

EUROMINES SAFETY AWARDS 2025

Third Edition

Celebrating Excellence in Mining Safety

Euromines is excited to announce the third edition of the Euromines Safety Awards, taking place on 8 October 2025 in Brussels. The event will celebrate outstanding safety achievements, promote best practices, and raise awareness of safe working environments in Europe's mining industry.



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Building on the enthusiastic participation and valuable exchanges in 2023 and 2024, Euromines is pleased to host the third edition of the Euromines Safety Awards.

This initiative celebrates the achievements of Euromines member companies, including those affiliated through national associations, while reinforcing Euromines' unwavering commitment to advancing the highest safety standards within the European mining industry.

Through the awards program, we aim to spotlight innovative safety practices, promote the sharing of best practices, and inspire continuous improvement across the industry.

By recognising these efforts, we strive to create a safer, more sustainable mining environment for all, ensuring a lasting impact on both people and the industry as a whole.









ELIGIBILITY AND APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Euromines warmly invites applications from all our member companies, including those affiliated through national associations. Each company can submit only one project per mine site.

✓ Application Period: 20 January 2025 to 15 July 2025

Application Instructions:

- **Step 1:** Complete the application form (sent via email to all members of the Euromines Health & Safety and Communication Committees) and ensure the contact person's name is clearly highlighted.
- **Step 2:** The contact person named on the application form will receive a link to access the repository to submit project materials.
- **Step 3:** The designated contact person is required to submit a PowerPoint presentation and a video (see the "Application Guidelines" page for additional information).

See application guidelines on the next page

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Application Materials:

- Complete the **application form** (sent via email to all members).
- 2 Submit a **PowerPoint Presentation** with the following:
 - Context of the Project: Why was the project initiated? What problem does it aim to address?
 - Objective: What are the key goals of the project?
 - Project Description: Provide a detailed explanation of the project, expanding on its title and key elements.
 - **Evaluation:** How does the project meet each of the four evaluation criteria? (See Evaluation Criteria page)
 - **Conclusion:** Summarise the outcomes and overall impact of the project.
- Video (maximum 3 minutes): The video should highlight the successful practices and outcomes of your project. While it showcases the execution and results, please note that the evaluation will focus primarily on the technical safety aspects presented.

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Application tips for inspiration:

- Consider exploring existing internal campaigns within your company that have addressed similar issues. You can adapt their formats and strategies to align with the structure outlined above.
- Analysing successful examples can offer valuable insights into effective approaches, helping you refine your presentation. This might involve adjusting the campaign messaging to better meet the criteria or reimagining its visual style to complement your project's narrative.

Click the links below to explore previous Euromines Safety Awards and applications:

- Euromines Safety Awards 2024
- Euromines Safety Awards 2023



EVALUATION CRITERIA

Each company can submit only one project per mine site, which will be assessed by a distinguished panel of European policymakers, occupational health and safety experts, and media professionals. Evaluation will be based on the following criteria:



Innovation (40%)

How does the project stand out from existing safety initiatives, and what makes it a significant innovation or advancement?



Impact (30%)

How has the project impacted the company in terms of improved safety, reduced accidents, workers involvement and increased awareness?



Practicality (15%)

How practical is the project, and how easily can it be implemented in mining operations?



Financial Impact (15%)

What is the required investment, including implementation costs, potential savings, return on investment, and overall viability?

TIMELINE



The awards ceremony will celebrate high-performing projects, providing winners (Gold (1st place), Silver (2nd place) & Bronze (3rd place)) with significant exposure to various governmental, European, and international stakeholders. This event offers a prime opportunity for networking and demonstrating the tangible benefits of safety initiatives to key policymakers.

WHY PARTICIPATE?



The Euromines Safety Awards is more than just a competition. It offers a platform to showcase and promote safety innovations that propel the mining industry towards a safer, more sustainable future. We encourage all our member companies to participate and eagerly anticipate celebrating your achievements in safety excellence.



Click here to watch the Euromines Safety Awards 2024 video



Click here to watch the Euromines Safety Awards 2023 video

ABOUT EUROMINES

About Euromines

Euromines is the voice of the European mining industries, metal ores and industrial minerals. We are committed to promoting responsible industry practices and ensuring mining is appropriately considered in EU policy-making. As a collaborative network, Euromines enables members and the impact of European Secretariat to assess the and policies the industry, fostering international the on development of common positions and actions.

Euromines represents:



15 National Mining Federations



350,000 Jobs



17 Direct Company
Members



54 Metals and Minerals

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