



Velo-City 2013: Press Information

Already more than 12.000 votes for Cycling Visionaries Awards

- **New ideas to evolve cycling cultures around the globe**
- **218 submissions from 49 countries and all continents**
- **Public Voting online until 15 April**

Vienna, 5 April 2013: 218 project ideas from 49 countries have been submitted for the Cycling Visionaries Awards, powered by the international Velo-city conference taking place from 11 to 14 June 2013 in Vienna, Austria. The number and creative quality of submissions reflects the momentum of urban cycling on a global scale. The Public Voting is ongoing until 15 April, see www.velo-city2013.com/CVA. More than 12.000 people already voted for projects in 5 categories.

The programme seeks to support young individuals from different backgrounds and cultural contexts engaged in the evolution of cycling as key to the future of urban mobility. The 30 winners of the Cycling Visionaries Awards are entitled to free participation in the foremost global venue on urban cycling, the Velo-city conference. During the conference the Cycling Visionaries will meet leading voices of the global cycling community and expand the scope of their work.

Categories of the Cycling Visionaries Awards

- Advocacy and Social Projects
- Science, Research and Development
- Design, Fashion and Cycling Equipment
- Urban Planning and Urban Design – supported by **SRAM**
- Cycling and the Arts

The Velo-city conference series

Velo-city conferences serve as a global communication and information platform aiming to address decision makers in order to improve the planning and provision of infrastructure for the everyday use of bicycles in urban environments. Velo-city conferences typically bring together more than 1,000 planners, architects, engineers, social marketers, businessmen/women, industry representatives, academic researchers, environmental activists, managers and administrative experts to share their know-how and establish networks with the aim of delivering benefits to cycling worldwide. The European Cyclists' Federation (ECF) is the initiator and co-organiser of the Velo-city conferences.

Information, program, registration

Velo-city 2013 conference, 11 to 14 June, Vienna, Austria: www.velo-city2013.com

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