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# THE WINNERS OF THE NEW CIVIL ENGINEER AWARDS 2019 HAVE BEEN CROWNED

KERN Tunneltechnik was announced as the deserving winner of the Innovation in Instrumentation and Monitoring at the NCE's Tunnelling Festival Awards 2019.

The <u>Tunnelling Festival</u> brought together our Tunnelling Summit and Tunnelling Awards participants into one exciting event.

In a glittering ceremony held at the Leonardo Royal Hotel London Tower Bridge, London on 5 December, individuals and organisations across the geo-tech industry were honoured across 16 categories in a night of recognition dedicated to celebrating exceptional achievement.

Following a rigorous judging process, **KERN Tunneltechnik** emerged as the winner of **Innovation in Instrumentation and Monitoring** for their work on **KERN LAB: Secondary Lining Digitalization**.

The judges praised them for the comprehensive presentation that demonstrated how they are identified the need, established a focussed programme of innovation development and achieved a successful outcome over a few short months. Their solution goes a long way to solving quality problems associated with construction, removes workers from risky environment and saves costs.

## New Civil Engineer editor Mark Hansford said:

"This was the tenth running of the New Civil Engineer Tunnelling Awards. In those ten years I can't think of a time when we were more in need of reasons to celebrate success. Thankfully, this year's entrants gave us those reasons in so many ways.

*The projects, the innovations, and the teams that we judged were exceptional and prove – once again – that this is an industry that delivers for clients, and for society at large.* 

I'd like to congratulate everyone on the shortlist - getting to the final stage was not an easy task this year – but we have some very worthy winners this year who should be proud of their achievement."

Congratulations once again to all the winners and those shortlisted, and a huge thank you to our judges, sponsors and supporters."

Discover more about the Tunnelling Festival 2019 at <u>tunnelling.newcivilengineer.com</u> EMAP contact: Melisa Madambi on 020 3953 2633



### Notes to Editors:

Find the complete winners list here: https://tunnelling.newcivilengineer.com/winners-2019

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