

SA leads Wan-Ifra Digital Media Awards Africa 2025 winners list

The Wan-Ifra Digital Media Awards Africa 2025 have been announced with South Africa's digital media leading from the front with six winners, with *Daily Maverick* winning three categories.



Daily Maverick won three categories in the Wan-Ifra Digital Media Awards Africa 2025, the most from South Africa and also the most of all the entries (Image supplied)

All the winners

Best Data visualisation

Project: The Road to a Just Energy Transition

Company: *The Outlier*

Country: South Africa

Best Fact-checking project

Project: Palesa's Brave Discovery

Company: *Food For Mzansi Group*

Country: South Africa

Best in audience engagement

Project: The User Needs Impact Project 360

Company: *Pulse Africa*

Country: Nigeria

Best newsletter

Project: Elections '24

Company: *Daily Maverick*

Country: South Africa

Best use of video

Project: Short form documentary | 'I don't want to lose myself,' Carol de Swardt's assisted suicide

Company: *Netwerk24*

Country: South Africa

Best digital subscription initiative

Project: *Daily Maverick* Shutdown

Company: *Daily Maverick*

Country: South Africa



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Best innovative digital project

Shared between:

Project: Manifesto Mayhem!

Company: *Daily Maverick*

Country: South Africa

Project: Mwanaclick: A Digital Revolution in News and Content Access

Company: Mwananchi Communications Limited

Country: Tanzania

Best use of AI in the newsroom

Project: Hausa AI News: amplifying indigenous voices with technology

Company: *Legit.ng*

Country: Nigeria

Best relaunch of digital platforms

Project: Relaunch of Africa Business+

Company: Jeune Afrique Media Group

Country: Tunisia



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Best digital advertising product

No winner

Honourable mention:

Project: *Die BurgerM* Facebook Posters

Company: *Media 24*

Country: South Africa

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