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FEICA/EURADH LAUNCH ADHESION INNOVATION AWARD

FEICA, the Association of the European Adhesive and Sealant Industry, announced the launch of the Award for Innovative Adhesion Science at its yearly European Adhesive & Sealant Conference and EXPO last week.

The joint EURADH (European adhesion societies) and FEICA Award for Innovative Adhesion Science aims to stimulate the interactions between industrial and scientific activities.

Applications are invited from young researchers working in adhesion science in Europe who have published outstanding work. The scope and possible topics are identical to those of the call for papers for <u>EURADH 2018</u>.

Philip Bruce, FEICA's Secretary General, stated 'We are very proud to support the adhesives and sealants industry in every way and are especially keen to stimulate future innovations in our sector. The adhesive and sealant industry's products make everyday products thinner, stronger, safer, smaller, faster, lighter, smarter and thus more sustainable. Supporting this award is another opportunity for FEICA to foster ties between industrial and scientific activities and to raise awareness of the outstanding contribution our sector's innovators make towards a circular economy."

The award is funded by FEICA and will presented at the EURADH biannual conferences. More details on the prize and how to apply are available via www.feica.eu and www.adhesionaward.org

The EURADH adhesion societies consist of Associação Portuguesa de Adesão e Adesivos (Portugal), Grupo Iberoamericano de Adhesión (Spain), DECHEMA (Germany), Société Française du Vide (France), Society for Adhesion and Adhesives (UK) and De bond voor materialenkennis (The Netherlands).

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