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The Asian Cities Internationality Index 2026

The Asian Cities Internationality Index (ACII) 2026 provides an independent, transparent and credible benchmark across 11 major Asian cities, designed to assess internationality, highlight Hong Kong's strengths and weaknesses as an international business hub, and support Asia-wide reflection and dialogue on sustainable urban development.

The 2026 study retains the 2025 weighting structure across the same seven dimensions to preserve year-on-year comparability, while slightly refining the framework and increasing emphasis on clearer qualitative insights, narrative interpretation, and progress tracking.

The framework now comprises 119 indicators, up from 113 in 2025, with 72 hard-data indicators and 47 survey-based indicators.

Enhancing Asian Cities' Internationality: Key Recommendations Across Seven Dimensions

Business & Economy

- Develop sector-focused policies linking trade, logistics, green industries, and advanced manufacturing
- Strengthen whole-of-ecosystem coordination

Quality of Life

- Align long-term urban planning with daily liveability outcomes, prioritising affordable housing, green spaces, and public services
- To ease cost-of-living pressures for residents and talent

Infrastructure & Connectivity

- Integrate world-class physical infrastructure with open digital information platforms enabling timely market intelligence
- Invest in soft connectivity

Innovation & Ideas

- Attract and retain international research talent through competitive funding, visa facilitation, and research facilities
- Strengthen startup financing and regulatory support

Human Capital Diversity

- Build agile, skills-based immigration and education policies to expand diversified talent pipelines aligned with business needs
- Enhance family-supportive infrastructure, inclusive communities, and integration programmes

Cultural Interaction

- Combine large-scale event capacity with authentic, accessible cultural experiences to convert sustained tourism flows
- Strengthen perceived openness and hospitality for international visitors

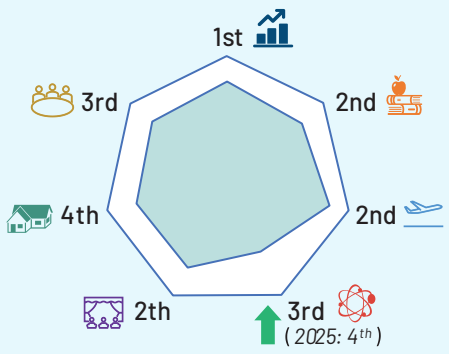
Government & Legal System for Business

- Advance digitalisation of government and judicial processes
- Enhance consultation with foreign enterprises, regulatory predictability, and fair dispute resolution

Overall Ranking

01		Hong Kong	74.6
02		Singapore	72.6
03	↑	Seoul	69.2
04	↓	Tokyo	68.6
05		Shanghai	65.3
06		Bangkok	62.9
07		Kuala Lumpur	60.4
08		Taipei	58.9
09	↑	Mumbai	54.1
10	↓	Jakarta	53.5
11	↓	Ho Chi Minh City	53.1

Hong Kong Rankings



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亞洲城市國際化指數2026

亞洲城市國際化指數2026為11個亞洲主要城市提供一套獨立、透明及具公信力的評估基準，旨在評估城市的國際化程度、凸顯香港作為亞洲國際商業樞紐的優勢與不足，並促進亞洲各地就可持續城市發展進行反思與交流。

2026年研究沿用2025年的七大範疇加權架構，以保持年度可比性，同時對評估框架作出適度優化，並更著重清晰的質性洞察、敘事分析及進展追蹤。

今年框架共涵蓋119項指標，較2025年的113項增加6項，當中包括72項客觀數據指標及47項調查指標。

提升亞洲城市的國際化程度：七大範疇之關鍵建議

商業與經濟

- 制訂以行業為本的政策，緊密銜接貿易、物流、綠色產業及先進製造業
- 加強整體生態協同

生活質素

- 將長期城市規劃與市民日常宜居體驗緊密銜接，優先關注可負擔房屋、綠化空間及便利可及的公共服務
- 紓緩居民及人才生活成本壓力

基建與聯通

- 把世界級實體基建與開放透明的數碼資訊平台深度結合，為企業提供及時可靠的市場情報
- 加大對軟連繫投資

創新與創意

- 透過具競爭力的研究資助、便利簽證安排及世界級科研設施，吸引並留住國際科研人才
- 加強初創融資及監管支援

人力資本多樣性

- 制訂具靈活度、以技能為本的入境及教育政策，擴闊與企業需求緊密對接的多元人才管道
- 優化家庭友善的生活及服務配套，推動共融社區及融合支援計劃

文化互動

- 把大型活動承辦能力與地道且親民的文化體驗相互結合，轉化為可持續旅遊客流
- 提升對國際訪客的開放友善形象

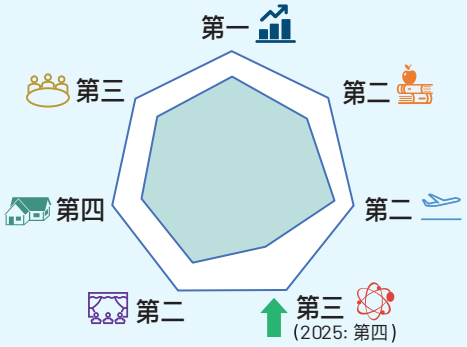
政府與商業法律制度

- 推進政府及司法程序數碼化
- 加強與外資企業的溝通協作，提升規管可預期性及確保公平爭議解決機制

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