

Awards wrap Diggers & Dealers

The Diggers and Dealers Mining Forum is done for another year, but organisers were thrilled with the annual event attracting 2152 delegates, the most since 2012.

The three-day event saw dozens of the Goldfields' leading mining companies spruik their message, with gold and lithium miners holding high hopes for the future.

The event wound up on Wednesday night with a gala dinner which attracted 1300 diners who enjoyed a candle-lit, five-star restaurant experience under a giant marquee at the Goldfields Arts Centre.

For three days the GAC was transformed into a bustling hub of the Australian mining industry, featuring displays of massive earth-moving equipment and upbeat messages from company leaders about their year's achievements and their hopes for the future.



Kin Mining's Don Harper accepts the Emerging Company Award.



Julian Reynolds and Johan van Zyl.