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bauma Innovation Award

Entries accepted online starting April 7

- **Wanted: Innovative developments that offer future potential, practical benefit and cost-efficiency**
- **Awards presented at bauma opening ceremony**

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The bauma Innovation Award will be presented for the eleventh time at the upcoming bauma in 2016. The award is a joint initiative carried out under the auspices of the German Engineering Federation (VMDA), the German Construction Industry Association (HDB), the Central Association of the German Construction Industry (ZDB), the German Building Materials Association (BBS) and bauma. The 31st edition of the World's Leading Trade Fair for Construction Machinery, Building Material Machines, Mining Machines, Construction Vehicles and Construction Equipment takes place from April 11 to 17, 2016 at the Messe München exhibition center.

Entries invited from April onwards

Entries for the bauma Innovation Award can be submitted between April 7 and August 31, 2015. Those eligible to enter are the exhibitors at bauma, research institutes and research companies, and members of the leading associations in the German construction industry. For application documents, go to:

www.bauma-innovationspreis.de/en/application.html. As last time, in 2016 the awards are again being presented in the following five categories:

- Machinery
- Components
- Construction process/Construction work
- Research
- Design

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Innovations for the future

The awards are presented for promising developments that are future-capable, cost-efficient and offer a high practical benefit that contribute towards energy and resource-efficiency and/or humanization of the workplace. In all categories, the innovations submitted must be relevant to the construction equipment, building material and mining equipment industry or to the construction industry and the building material industry. An international jury of representatives from research, industry and the trade press nominate three innovations in each category. These are then announced at the bauma Media Dialog in Munich on January 19 and 20, 2016. The presentation of the awards to the winners takes place on April 10, 2016, as part of the opening ceremony to bauma in Munich.

For further information on the bauma Innovation Award, go to:

www.bauma-innovation-award.com/en/

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About bauma

bauma is the world's leading sector event for construction machinery, building material machines, mining machines, construction vehicles and construction equipment. With a total exhibition space of 575,000 square meters, bauma is also the largest trade show in the world. In 2013 bauma broke all previous records, attracting a total of 3,421 exhibitors from 57 countries, and 535,065 visitors from over 200 countries. bauma takes place every three years in Munich; the dates for the next edition are April 11 to 17, 2016.

Construction machinery trade shows of Messe München

In addition to organizing the world's leading trade show, bauma in Munich, Messe München International has extensive experience and expertise in organizing other international trade shows for the construction machinery at locations around the world. As well as the brand event bauma China in Shanghai, Messe München also cooperates with the Association of Equipment Manufacturers (AEM) in the organization of bC India in Greater Noida, Delhi and BAUMA CONEXPO AFRICA in Johannesburg.

Messe München International

Messe München International is one of the world's leading trade show companies. In Munich alone it organizes around 40 trade shows for capital and consumer goods, and key high tech industries. Each year more than 30,000 exhibitors and around two million visitors take part in the events held at the Messe München exhibition center, the ICM – International Congress Center München, and in the MOC Veranstaltungszentrum München. The leading international trade fairs of Messe München International are all independently audited. In addition, Messe München International organizes trade shows in China, India, Turkey and South Africa. With a combination of affiliates abroad – in Europe, Asia and in Africa – and over 60 foreign representatives actively serving over 100 countries, Messe München International has a worldwide business network. The Group also takes a pioneering role as regards sustainability: It is the first trade-fair

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company to be awarded energy-efficiency certification from the technical inspection authorities TÜV SÜD.