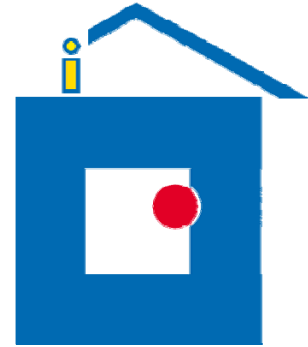


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1. Information

Sponsor of the indoor air quality award

The working committee for indoor air quality advertises the European indoor air quality award.

The award's purpose

The award is meant as a funding and an appreciation of outstanding enterprising and technological performances in the indoor air quality field in Europe.

Exemplary accomplishments at the initiation of procedures and the development of products and services in the indoor air quality field will be awarded.

Including in particular:

- Application-specific solutions for indoor air quality and services which enhance indoor air quality.
- Product developments in the indoor air quality field which verifiably avoid or reduce the appearance of interior pollution load e. g. building materials with catalytic activity or technical improvement/optimisation of cleaning/filtering and maintenance of equipment.
- First-time or exemplary application of individualised techniques and procedures.
- Innovative services that conduce to reduction of interior contaminant at the customer's.
- Exemplary planning and construction-attendance to improve indoor air quality.
- Commendable communication with clients and in public.
- The sustainable support of living health and indoor air quality by extraordinary conceptions or initiatives, e. g. in customer contact or in advertising.
- Advice purposing the sensitisation of customers for sustainable purchase decisions and the increase of market share of indoor air quality products and services.

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The competition entries will be judged by the following criteria:

- Relevance of indoor air quality in living and working premises,
- innovational level of products and services,
- integrated solutions and cross-industry processes and networks.

Participation

European companies and institutions can apply for the European indoor air quality award. No titles arise from the participation. The jurors as well as the current members of the working committee for indoor air quality are barred from the competition. Competition entries need to be presented in German.

Endowment

The prize money amounts to 5.000 €.

The competition is sponsored by the Professional Association SHK – Sanitary, Heating and Air Conditioning Trades – North Rhine-Westphalia, the Düsseldorf Chamber of Small Industries and Skilled Trades, the National Association of Building Maintenance Craft Guild of North Rhine-Westphalia and the Competence Centre for Planners and Architects of the Professional Association SHK.

The prize money also contains a special award from the Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management amounting to 3.000 € for outstanding developments to improve indoor air quality.

The prize may be split on the orders of the jury. A deed will be executed.

Jury

The awarding decision is made by a jury on the basis of the competition entries at hand. The jury is independent. All jurors work voluntarily. The jury's decision is final. There is no right of appeal.

Fees

The application for the indoor air quality award is free.

The deadline for the competition papers is October 1st, 2010. The date of the postmark deemed to be the date of delivery. The competitor assumes postage and packing of the competition papers as well as possible travel expenses.

Awarding

The awarding is taking place on February 15th, 2011 within the 3rd German forum of indoor air quality in the Messe Essen. The laureate is supposed to be present at the awarding. The award-winning competition objects shall be released by the sponsors for promotional usage.

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Management

The working committee for indoor air quality is in charge of the selection procedure's accomplishment, the preparation for the jury conference as well as all further accruing administrative tasks. The committee allocates all therefor required personnel, organisational and financial resources.

2. Conditions of participation

Condition of participation for the European indoor air quality award is the filing of the entire application papers.

The application papers consist of:

- the application form (pages 4-6 of this document involving address, abstract of your paper and further particulars),
- an extensive written description of your competition entry (how it works, which purpose it serves, trade mark rights, references etc.) - max. 10 A4- pages,
- additional technical sketches, models and/or photos, where required,
- copies of trade mark rights certificates – if existent – and
- further essential information, if required, depending on the kind of the project.

If you would like to hand in technical devices or constructions, please contact the working committee for indoor air quality, Mr. Sproten (phone: 0049 (0) 211/6906510), in advance.

The application papers must be received by the working committee for indoor air quality, c/o Fachverband Sanitär Heizung Klima Nordrhein- Westfalen, by October 1st, 2010 at the latest.

Direct all papers to:

Arbeitskreis innenraumhygiene
c/o Fachverband Sanitär Heizung Klima Nordrhein-Westfalen
Graf-Adolf-Str. 12
40212 Düsseldorf
Fax: 00 49 (0)2 11-690 65-29
kontakt@innenraumhygiene.com

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3. Application form

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40212 Düsseldorf
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kontakt@innenraumhygiene.com

Submitter:

Surname:

First Name:

Company/branch of trade:

Street address:

Postal code/City:

Country:

Phone:

Fax:

E-mail:

Internet:

Caption of the competition entry:

Abstract of the competition entry:

1. To which of the following indoor air quality fields does your work contribute?

Ventilation technology and gases
Surfaces, floorings, paints and plasters
Constructional engineering
Home and clinic equipment, baths etc.
(Building) Materials
Disinfection / cleaning
Clearance of moisture damage and mould
Metrology, such as thermography and humidity measurement
Planning and execution
Health protection and (occupational) medicine
Other:

2. Is the procedure legally protected?

Yes. In what way?

(Please attach specifics and poss. copies of trade mark rights)

No

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3. Is your idea/ development already implemented?

Yes. Where?

No

4. Besides an extensive description as an illustration of the competition entry, this information sheet has the following attached:

Model(s)

Sketch(es)

Photo(s)

5. I acknowledge the conditions of participation for the indoor air quality award 2011. In the case of winning the award I agree to let the organiser (the working committee for indoor air quality and the award's supporters) present my competition entry in public.

6. I assure, that I created the filed competition papers.

City, date

legally binding signature