

Hearing it from the Marketplace

DBS continued to garner many prestigious awards and accolades in 2006 – a few of which are listed here. They reflect our expertise in investment banking, global financial markets, consumer banking and our focus on corporate governance.

Asiamoney

- Domestic Bank Awards (Singapore)
 - Best Domestic Equity House
 - Best Domestic Debt House
- Brokers Poll (Singapore)
 - Best Local Brokerage
- Cash Management Poll (Singapore)
 - Best Local Cash Management Bank
 - Best Overall Domestic Cash Management Services
 - Best Overall Cross-Border Cash Management Services
- Structured Products Poll (Singapore)
 - Best Domestic Provider for Local Currency Products – Structured currency & structured interest-rate products
- FX Poll (Singapore)
 - Best Domestic Provider of FX Services (as voted by Financial Institutions & Corporates)

The Asian Banker

- Best Retail Bank in Singapore
- Top 20 Best Retail Banks in Asia Pacific
 - Ranked 5th
- The Asian Banker 300 – Largest Banks in Southeast Asia – Ranked 1st

Asia Risk

- Asia Risk Awards (Singapore)
 - House of the Year

The Asset

- The Asset Asian Awards – Country Awards (Singapore)
 - Best Domestic Bank
 - Best Domestic Investment Bank
 - Best Debt House
 - Best Equity House
- The Asset Triple A Transaction Banking Country Awards (Singapore)
 - Best Cash Management Bank
 - Best Sub-Custodian Bank
 - Best Trade Finance Bank

The Banker

- Top 1000 World Banks
 - Top 25 in Asia (Tier 1 Capital) – Ranked 11th

The Edge-Lipper

- Singapore Unit Trust Fund Awards
 - Best Fund Group over 3 years (Overall Group)
 - Best Fund Group over 3 years (Bond Group)

Euromoney

- Awards for Excellence
 - Best Bank in Singapore
- Cash Management Poll
 - Best Local Bank in Southeast Asia

“DBS has carved a strong niche in bringing small-cap companies to market in both Singapore and Hong Kong... DBS has now positioned itself as a leader in the small-cap equity space.”

FINANCE ASIA

Finance Asia

- Country Awards for Achievement (Singapore)
 - Best Bank
 - Best Investment Bank
 - Best Equity House
 - Best Bond House
 - Best Broker
- End-of-Year Achievement Awards
 - Best Small-Cap Equity House (Asia ex Australia & Japan)

Global Custodian

- Major Market Agent Bank Review (Singapore)
 - Top-rated / Best in Class in 9 out of 10 service areas

Global Finance

- World's Best Foreign Exchange Banks & Providers
 - Winner in Southeast Asia and Singapore
- World's Best Trade Finance Providers
 - Singapore

“DBS Bank remains a clear winner of Best Retail Bank in Singapore... for its enduring franchise success and its sound retail cost efficiency.”

THE ASIAN BANKER

Hitwise

- Hitwise Singapore Online Performance Award
 - Winner of Banking Category

IFR Asia

League Tables

- Asia-Pacific mandated arrangers – Ranked 4th
- Asia-Pacific bookrunners – Ranked 5th
- China bookrunners – Ranked 2nd
- Indonesia bookrunners – Ranked 4th
- Singapore bookrunners – Ranked 1st

IR Magazine

- South East Asia Awards (Singapore)
 - Grand Prix for Best Overall Investor Relations (Large cap) – Highly commended
 - Best Corporate Governance – Highly commended
 - Most Progress in Investor Relations – Winner

Private Banker International

- Outstanding Regional Private Bank – Asia-Pacific

Securities Investors Association (Singapore)

- SIAS Investors' Choice – Most Transparent Company Award
 - Winner of Finance Category

The Wall Street Journal Asia

- Asia 200 Survey
 - Top 10 Most Admired Companies (Singapore)
 - Top in Financial Soundness Category (Singapore)