



FHA2018

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Food&HotelAsia (FHA)

Celebrated its Ruby Jubilee in Record Fashion!

FHA, the highly anticipated food and hospitality industry event in Asia, concluded its 40th anniversary edition on 27 April 2018.

Held across two venues at Singapore Expo and Suntec Singapore, the four-day, must-attend biennial trade exhibition delivered value and experiences beyond expectations in record fashion!

Highlights of FHA2018



2 venues. 1 mega show. 119,500 sqm of



81,896 total attendees from 120 countries/regions



6 specialised sectors



3,466 exhibiting companies from 76 countries/regions



72 international group pavilions



11 top-notch culinary, coffee and bakery &



4 power-packed conference tracks attended by 350 delegates & speakers

New Initiatives

Stellar success would not have been possible without the industry's strong support, engagement with FHA and collaboration for its new initiatives!

Advanced Exhibitors List

Self-print

Badge System

Enhanced tool that facilitated buyers' search for relevant products and improved the match quality of buyers for exhibitors.

Improved registration system allowed visitors to save time and head straight into the exhibition by pre-printing their admission badges before arriving onsite.

Business Matching Service (Loop@FHA2018)

Pre-scheduled meetings added value to both exhibitors and visitors as they could maximise their time and networking opportunities at FHA exhibitors.

FHATV

Beamed live across the venues and on social media platforms, FHA TV created buzz and excitement for all by bringing together all concurrent happenings on the show floor.

Focused Email Campaigns

Carefully curated exhibit information were disseminated in a timely manner to targeted visitors, gearing them up for the show.

Free Business Workshops

Short sessions on topical subjects by thought leaders were well-received by attendees.

Online Partner Marketing Platform

A new, easy-to-use and free digital marketing platform for exhibitors to effectively engage their clients and invite them to check out new products at their booths during FHA.

Exclusive Industry Report

To commemorate FHA's 40th anniversary, an industry report on "Smart Innovations Transforming the Food & Hospitality Landscape by 2020" was produced in partnership with Euromonitor International for FHA's attendees. The report highlighted the industry landscape and key insights gleaned from industry experts.

A complete International B2B F&B haven



Held alongside FHA2018, ProWine Asia (Singapore) 2018 played host to over 270 established wine producers and distributors from 33 countries and regions and a strong line-up of 15 national pavilions including Croatia, Spain, Italy and Austria; complementing FHA to present a complete international F&B sourcing platform for Asia's buyers.

In addition, ProWine Asia (Singapore) 2018 saw the return of the highly anticipated Champagne Lounge, the National Cocktail Competition being held at the show for the first time; and a series of well-received masterclasses and seminars.



The Unrivalled Global Food and Hospitality **Business Platform** in Asia!

In 2018, a record 3,466 manufacturers and suppliers from 76 countries/regions and 72 international group pavilions presented their newest innovations and best-selling products and solutions at FHA through 6 broad categories:









Hospitality Technology



Foodservice Equipment



Speciality Coffee & Tea

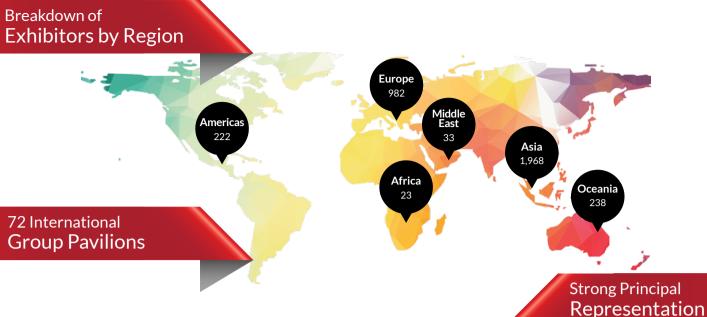
Exhibitors' Accolades

This is the first time we are exhibiting at FHA. FHA is our top choice because it is the most important show in this region. Through FHA, we hope to grow our business successfully in this part of the world where our business is not currently present. We have met distributors from Australia, Hong Kong, Korea, New Zealand and Taiwan, and it reinforces our decision that this is the best platform to introduce our products to markets in this region.

Pietro La Grassa

FHA is a valuable platform for us to showcase Scottish produce to the important Asia market. This year, 10 out of 13 companies from Scotland represented at FHA are new to Asia. FHA can do much for them as a platform for building brand awareness, market testing, feedback collection and sampling opportunities. This is always an effective way to introduce new products to buyers

Beatrice Huckvale



Greece New Zealand Switzerland Hungary Peru Taiwan Philippines Indonesia Poland Portugal Qatar Japan Singapore Korea Latvia South Africa Malavsia Spain

Sri Lanka

Netherlands

Australia

Austria

Belgium

Brazil

China

Canada

Cyprus

France

Denmark

Germany

Tunisia United Kingdom United States of America Vietnam

Apart from being the largest of its kind in the region, FHA also boasted a large proportion of principals who participated directly at the show; making it easily accessible and convenient for trade visitors to meet manufacturers from around the world.



70%



An Expanding International Sourcing Platform for Buyers in Asia!

The show's charm of having the most comprehensive selection of products by quality exhibitors from across the globe, coupled with its related onsite competitions and activities, continue to draw trade visitors from well beyond Singapore.

For the first time, FHA topped its own record and attracted 55,433 trade visitors from 110 countries/regions at its 2018 edition.

The only show in Asia with over 22,000 overseas trade visitors

Breakdown of Overseas Visitors by Region

Rest of Asia 5,597 / 25.3%

Southeast Asia (excluding Singapore) 14,080 / 63.6% Oceania

1,016 / 4.6%

• Europe

842/3.8%

Rest of the World

610 / 2.8%

Top 10 Countries / Regions (excluding Singapore)

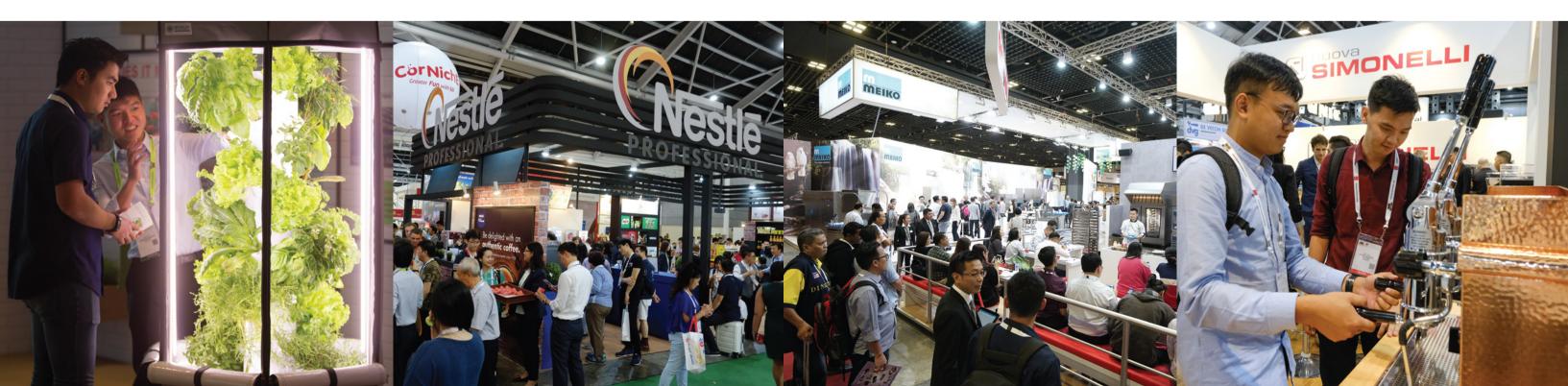
Malaysia	6,748	Thailand	994
Indonesia	3,564	Vietnam	875
Taiwan	1,697	Australia	839
Philippines	1,308	India	590
China	1,022	Hong Kong	565

Breakdown of Visitors by Company Main Activity

Foodservice Establishment / Country Club	11,778
Importer / Wholesaler / Distributor - Food & Drinks	6,026
F&B and Hospitality Management Service / Consultancy	4,192
Academic/Training Institute	4,034
Hotel / Resort / Serviced Apartment	3,943
Manufacturer - Food & Drinks	3,641
Manufacturer - Bakery / Confectionery	2,563
Importer/Wholesaler/Distributor - Hospitality Equipment & Supplies	1,808
Institutional Catering / Healthcare	1,688
Retailer - Bakery / Confectionery	1,563
Manufacturer - Hospitality Equipment & Supplies	1,341
Importer/Wholesaler/Distributor – Wine & Spirits and Related Accessories & Equipment	1,332
Retailer - Convenience Store / Supermarket	1,259
Importer / Wholesaler / Distributor - Speciality Coffee & Tea	957
IT / Telecommunications	798
Trade Association	763
Government Agency	726
Logistics – F&B / Wines	575
Interior Design / Furnishing	502
Property Development & Management	476
Retailer - Specialty Food	459
Airline / Cruise Liner / Rail	400
Packaging / Labeling	257
Retailer - Wine / Spirits / Alcoholic Drinks	169
Theme Park / Attractions	105
Others	4,078

Breakdown of Visitors by Job Function

Corporate Management (Owner/Proprietor/President/CEO/MD/GM)	14,270
Business Development / Sales / Marketing	12,714
Executive Chef / Chef / Kitchen Assistant / Training Chef	6,181
Purchasing	4,091
Operations / Maintenance / Production Management	2,270
Finance / Administration / Human Resource	2,105
F&B / Catering Management	1,833
Pastry Chef / Patissier / Baker	1,683
Consultant	986
Food Technologist / Dietician	904
Academia	856
Kitchen Operations / Management	637
IS/IT	555
General Service Staff	493
Barista	451
Architect / Interior Designer / Visual Merchandiser	433
Quality Control & Assurance / Food Safety / Research & Development	261
Housekeeping	241
Front Office	206
Government	194
Coffee Roasters	149
Tea Sommelier / Specialist	55
Sommelier / Bartender / Mixologist	43
Security Management	39
Others	3,783



Visitors' Testimonials

My trip to FHA2018 has been packed with meetings with suppliers to learn more about their latest product offerings. I have met kitchen equipment brands and tableware specialists! Now, I'm spoilt for choice as I deliberate over the myriad options that I have gathered for our hotel's new restaurant as well as ongoing room renovation this year.

Yap Siauw Ling

Senior Purchasing Manager, PT Caterison Sukses Owner, Hilton Bali Resort FHA is truly a must-attend exhibition in Asia for industry professionals in the food business. It is a convenient one-stop platform for us where we had a good catch-up with our international suppliers. We also met new promising suppliers whom we can work with to further our business expansion plans."

Vincent Thai Quoc Huy
Director, Interfoods Limited



Indication of Buyers' Interests

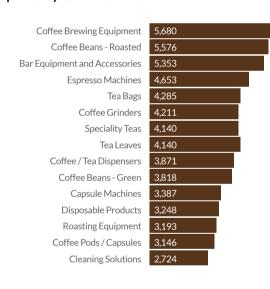
Food & Drinks



Bakery & Pastry

Bakery Ingredients	9,270
Bakery / Pastry Utensils	8,454
Packaging	7,411
reparation Equipment and Accessories	6,787
Ovens	6,144
Processing Equipment and Accessories	6,082
Bakingwares	5,898
Refrigeration	5,435
Storage Equipment	5,287
Gelato Ingredients	4,269
Gelato Machines	4,183

Speciality Coffee & Tea



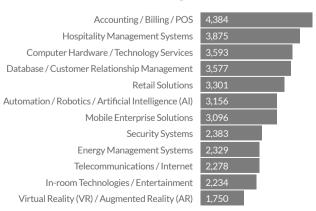
Hotel, Restaurant and Foodservice Equipment

Food Preparation Equipment and Accessories	9,542
Food Processing / Cooking Equipment and Accessories	8,897
Catering / Foodservice Equipment	7,676
Bar / Kitchen Counters and Accessories	6,609
Refrigeration / Cold Storage	5,971
Storage Equipment	5,572
Dispensing / Vending Machines - Beverages / Drinks / Food	5,035
Cleaning/Washing/Waste Disposal	4,963
Ice Cream Making Machines	4,483
Ice Making Machines	4,162
Pest Control Services	3,156
Laundry Equipment and Accessories	2,739

Hospitality Style

Kitchen Accessories	5,463
Cutlery	4,678
Cookware	4,648
Tableware	4,010
Furniture and Furnishings	3,630
Housekeeping Supplies / Services	3,287
Uniforms	3,256
Bathroom Fittings / Supplies	3,009
Electrics and Lightings	2,875
Guests Amenities	2,792
Outdoor Furniture and Fittings	2,439
Beds / Beddings	2,250
a and Fitness Equipment / Supplies	1,768

Hospitality Technology



Key Buyers at FHA2018

FHA attracts serious buyers from across diverse industry verticals and receives strong support from many trade associations. Below are just some of the thousands that exhibitors got to meet

TRADE & BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS

ASSOCIATION OF CULINARY PROFESSIONALS INDONESIA

EMIRATES CULINARY GUILD

FOOD & BEVERAGE ASSOCIATION OF THAILAND

HONG KONG CONFECTIONERY ASSOCIATION

HOTEL & RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES

HOSPITALITY PURCHASING ASSOCIATION SINGAPORE

MACAU CULINARY ASSOCIATION

MYANMAR RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION PENANG CHEES ASSOCIATION

PROFESSIONAL CULINAIRE ASSOCIATION

RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION OF SINGAPORE

SINGAPORE CHEFS ASSOCIATION

SINGAPORE HOTEL ASSOCIATION

SINGAPORE RETAILERS ASSOCIATION

WORLD ASSOCIATION OF CHEFS' SOCIETIES

BAKERY & CONFECTIONERY

BOULANGERIE ASANOYA

FAMOUS AMOS CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIE

GOLDILOCKS BAKESHOP

SEASON CONFECTIONERY & BAKERY

CATERING

BEIJING AIRPORT INFLIGHT KITCHEN CATHAY PACIFIC CATERING SERVICES

NEO GROUP LIMITED

SELECT GROUP LIMITED

FOODSERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS

ARENA CORPORATION

BREAD STREET KITCHEN & BAR BY GORDON RAMSAY

BREADTALK GROUP

CENTRAL RESTAURANTS GROUP

CRYSTAL JADE CULINARY CONCEPTS HOLDING

GLORIA JEAN'S COFFEES

ICO DONUTS & COFFEE

JP PEPPERDINE GROUP

MK RESTAURANT GROUP

MINOR DKI FOOD GROUP

PARADISE GROUP HOLDINGS

THE MINOR FOOD GROUP

RETAILERS

AL MAYA GROUP

BETTER 411 HOLDINGS

CENTRAL FOOD RETAIL GROUP

CHINA RESOURCES VANGUARD

NTUC FAIRPRICE

RUSTAN'S SUPERCENTERS

HOSPITALITY

ARCHIPELAGO INTERNATIONAL

ARTYZEN HOSPITALITY GROUP

BEST WESTERN

REPIAVA CORPORATION

HYATT CORPORATION

INDIAN HOTELS COLTD - TAJ GROUP OF HOTELS

LEMON TREE GROUP OF HOTELS

MILLENIUM HOTELS AND RESORTS

PARK HOTEL GROUP

THE RITZ-CARLTON HOTEL COMPANY

TOPOTELS HOTELS & RESORTS WMC CORPORATION

IMPORTERS / DISTRIBUTORS

CLASSIC FINE FOOD

DPO INTERNATIONAL

MIDAFOOD DISTRIBUTORS

SILVERWAVE CORPORATION

Igniting Creativity and **Enabling Peer Learning and Sharing**

Filling the halls with buzz and excitement were a specially-curated line-up of world-class competitions, workshops, conferences and activities, staged alongside the exhibition. In 2018, the show opened to much anticipation with the inaugural editions of the Asian Gelato Cup, C3 (Chocolate Chef Competition), and SCI Equipment Awards. And for the first time, free Business Workshops were conducted for trade buyers.



Asia's most prestigious international culinary competition supported by the World Association of Chefs' Societies (Worldchefs), FHA Culinary Challenge (FCC) attracted more than a thousand competitors from Asia and beyond. As one of FHA's most exhilarating events, winners for the various challenges were crowned over four days of intense cook-offs.



At the largest 'live' pastry competition in Asia and east of Europe, 12 teams of top-ranked pastry professionals with exceptional skills unveiled their pastry creations. Over two days of gruelling and adrenaline-pumping competition, participating teams worked tirelessly to produce their masterpieces of intricacy.



A competition of creativity on the art of the plated dessert, six talented pastry chefs prepared a chocolate plated dessert and moulded chocolate bonbons in a short 5.5 hours at the C3.



Cup. This prestigious competition was a pre-selection platform for the World Gelato Cup 2020 to be held in Rimini. Italy. The demonstration of latte art-making

Judged by a panel of experts, 12 teams of

gelato/pastry chefs from around Asia worked

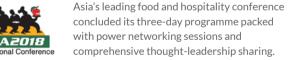
hard for the inaugural title of the Asian Gelato



Barista Super Duo Challenge gathered 13 teams of top baristas and tested their technical skills and showmanship of producing excellent espresso-based drinks through two days of intense competition.



Jointly organised with Foodservice Consultants Society International (FCSI) Asia Pacific Division, the inaugural SCI Equipment Awards recognised foodservice equipment manufacturers who have incorporated sustainability in their innovations.







augmented reality and artificial intelligence.



techniques by 35 regional experts attracted many keen eyes and captured the imagination of many at the Latte Art Showdown.



FHA conducted free-to-attend workshops for the first time. Experts at the digital marketing workshop shared on how to increase branding and leads, managing crisis and social listening; foodservice professionals gained valuable insights on halal certification and foodservice; while automation workshops discussed how advancements impacted the future of consumption, food preparation and brand loyalty.



Delivering More with 2 Mega Events in 2020!

Growing in tandem with Asia's more sophisticated and ever evolving demands and palates, FHA will be expanding into 2 dedicated mega events in 2020!

The 2 mega events will each have a more focused profile that is poised to attract more quality buyers from Asia and beyond.



2 MEGA EVENTS. 2 DATES. TWICE THE EXPERIENCE.

Contact us to book a stand!

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