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Winners of the WEX Global 2016 Awards in Lisbon, Portugal

The recently announced WEX Global 2016 Awards Ceremony, given by London based The Water and Energy Exchange, attracted a record number of entries this year. The awards recognised significant achievement in the field of innovation across a broad spectrum of disciplines within the water and energy sectors.

They were open to all companies and organisations that have made a significant contribution to the Water and Wastewater sectors, with specific emphasis on environmental considerations, a sustainable future, financial resilience and innovation.

The winners received their awards on the 1st of March during the WEX Global Gala Dinner at the Marriott Hotel in Lisbon. The dinner was the centrepiece of the 10th anniversary of WEX Global which attracts leaders in water and energy from every part of the globe.

Awards were given for innovation in 7 categories as follows:

1. Water and Energy Award

Winner: GS INIMA “LAGARES ,VIGO WWTP”

Highly Commended:

*GS INIMA “LAGARES ,VIGO WWTP”

*SUEZ “AS SAMRA (JORDAN), WWTP A SOUND AND SUSTAINABLE PROJECT”

*ENVIRONMENTAL DYNAMICS

1 - “BARNHARDT MANUFACTURING , COLRAIN MA, USA”

2- “RETROFIT OF EXISTING LOW PROFILE, AERATION SYSTEM FLOOR MOUNTED PANEL”

3 - “OMMEGANG BREWERY, COOPERSTOWN , NY, USA”

*LNEC “NATIONAL INITIATIVE FOR WATER & ENERGY LOSS MANAGEMENT”

2. Water / Wastewater Management Award

Winner: SHARJAH ELECTRICITY AND WATER AUTHORITY “SEWA’S FIRST OPERATIONAL AQUIFER STORAGE AND RECOVERY SYSTEM (ASR)”

*SUEZ “CHAPULTEPEC (MEXICO) WWTP, THE MEXICO CITY COMMITMENT TO PRESERVE WATER RESOURCES”

*NORD CONSULT “SUPERBIO”

*SHARJAH ELECTRICITY AND WATER AUTHORITY “SEWA'SFIRST OPERATIONAL AQUIFER STORAGE AND RECOVERY SYSTEM (ASR)”

*GUTERMANN “EASYCAN”

3. Operation Award

Winner: ENVIRONMENTAL DYNAMICS “BARNHARDT MANUFACTURING, COLRAIN MA,

USA”

Highly Commended:

*ENVIRONMENTAL DYNAMICS

1 - “BARNHARDT MANUFACTURING , COLRAIN MA, USA”

2- “RETROFIT OF EXISTING LOW PROFILE, AERATION SYSTEM FLOOR MOUNTED PANEL”

3 - “OMMEGANG BREWERY, COOPERSTOWN , NY, USA”

*NORD CONSULT “SUPERBIO”

4. Infrastructure Award

Winner: SUEZ “DOHA WEST WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT”

Highly Commended:

*GS INIMA “LAGARES ,VIGO WWTP”

*SUEZ “DOHA WEST WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT”

*SHARJAH ELECTRICITY AND WATER AUTHORITY “INNOVATIVEINTERNAL WATER LEAKS MANAGEMENT”

5. Technology Award

Winner: NORD CONSULT “SUPERBIO”

Highly Commended:

*INSTITUTO TECNOLOGICO DE GALICIA “WETNET: INNOVATIVE INPIPE HOT-TAP INSERTION FLOW SENSOR PLUS SMART NETWORKS ENABLE ECOWISE ”

*NORD CONSULT “SUPERBIO”

*HAWLE “WATER TREATMENT ZEBRA MUSSEL”

*GUTERMANN “EASYCAN”

6. Finance Award

Winner: MIAHONA “KING KHALID INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT – POTABLE WATER BOOT PROJECT”

Highly Commended:

*MISC “MAJIS INDUSTRIAL WATER SERVICES”

*MIAHONA “KING KHALID INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT – POTABLE WATER BOOT PROJECT”

7. WEX Innovation Forum Award Sponsored by FCC Aqualia

Winner: ARVIA TECNOLOGY

Highly Commended:

*ARVIA TECNOLOGY

*ENVIRONMENTAL DYNAMICS

*HAWLE

*INSTITUTO TECNOLOGICO DE GALICIA

*CONTROL POINT LLP



The awards were given on the basis of written submissions and were judged by an independent panel of international experts who were:

- Jim Southworth - Strategic Partner -Cole Engineering
- Fiona Griffith - Managing Director – Isle Utilities
- Sahanna Singh - Editor - Asian Water Magazine
- Pavel Policar – Member of the Board – Czech Water
- Marek Gromiec – Chairman & Permanent Advisor to the Polish Parliament - Polish Parliament
- Frank Rogalla – Director of Innovation and Technology – FCC Aqualia
- Piers Clark- Chairman – Isle Utilities
- Oliver Grievson – Flow Compliance & Regulatory Efficiency Manager – Anglian Water
- Mokhtar Jaait – Research & Development Director - ONEE
- Mohammad Abaalkhail – Project Engineer – Saudi Fund for Development

WEX Global is an international summit organised on an annual basis by the Water and Energy Exchange. The event brings together leaders in water and energy from leading organisations in the water sector from more than 45 different countries and this year took place in Lisbon from the 29th of February – 2nd March.