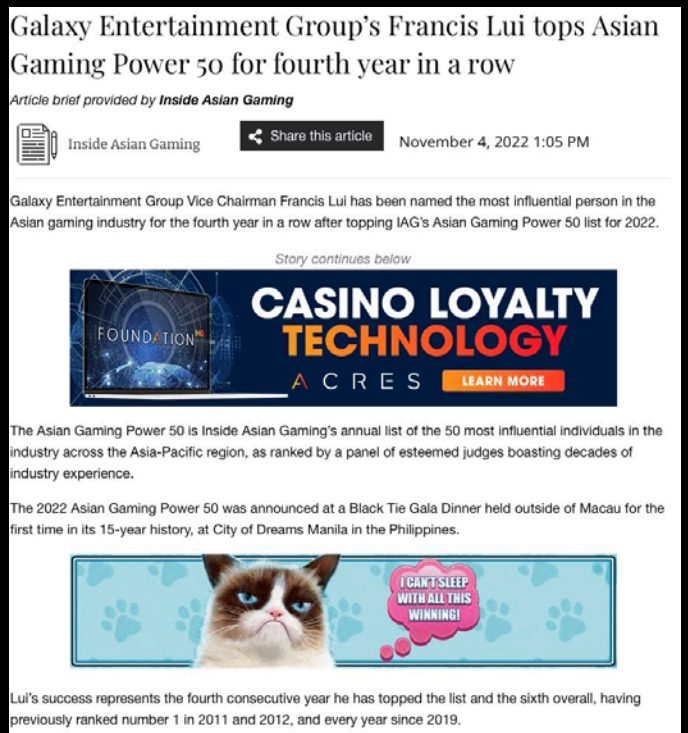
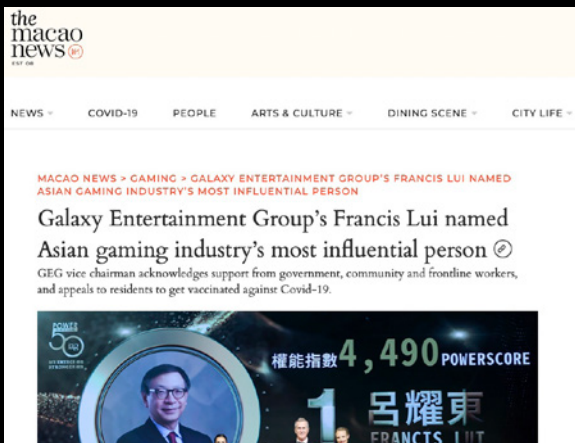


MENU AND EVENT GUIDE





MORE MEDIA COVERAGE





POWER 50 WEBSITE

The screenshot shows the website for the 16th Asian Gaming Power 50 Black Tie Gala Dinner. At the top, it features the event title, date (Friday 3 November 2023), and venue (The Grand Ballroom, MGM Macau). A prominent countdown timer displays 16 days, 05 hours, 09 minutes, and 47 seconds. Below the timer, there are banners for sponsors including SOLAIRE, BEST REGIONAL ASIA-PACIFIC IIG ACADEMY AWARDS 2023, and IGT. A large video player shows a promotional video for the 2023 event with the text 'WELCOME RECEPTION COCKTAILS 歡迎酒會'. A vertical navigation menu on the left lists various sections like 'ABOUT', '2023 DINNER', 'SPONSORS AND PARTNERS', and a year archive from 2008 to 2022.

For more information about the event, please visit iagpower50.com



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