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Ashraf Patel named social entrepreneur of the year, won the Ashraf Patel Social Entrepreneur of the Year (SEOY) Award.

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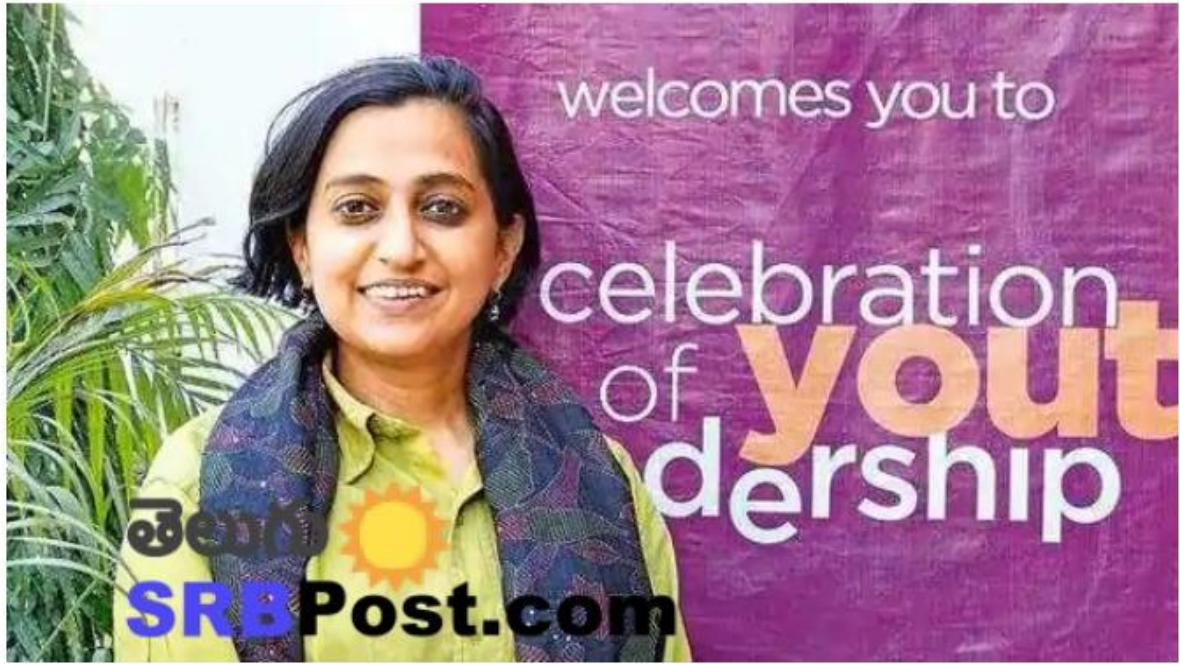


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The award was presented to Smriti Irani Prava, Minister for Women, Child Development and Textiles at a virtual event, and Ashraf Patel, who represents Commute.

Other finalists are Sujoy Santra of Icure, Kolkata, who works on primary health care, care and prevention services through innovative technology, and Sandeep Patel of Ahmedabad-based waste management solution company Nepra.

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Finalists were selected from 100 entries and applications from 23 cities in India. The jury for the award includes Shobhana Bharathi, Chairperson and Editorial Director, HT Media Limited; Hilde Schwab, Chairperson and Co-Founder, Schwab Foundation for Social Entrepreneurship; Sudha Pillai, Board Member, Secretary, Jubilant Life Sciences Limited and Former Member, Planning Commission; And Uday Kotak, President of the Confederation of Indian Industry.

The SEOY Award recognizes entrepreneurs who implement innovative, sustainable and scalable solutions to India's social problems. In 2010, the Schwab Foundation for Social Entrepreneurship and the Jubilant Indian Foundation teamed up to promote social innovation in India through the Social Entrepreneur of the Year (SEOY) India Award, "said a statement on behalf of the two foundations.

Founded in 1993, Prava contributes to the development of a generation of sympathetic, sensitive young change-makers in India through psycho-social interventions that help them build more holistic identities and communities.

Founded in 2008, Community works with the idea of building an ensemble from companies such as Prava. The two were also selected as finalists last year.

"This recognition comes at a time when young leadership needs this recognition. The world is currently filled with inequality, conflict and environmental problems. Never before have we needed more cooperation and shared leadership with the youth to create a better world," she said.

"Putting this agenda in the development model is very challenging," Patel said. This task is difficult because there are no clear or measurable indicators of the work done or the achievements made, and the formation of constitutional values is "a very important part of the development work that is not."

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Appreciating the work done by the finalists, Chairman and Founder Shyam S. Hari S., Chairman and Co-Founder, Indian and Jubilant Indian Group. The founding directors of the Indian and Jubilant Indian Foundation said: "It is heartening to see that the finalists have interrupted their own fields with their innovative ideas and approach. They have paved the way in the areas of health care, youth development and solid waste management.

In his remarks, Minister Irani said, "I appreciate the contribution made by the Schwab Foundation and the Jubilant Indian Foundation in Celebrating Social Entrepreneurs.