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Eswatini Enviro – Climate & Tourism Symposium & Awards 2020

“Build Back Better”



Theme: Hearing the Outcry of Mother Nature and Climate Change

“Settling our climate debt now and healing our environment”

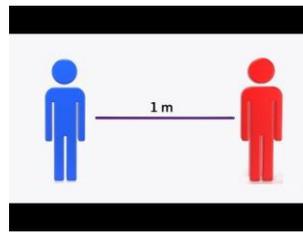
As We Profit From Nature, Let Us Care For Her As She Nurtures Us –

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SCOPE

The awards acknowledge, recognize and honour businesses, organizations, communities and individuals who have demonstrated exceptional environmental stewardship by dedicating themselves and their talents to the protection of the environment. The Temvelo awards program provides competition and incentives to expand and improve environmental protection efforts.

AWARDS CATEGORIES

1. Green Business Initiative Award

- a. Construction
- b. Manufacturing
- c. Retail
- d. Agro business
- e. Forestry
- f. Finance
- g. Hospitality
- h. Petroleum
- i. Motor Mechanics (fuel and lubricants spilling)
- j. Energy

Awarded to a business with systems or programme that is responsive to Green Economy.

2. Green Municipality

Awarded to a municipality that has achieved developing solutions using its risk assessment and management expertise, forming strategic partnerships to improve sustainability, as well as service delivery in municipal environment related functions.

3. The Water Conservation Award

This award recognizes and honours individuals or entities who dedicate themselves and their talents to the conservation and the wise use of water.

4. The Energy Efficiency Award

This award is for a product or service that results in energy saving.

5. The Recycling and Waste Management Award

- 5.1. Recycling and Waste Management- Individual
- 5.2. Recycling and Waste Management-Company

This award is for an entity that has developed a policy, programme or project that has contributed to a greater public understanding and participation in waste reduction, re-use and recycling.

6. The Biodiversity Award

This award is for an entity that has the best biodiversity protection and rehabilitation programme.

7. The Climate Change Responsive Award

7.1. Climate Change Responsive Business

- Construction
- Manufacturing
- Retail
- Agro business
- Forestry
- Finance
- Hospitality
- Petroleum
- Motor Mechanics (fuel and lubricants spilling)
- Energy

7.2. Climate Change Responsive Individual

7.3. Organization

- Community Project
- Faith Based Organization
- NGO

7.4. Climate Change Champion of the Year

This category recognizes an entity, individual or team who are champions for change, development, implementation, and institutionalization of a sustainability practice to reduce the overall greenhouse gas footprint in support of the climate change goals. It will be awarded to an entity that has a responsive climate change related adaptation and/or mitigation measures.

8. Green Tertiary Institution Award

This award recognizes a tertiary institution that has made an effort to educate and adopt the environmental agenda and has further taken the initiative to adopt practices thereto such as recycling, water harvesting, etc.

9. Schools

9.1. Eco- Primary School Award

This award is for a primary school that has made an effort to educate and adopt the environmental agenda and has further taken the initiative to adopt practices thereto such as recycling, water harvesting, etc.

9.2. Eco- Secondary School Award

This award is for a secondary school that has made an effort to educate and adopt the environmental agenda and has further taken the initiative to adopt practices thereto such as recycling, water harvesting, etc.

10. Organization Environmental Project Award

- 10.1. Community Environmental project
- 10.2. Environmentally Active Faith Based Organization
- 10.3. Environmentally Responsive NGO

This award recognizes a community that has acted collectively to protect, preserve, or restore the Earth's life forms, eco-systems, or natural resources.

11. Green Parastatal Award

This award is for a parastatal with a sound and functional environmental program.

12. Most Biosafety

- 12.1. Compliant Company
- 12.2. Leading Inspectorate

13. Entrepreneur's Award

- 13.1. Environmental Entrepreneurs – Individual Award
- 13.2. Environmental Entrepreneurs- Organization

This award is for an environmentally friendly product or service that is sustainable and serves the needs of humans whilst being equally beneficial to the environment and its eco-systems.

14. Green Government Department Award

This award recognizes a government department with a functional environmental program.

15. Environmental Friendly Health Facility Award

- 15.1. Hospital
- 15.2. Health Centre
- 15.3. Clinic

This award is for taking the lead in environmental stewardship and the best practices for renovations, green procurement, cleaning, waste disposal and recycling, and provision of green spaces.

16. Green Border Post

This award is for a Port of Entry that has the best systems and outlook that is responsive and caters for the environment (e.g. waste management systems; waste bins, environmental maintenance, etc.)

17. Most Hospitable Border Post

This award is for a Port of Entry that has the most reasonable turnaround time in servicing clients and the most hospitable and friendly staff (according to public opinion).

18. Green Resort

- 18.1. Hotel/ Motel/ Lodge
- 18.2. Guest House/ B&B
- 18.3. Restaurant and Bar
- 18.4. Informal (Chicken Dust/ Maize Roasters)

This award is for a Resort that has the best systems, policies and outlook that is responsive and caters for the environment (e.g. waste management systems; waste bins, environmental maintenance, etc.)

19. Most Hospitable Resort

- 19.1.** Hotel/ Motel/ Lodge
- 19.2.** Guest House/ B&B
- 19.3.** Restaurant and Bar
- 19.4.** Informal (Chicken Dust/ Maize Roasters)

This award is for a Resort that has the most reasonable turnaround time in servicing clients and the most hospitable and friendly staff. (according to public opinion)

20. Green Arena

This award is for a stadium that has the best systems and outlook that is responsive and caters for the environment (e.g. waste management systems; waste bins, environmental maintenance, etc.)

21. 21st Century Eco Building

This award will be given to a building constructed within the last ten years that is ecofriendly.

22. Eco Sensitive National Sporting Event

This award is for a sporting event that is on the national sporting calendar, that can best manage waste during and post event. Also one that has build up projects that are promoting the environment.

23. Green Region

This award goes to a region that has environment structures, programmes, visible activities and the outlook thereof.

24. Media

24.1. Environmentally Responsive Media House

This award is for media productions that increase public awareness of environmental issues and inspire action on these issues.

24.2. Environmental Journalist Award

The award is for a journalist, whose published articles representing the best reporting on the Earth's life forms, eco-systems, or natural resources.

25. Individuals

25.1. Young Eco-Hero Award

This award will be given to a young individual who is passionate and has an understanding of environmental issues and has the ability to inspire students or young people on matters of environmental management.

25.2. Lifetime Achievement Award

This award is for an individual, whose actions have conserved, nurtured, defended or restored the Earth's life forms, eco-systems, or natural resources.

26. Forestry Fire Management

This award is for a Forestry institution that has systems that are able to detect, prevent, mitigate and manage forest fires.

27. Greener than the Green Award (Champ of Champs)

This award is for a big organization that has a proven track record of green practice spanning not less than five years; and proof of national, local community and grassroots business collaborations on environmental initiatives.

NOMINATIONS

The Ministry of Tourism and Environmental Affairs invites nominations from individuals, organizations, companies and communities who exemplify leadership and advocate for protection of the environment in the country. Persons may nominate themselves, their own organizations, or a third party whom they believe should receive recognition.

All nominations must be supported by:

Press clippings, testimonials and photographs may be sent to support the nomination. Please do not send books, videos, etc. Short-listed applicants will be contacted for further supporting information.

All nominations will be reviewed and judged by Capable and Credible Adjudicators from Eswatini and South Africa.

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Deadline for receipt of **nominations** is **7 October 2020**.