CoreNet Global chapter Benelux Student Award

With this annual award and ceremony during the CoreNet New Year’s event, CoreNet Global Benelux Chapter and Johnson Controls - Global Workplace Solutions are keen on bridging the gap between students and professionals in the industry.

What is the Student Award?
This year there are three categories CoreNet Global chapter Benelux Student Awards:
1. Student Award for Academic Masters
2. Student Award for Postacademics MRE
3. Student Award for Bachelors

The winner will have the unique opportunity to network and join the presentations during a 2 day visit at the annual CoreNet Global Summit in Berlin. The prize includes free entry, travel and hotel accommodation. Between 400-500 (senior) professionals from the industry visit this event.

Why is the Award of interest to students?
- It encourages students to submit good quality, innovative, relevant and feasible ideas for current professionals in the industry;
- It is an opportunity for students to be visible in the industry by means of the PR around the Awards, which helps them to kick start their career.
- This is an invitation to professionals in the industry to be made aware of the best student ideas. The award is a motivation for them to share their knowledge and experience with students by offering internships, graduation projects, or be a guest lecturer.

What can be submitted?
- The submission should focus on a topic that relates to Corporate Real Estate, Facility Management or the Workplace industry in the broadest sense.
- The submission:
  - A thesis or similar document written in Dutch or English;
  - Digital format, including all attachments and a summary of 1-2 A4;
  - Name and full contact details of the student;
  - A short letter from the supervising teacher (name and contact details) that confirm 1) the submitted document is part of the program, 2) has been assessed in 2013, 3) the grade awarded and 4) a short motivation for competing for the Award.
- As a principle the content of the submission will be made public entirely. By exception the jury can decide whether some level of confidentiality is acceptable.
- Submission is due prior to the 31st of December 2013 at BE-NL-corenet-studentaward@jci.com

What does the assessment process look like?
A Jury of 5 professionals from the industry and the board of CoreNet Benelux will select the two best submissions per category.

During the Student Award Event 2014:
- The students will hold a short presentation of the pre-selected submissions
- The jury will explain the reasons for selection of these submissions
- The audience will vote per category to determine the final winner of the Student Award
The prize will be awarded directly after the voting. Usually there is a representation of the press that will report on this event and CoreNet Global will, together with Johnson Controls, send a Press Release via social media and announce the results on their respective websites.

How do I register as visitor of the Student Award Event 2014?
Participation at the event on January 30th 2014 is free. Participation is possible for students, teachers of programs related to the mentioned expertise fields, for professionals from the industry and CoreNet members. Condition for participation is registration per email at BE-NL-corenet-studentaward@jci.com, and quoting contact details (company/program, name, address and telephone number). Registration is open until January 24th 2014.

How do I get more information?
For more information please send an email to the above mentioned email address, or contact:
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Updated Website
Please check the below website for frequent updates on items as the members of the jury, location details and the full program for the 30th of January 2014.

http://benelux.corenetglobal.org/Events/EventCalendar/StudentAwards2014