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HDFC Bank has been crowned as the **Company of the Year** for the third time by the **Economic Times Awards for Corporate Excellence** 2018 for its sustained financial excellence combined with service quality.

Launched by the Economic Times 20 years ago, the ET Awards for Corporate Excellence is a platform that recognizes institutions that promote entrepreneurial talent, achieve their corporate accomplishments as well as the impact of the change makers on economic growth and transformation.

A jury was appointed comprising of Mr. Aditya Puri, Managing Director, HDFC Bank; Mr. Vijay Shekhar Sharma, Founder and CEO, Paytm; Mr. Harish Manwani, Independent Director, Tata Sons; Mr. Uday Kotak, Managing Director of Kotak Mahindra Bank; Mr. Ritesh Agarwal, Founder and CEO, OYO Rooms; Ms. Kalpana Morparia, Chief Executive Officer, South and Southeast Asia operations at JPMorgan Chase & Co; Mr. Nandan Nilekani, Cofounder and Non-executive Chairman, Infosys; Mr. Cyril Shroff, Eminent Lawyer, and Mr. Sunil Bharti Mittal, Founder and Chairman of Bharti Enterprises, presided over it. This year, the winners were judged on the basis of their perseverance, limitless patience and strategic thinking along with spotless execution.

The platform recognized the agility of HDFC Bank despite its large size and cited HDFC Bank's digital presence as an example of HDFC Bank fast pace. It also mentioned that HDFC Bank has become a global benchmark for successful banking.

Accepting the award, Mr. Aditya Puri said that the bank's success would not have been possible without his colleagues and their efforts. He also thanked all customers and stakeholders for their continued faith in the bank. "We view this as an added responsibility towards them," He said. "We assure them that we will continue to meet their needs related to money in the most convenient manner through the widest product range and use of technology. We also remain committed to the highest standards of corporate governance to all HDFC Bank stakeholders."

Mr. Aditya Puri, MD of HDFC Bank, who was also a jury member, recused himself during deliberations for the award.



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HDFC Bank had earlier won the Company of the Year award in 2005 and 2012.