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Cyberport community members CoronAI and IPification win the World Summit Awards 2020

Hong Kong, 18 December 2020 – Cyberport is pleased to announce that two distinguished community members, CoronAI and IPification, have emerged from nearly 350 nominations over 180 countries in the World Summit Awards (WSA) 2020. Medical device developer CoronAI and mobile authentication solution provider [IPification](#) were the only two companies from Hong Kong to receive the award among 40 awardees in 8 categories. The awards are a testament to the capabilities of Cyberport community members as well as the success of Cyberport in nurturing start-ups and promoting the development of innovation and technology.

The [WSA](#) is a global awards system which is held by the United Nations World Summit on the Information Society (WSIS) with close association with the UN Sustainable Development Goals Agenda. It selects and promotes local digital innovations from all over the world that have high societal impact, taking in the innovativeness and societal value as the evaluation criteria. Two Cyberport community members, CoronAI and IPification, were awarded in “Health & Well-Being” and “Business & Commerce” respectively, and recognized as one of the top five solutions in the world in their categories.

CoronAI, a current grantee of Cyberport Creative Micro Fund, produces real-time 3D scans of internal organs by combining Electrical Impedance Tomography and different technologies. It provides a cost-effective, user-friendly solution to conduct a primary test without the physical presence of medical professionals. Using a band worn around the patient’s chest, the electrodes extract real-time images of the internal organs which are projected to a monitor. The monitor is also connected to a dashboard for access by a doctor, who is able to analyse the live scan and even make comparisons over time.

IPification aims at giving consumers one-click and secured mobile identity verification by verifying the device, SIM & phone number via telecom network IP address. IPification patented technology is enabling secure, passwordless, zero-tap compatible mobile user authentication, phone number verification and fraud prevention solutions for any mobile application. It has been deployed in 11 markets, reaching 350 million mobile users.

Eric Chan, Chief Public Mission Officer of Cyberport, said, “We are delighted to witness two outstanding Cyberport community members stand out as the top five solutions in their categories among the nominees and shine on the international stage. Apart from the commemoration of their devotion, the award recognised their work and contribution to the well-being of the society. Cyberport will continue to cultivate digital tech talent, groom start-ups and foster a vibrant and diverse I&T ecosystem. More importantly, we will help maximise the positive impact brought by digital technology and start-ups innovation, contributing to the benefits of the society at large under the new normal of digital transformation.”

Anushka Purohit, Chief Executive Officer of CoronAI, said, “We are proud to receive the WSA and be recognized for the social impact of our solution. We joined the Cyberport Creative Micro Fund in October 2020, and through Cyberport’s comprehensive entrepreneurship support and its extensive networks, we can connect with potential

investors and further promote our business. We will keep improving the product in the future and hope to bring more benefits to the society.”

Harry Cheung, Founder and President of IPification said, “It is our honour to receive such a prestigious award and we could not have achieved this without the support of our team, partners, investors and customers. Cyberport’s unique position as Hong Kong’s FinTech hub has allowed us to link up with the I&T ecosystem and collaborate with renowned financial institutions and start-ups.”

The WSA evaluates participating corporates in eight categories, namely “Government & Citizen Engagement”, “Health & Well-Being”, “Learning & Education”, “Environment & Green Energy”, “Culture & Tourism”, “Smart Settlements & Urbanization”, “Business & Commerce” and “Inclusion & Empowerment”. The awardees list shows the diversity and innovation of digital solutions on a global scale and prove how digital technology can improve society in each corner of the world.

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among youth, supporting start-ups on their growth journey, fostering industry development by promoting strategic collaboration with local and international partners, and integrating new and traditional economies by accelerating digital transformation in the public and private sectors.

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