

Leading business newspaper Business Standard has adjudged HDFC Bank's Managing Director Mr. Aditya Puri, Banker of the Year for 2015-16.



The award was accepted by our Deputy Managing Director Mr. Paresh Sukthankar, on behalf of Mr. Puri, at the hands of Mr. Arun Jaitley, Minister of Finance, Government of India.

The jury chose Mr. Puri for the HDFC Bank's

- Commendable contribution in the digital banking space
- Deep reach in rural and semi-urban India
- Healthy asset quality
- Healthy profits over the years

Mr. Puri was chosen *Banker of the year* by a six-member jury headed by former Economic Affairs Secretary Mr. C. M. Vasudev. The other jury members were former Reserve Bank of India (RBI) Deputy Governors Mr. Anand Sinha and Mr. H R Khan, Edelweiss Group Chairman Mr. Rashesh Shah, Ican Investment Advisors Chairman Mr. Anil Singhvi, and Ambit Capital CEO — Institutional Equities Mr. Saurabh Mukherjea.