

CCS & CCSS

NEWSLETTER



Summer 2024



36th Annual Gold Awards

There appears to be two things that become more certain with every year that passes. Judging Day for the CCS will always provide foul weather (perhaps owing somewhat to the February diary slot). The other certainty is promise of the glorious the sunshine that areets the Considerate Contractor Scheme and Considerate Contractor Streetworks Scheme's annual Gold Awards ceremony. We returned to what is fast becoming the spiritual home of the awards, the City's Merchant Taylors' Hall, with Alderman Alison Gowman on hand to open the ceremony and hand out the awards to the winners.

As ever, much of the hard work to arrive at awards day, had already been completed by the CCS team and the member sites across the preceding 12 months. Our judging day saw the panel visit 4



Chairman of Planning and Transportation Committee Shravan Joshi handing over the Chairman's Trophy to Jon Ankiewicz of Multiplex for their work at One Leadenhall Street

outstanding sites. MACE at Salisbury Square, Sir Robert McAlpine at 1 Broadgate, MACE at 40 Leadenhall Street and Multiplex at 1 Leadenhall Street. Each site was given the opportunity to speak to the panel to discuss how they have successfully arrived at the top of the CCS scoring charts and the panel were given time to probe the site teams for further detail. The panel reconvened at the Guildhall for a chance to go over the opportunities and hindrances that each site had to deal with before aiding the Chairman in coming to his decision. It was agreed that this years winner of the Chairman's Trophy would be Multiplex for their work at One Leadenhall Street.

From everyone involved at the City of London's CCS and CCSS teams, we would like to thank the members of both schemes for their commitment to the principles of the schemes, working hard to keep the City of London a go to destination for investment, businesses and visitors.

Best of luck for the year ahead and please get in touch with the CCS/CCSS teams regarding the work that you are undertaking that exceeds expectations and adds to the positive relationships that scheme members enjoy with their communities.

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CCSS Innovation Award



This year's Innovation Award was won by Cadent Gas for their Minecraft Road and Streetworks Safety Awareness game. This project creatively merges education, safety, and inclusivity to positively impact communities. Emphasising children's participation at every stage, the project aims to enhance awareness regarding the influence of street works near schools.

The game came about through a collaborative TfL Lane Rental Funded initiative involving Cadent and Skewb Climate.

It promotes active travel which adheres to the Highway Code. The game prioritises safety for pedestrians and cyclists, whilst also highlighting women in engineering to foster inclusion and diversity. The many benefits of the game are obvious such as increased awareness around street works/highways works in regard to safety. This dovetails with TFL's drive to reduce the number of incidents arising from street works/highway works. It also ensures a better understanding of why utilities undertake work and the importance of stakeholder collaboration. Another benefit is the engagement with the next engineers, generation of increasing the opportunity for future recruitment within this bracket, as there is an inherent risk around the current age profile of the workforce.

The other nominees that were in contention for the Innovation Award were Vorboss' e-bike and the Data Tech OK Alone lone working app.

We look forward to seeing what leaps the industry will make over the coming year and heaping more praise on those striving to have a positive impact on the industry.

The central photo shows Gary Hawkins, Susan Sharp and Ruta Blazeviciute of Cadent Gas and Skewb Climate receiving the award from Alderman Alison Gowman.







CCS Award Winners

Highly Commended Winners



40 Leadenhall Street - Mace Group Ltd
Salisbury Square - Mace Group Ltd

1 Leadenhall Street - Multiplex Construction
Europe Ltd

1 Broadgate - Sir Robert McAlpine

Gold Award Winners

25 Moorgate - Blenheim House Construction Ltd 14-21 Holborn Viaduct - Erith Contractors Ltd

Swan Lane - Erith Contractors Ltd
6-10 St Andrew Street - Faithdean Plc
33 Old Broad Street - ISG Ltd
50 Fenchurch Street - Keltbray Ltd
2 Aldermanbury - Keltbray Ltd
4 Frederick's Place - Knight Harwood
Stonecutter Court - Mace Group Ltd
Peterborough Court - Mace Group Ltd
101 Moorgate - Mace Group Ltd
1 Golden Lane - McGee Group Holdings Ltd
61-65 Holborn Viaduct - McGee Group
Holdings Ltd

2-3 Eldon Street - Mica Projects Ltd
150 Aldersgate Street - Midgard Ltd
Skinners' Hall - Rooff Limited
2 Finsbury Avenue - Sir Robert McAlpine
21 Moorfields - Sir Robert McAlpine
41 Lothbury - Wates Group Ltd



Harish Raghwani, James Argent and Luisa
Ramos Steiner collecting their Highly
Commended Award for MACE Salisbury Square



Bethany Lilley and Simon Givens from Wates at 41 Lothbury receiving their award







CCSS Award Winners



Highly Commended Winners

Cadent Gas Ltd
Colt Technology Services Group
Lumen Technologies
OCU Group
Thames Water Utilities Ltd
UK Power Networks
Vorboss Limited
Zayo Group UK Limited
Data Tech Holdings Ltd
J B Riney
JSM Group Ltd
Stanmore Quality Surfacing Ltd



BT Openreach
euNetworks
Verizon UK Limited
Virgin Media
Vodafone
CA Telecom UK Limited
Compass Infrastructure UK
Limited
Ferns Group
F M Conway
Kelly Group

Reach Active

Stark Works



Phil Molony, Donna Laing and Alison Hookway from Data Tech receive their Highly Commended Award



Suresh Hirani and Kevin Masters from Zayo Group receiving their Gold Award







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Individual Award Winners





Environment Award

Vorboss Limited

City Mark Construction Logistics Planning Award

61-65 Holborn Viaduct - McGee Group Holdings Ltd

Individual Award

Mick Alden, Contract Manager (J B Riney & Co Ltd)

Street Works Communication Award

Cadent Gas Ltd

Street Works Innovation Award

Cadent Gas Ltd

Scaffold Gold Award

Diamond Scaffolding Ltd



Mark Byrne, Tam Uddin and Bella Vermunt of McGee Group receiving the City Mark Award



Jonathan Albert, Jordan Twomey and Sam Woodcock from Vorboss receiving their Environment Award













And Finally...





It is not often that a person spends their whole career working for the same company, but Streetworks Manager Darran Gowdy has done exactly that. Darran started with the City of London in 1981 on a temporary basis as a traffic counter, then in 1983 on a permanent basis as a Drainage Inspector. Darran has since worked across many roles including as Highways Inspector before moving up to manage the Streetworks Team.

Darran has been an everpresent member of the CCS and CCSS team since it's inception and continues to work with utilities and their contractors, driving high standards and innovation within the Square Mile.

Congratulations on over 40 years of service with the City of London.

Wishing a happy, healthy summer to all involved in the CCS and CCSS!



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