

GEOSPATIAL WORLD AWARDS CONFERED ON LEADING ORGANISATIONS

PRESS RELEASE

Amsterdam, The Netherlands 4th May, 2012: On the occasion of Geospatial World Forum 2012 held in Amsterdam, The Netherlands, Geospatial World magazine felicitated professionals and organisations for Excellence in developing Application, Technology Innovation, and Policy Implementation using geospatial technologies worldwide. The awards were distributed to the winners in the three categories during the Awards Night function held on 24th April, 2012 at RAI Amsterdam.

The winners of the prestigious awards were chosen after inviting nominations from across the globe in the three categories. The nominations were then evaluated and judged by an international panel of experts.

The winners in the various categories were:

GEOSPATIAL WORLD EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Application of Geospatial Technology in Urban Planning

Gothenburg City, Sweden & AGENCY 9 AB, Sweden

Application of Geospatial Technology in Land Administration

Sarawak Information Technology Resource Council, Malaysia and Sarawak Information Systems Sendirian Berhad (SAINS), Malaysia

Application of Geospatial Technology in Health Services

Division of Spatial Information Science, Graduate School of Life and Environmental Sciences, University of Tsukuba, Japan

Application of Geospatial Technology in Virtual Reality

VALE, Brazil

Application of Geospatial Technology in Mining

Coal India Ltd.

Application of Geospatial Technology in Municipal Services

The Abu Dhabi Sewerage Services Company, UAE

Application of Geospatial Technology in Utility Services (Power)

Alabama Power, USA

Application of Geospatial Technology in Oil & Gas Production

Qatar Petroleum

Application of Geospatial Technology in Mass Media

VPRO Broadcasting Corporation, The Netherlands

Application of Geospatial Technology in Public Safety

British Transport Police

Application of Geospatial Technology in Facilities Information System

Solidere s.a.l , Lebanon and Khatib & Alami CEC, Lebanon

Application of Geospatial Technology in Transportation Management

Crossrail Ltd, United Kingdom

GEOSPATIAL WORLD POLICY AWARDS**Award for Excellence in Geospatial Policy Implementation for 'BILATERAL COOPERATION'**

International Joint Commission - Canada & USA

Exemplary Implementation of Geospatial Policies and Programs

PSMA Australia Ltd.

Exemplary Implementation of Geospatial Policies and Programs

European Commission eContentplus Programme, and EuroGeographics, Belgium

Excellence in Geospatial Standards Implementation

The 'OneGeology' Project

GEOSPATIAL WORLD INNOVATION AWARDS**Technology Innovation Award for 3D Visualisation and Modelling**

SOFTOPIA Japan

Technology Innovation Award for Mobile Mapping

Avenza Systems Inc., Canada

Technology Innovation Award for LiDAR Data Processing

LASSO, Germany

Technology Innovation Award for Photogrammetry

Optech, Canada

On the occasion, Sanjay Kumar, CEO, Geospatial Media and Communications said, “Geospatial industry, over time, has touched various verticals of the global economy thus gaining a mainstream position affecting overall growth of the domains. Geospatial World Forum, being a truly global congregation of geospatial industry experts is the right platform to recognize such outstanding

contribution to the geospatial community furthering the use and application of the technology. We congratulate all the awardees and look forward to more winners next year.”

The ceremony was concluded with a Gala Dinner that included dance performances from different regions of the world.

About Geospatial Media and Communications

Geospatial Media and Communication works towards raising the profile and expanding the horizons of the geospatial industry through creating awareness, connecting industry communities, policy advocacy, and business development initiatives.

About Geospatial World: The geospatial industry magazine

With a mission to be the voice of world geospatial industry, Geospatial Media and Communications Pvt Ltd publishes its flagship magazine, Geospatial World, the geospatial industry magazine. Mandated to be the most effective geospatial publication, Geospatial World brings the latest news and happenings across the world, presents views of experts through interviews and columns, advocates on policy issues and captures the dynamics of the geospatial industry through comprehensive articles. Considered as one of the best publications by the domain experts, Geospatial World enjoys a circulation of 16000 copies in 140+ countries.

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