

Stefanutti Stocks – Basil Read JV takes top honours at MBA North Safety awards

Months of intense effort by Master Builders Association North (MBA North) Construction Health and Safety team, site audits and stiff competition amongst members for the coveted awards, culminated in the prestigious MBA North 2017 Regional Construction Health and Safety Awards presentation evening in Midrand in July.

The event was well attended by MBA North office bearers, members and guests as well as by MBA North Past Presidents Eunice Forbes, Pieter Rude, Geoff Irons and Manie Bosch, Herman Enoch – Marketing Manager for Federated Employers Mutual Assurance Company (FEM) and renowned safety specialist Doug Michell.

The winner of the FEM Super League Trophy for Projects R500 Million and Above was awarded to the Stefanutti Stocks and Basil Read Joint Venture (SSBR JV) for their outstanding safety performance at the Kusile Power Station. Runners-up in this category, taking both second and third place, was Tiber WBHO JV for 140 West Street and the Discovery New Head Office respectively. The winner in Category A: Plant and Storage was also Tiber Construction for the Village Deep Yard. For the full list of winners visit www.sabuilder.co.za.

The trophy for the Best Performing Construction Health and Safety Manager was presented to James Flint of WBHO for his outstanding work on the PWC Tower construction project.

In his address to those present Mohau Mphomela, Executive Director of MBA North said: "These Awards were developed with the main objective of encouraging organizations to establish effective systems for managing occupational safety and health and to instil the aspect of a safe culture in the daily duties of workers and employers. A safe and healthy workforce will not only be beneficial for your organization but also for the benefit of the country and the people of South Africa."

Mphomela gave special thanks to FEM for their significant and long-standing support of the Regional and National Health and safety Awards.

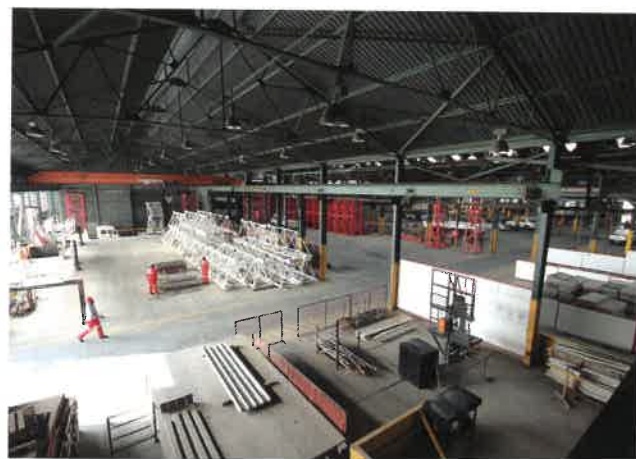
Construction Health and Safety Manager, MBA North, Gerhard Roets provided insight to the site audit and judging process, noting that all 60 entries are indeed winners in their own right, and that the exceptionally high standard of all entries made judging all the more difficult. Roets congratulated all entrants on their achievements in the 2017 MBA North Safety Awards competition. "Eight of these winning entries now go through to the Master Builders South Africa National Health and Safety Competition," said Roets. "And we wish them every success."

For the full list of winners visit www.sabuilder.co.za

The winners of the Master Builders South Africa National Health and Safety Competition will be announced at Congress in Cape Town in September. ■



Herman Enoch (left), FEM marketing Manager, presents the FEM Super League Trophy for Projects R500 Million and Above to the Stefanutti Stocks and Basil Read Joint Venture for their outstanding safety performance at the Kusile Power Station construction site



Winner of Category A: Plant & Storage: Tiber Construction, the Village Deep Yard



Gerhard Roets, Construction Health and Safety Manager, MBA North



Plant Yard
1st Place
Tiber
Village Deep Yard

MBA NORTH 2017 REGIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY COMPETITION WINNERS

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2nd Place
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140 West Street



R500m Plus
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