

CITELINE JAPAN AWARDS

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THE PALACE HOTEL, TOKYO

FINANCING DEAL OF THE YEAR

This new Award seeks to reward successful and creative fundraising by pharma and biotech companies in Japan, which are either privately or publicly owned. The investment can take various forms, including grants and public-private partnership deals, to fundraising from venture capital and private equity partners and initial public offering. The majority of the new funds should be earmarked for use in drug discovery and/or company development.

The basic criterion for this award is the total amount of money raised at one time – for example in a Series A (or later) funding round or through an IPO – but other factors should be considered as well. For example:

- Did the financing attract a broad range of investor groups?
- Did investors include groups that do not normally invest in pharma/biotech?
- Were any particularly novel financial instruments or structures used?
- Was the financing/IPO successful despite being launched in a challenging overall environment?

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