

The shortlist of charities has already been announced and tickets are available on the 21 September for an event to be held in London.

The [2017 Third Sector Awards](#) are going to present a new edition to celebrate the success of organisations in the sector and give charities the chance to have their hard work and achievements recognised. In this year's edition, **96 non-profit organisations** are represented in the 109 entries that have been shortlisted across **25 categories**. Some of the organisation's that are among those to be shortlisted are [FareShare](#), the [Scout Association](#), [Macmillan Cancer Support](#) and the [British Hen Welfare Trust](#).

The annual event in the **Third Sector** calendar will take place at the London Marriott Hotel Grosvenor Square on the 21<sup>st</sup> of September. In this event charity professionals and industry partners will join and shortlisted organisations are expected to be represented by at least 2 members of the team. The **excellence awards** are divided in different categories among which you can find the following ones:

- Charity of the year
- Annual report
- Big Impact Award
- Brand development
- Braekthrough of the year
- Communications agency campaign of the year
- Communications campaign of the year
- Digital innovation of the year
- Enterprise award
- Fundraising campaign
- Fundraising event
- Marketing campaign of the year
- Small charity, big achiever

Apart from the excellence awards, there will also be two other big categories: **partnership awards** and **talent awards**. [Auditory Verbal UK](#), whose mission is helping babies and young children with permanent hearing loss to listen and talk, [FareShare](#), fighting hunger by tackling food waste or the [Langley House Trust](#) have been shortlisted for Charity of the Year.

A group of 37 judges, chaired by [Claire Horton](#) who is the chief executive of [Battersea Dogs & Cats Home](#) and winner of the Charity Chief Executive award last year, voted the entries that have been shortlisted. For this year, the people shortlisted are Sophie Andrews ([The Silver Line](#)), Deborah Alsina ([Bowel Cancer UK](#)), Phil Maguire ([Prison Radio Association](#)) and Judith Moran ([Quaker Social Action](#)).

Tickets are available on the website at a charity price and commercial price. [Here](#) you can find the list of prices. The event is also sponsored by different organisations such as [Ansvar](#), [Can Mezzanine](#), [Give as you live](#) and [Global Markets Consultants](#).