SMART NATION INNOVATIONS



ANNEX A: PARTNER QUOTES

INNOVFEST UNBOUND

"Over the last several years, we organised InnovFest to help local tech start-ups and innovators make the right connections. Last year, we collaborated with unBound Media to co-organise InnovFest unBound, and maximise its impact by bringing it to a global level. This year, we are delighted to further raise the profile of this flagship event by partnering Infocomm Development Authority to position InnovFest unBound 2016 as one of the pillar events of Smart Nation Innovations Week. This will showcase Singapore as a dynamic technology and innovation ecosystem, where cutting edge research leads to new applications and innovative start-ups can build disruptive solutions."

Dr Lily Chan, CEO NUS Enterprise, co-host InnovFest unBound 2016

"Our unBound conferences are well known for bringing together disruptive start-ups, global brands and leading corporates from around the world, to explore exciting new business opportunities. We quickly realised that Singapore is the ideal location for such conferences, due to its technology advancements, strong R&D initiatives and rapidly growing start-up environment. We were delighted to partner with NUS Enterprise, a regional thought leader in this sector and the success of InnovFest unBound 2015 has spurred us to create an even bigger and better event this year. We are now putting in place a stellar line up of international experts and global leaders who are ready to share the latest innovation trends and technology insights at InnovFest unBound 2016! It is fantastic that the Infocomm Development Authority are partnering with us and InnovFest unBound is the anchor event of the Smart Nation Innovations Week."

Mr Daniel Seal, CEO unBound Media, co-host InnovFest unBound 2016

FORBES UNDER 30 SUMMIT ASIA

"Forbes is delighted to partner with the Infocomm Development Authority of Singapore (IDA) to bring the first-ever Forbes Under 30 Summit Asia to Singapore. Held in conjunction with the Smart Nation Innovations Week in Singapore, the summit will provide a unique platform for young entrepreneurs, game-changers and disruptors from around the region, to come together, to learn, share, collaborate, inspire and give back to the local community. Singapore provides the perfect platform for entrepreneurs and startups, making IDA a hugely complementary fit with our global entrepreneurial brand. Through this summit, we hope to connect, empower and mobilize this influential millennial community to change the world."

- Mr Alan Griffin, Forbes Media's Managing Director, Digital Asia

BIG BANG DATA EXHIBITION

"Designed for the audiences of the 21st century, Big Bang Data is a show that explores the phenomenon of the information explosion that we are currently experiencing. The exhibition enables us to visualise and quantify the endless oceans of data generated through the work of artists, designers, technologists, scientists, journalists and filmmakers. We are privileged to present Big Bang Data as part of the Smart Nation Innovations Week, which provides us with the platform to participate in conversations around the datafication of our world through the unique framework of artistic interventions."

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