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Media Information

2012 Winners of the "Young International Freight Forwarder of the Year Award"

Four regional finalists representing the future of the freight forwarding industry are preparing to travel to Los Angeles, USA, for the FIATA World Congress, 08 – 12 October 2012. The four finalists will come in hopes to be selected as the overall Young International Freight Forwarder of the Year 2012, the 14th edition. Here is the list of the finalists:

Region Africa/Middle East	: Mr Daniel Terbille, South Africa
Region Americas	: Mr Salman Ali, Canada
Region Asia/Pacific	: Mr Christopher Yabsley, Australia
Region Europe	: Ms Nadine Baumgartner, Germany

The Young International Freight Forwarder of the Year Award is the sponsors' and FIATA's recognition of the need to further increase quality in the industry by rewarding young talent with valuable training opportunities. Having been a sponsor of the award since its inception the TT Club firmly believes in the importance of individual training and development within the industry.

The coveted prize principally consists of practical and academic training and includes hands-on training experience at one of TT Club's regional centres in London, Hong Kong or New Jersey. Attendance at the "Insight into Transport Law and Insurance" course in London, one year's subscription to the International Transport Journal (ITJ, Switzerland) and International Freighting Weekly (UK) are also amongst the benefits awarded to the winner.

The documentation for the 2013 Award in its 15th edition will be distributed to FIATA Association Members at the end of August/early September 2012, with the usual deadline for nominating candidates by 15 January 2013.

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The International Federation of Freight Forwarders Associations (FIATA) was founded in Vienna in 1926. Today it is the largest and leading non-governmental organization in the field of transportation, representing 40'000 forwarding and logistics companies employing up to 10 million people in 150 countries. FIATA has consultative status with several United Nations bodies and is recognized by many governmental and private organizations worldwide. The Federation's main objectives are to promote and protect the interests of the freight forwarding industry, to improve the quality of freight forwarding services, to assist with vocational training and to familiarize the business world in particular and the public in general with the wide range services rendered by the industry.



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