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## Environment

**Campus Palmas Altas** won first prize at the **2010 Prime Property Awards** for Sustainable Real Estate Investment from Union Investment Real Estate AG, and also the **Award for Architectural Excellence** from the Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA), the British equivalent to the Spanish Consejo de Arquitectos. These awards can be added to the LEED Platinum pre-certification secured in 2009.

Prime Property  
Award 2010



**Abengoa** received special mention for its commitment to sustainable development, renewable energies and the struggle against climate change at Seville Economy Night (**Noche de la Economía Sevillana**), an event organized by the Seville Chamber of Commerce and the Business Confederation of Seville (Confederación de Empresarios de Sevilla, or CES).

**Abengoa's leadership** in the renewable energy sector received recognition at the 2010 Andalusian Environment Awards (**Premios Andalucía de Medio Ambiente**), staged by the **Regional Government of Andalusia (Junta de Andalucía)**.

Andalusian Environment  
Awards 2010



**Abengoa Bioenergy** received the **Sustainable Bioethanol Award** at the **World Biofuels Markets** Conference for its sterling work in helping to promote sustainability and greenhouse gas measurement and reduction, and for the environmental and social benefits of the company's operations and technology.

For the second straight year, **Abengoa Bioenergy** received the **Transportation Security Award** from CSX Transportation for its safe loading and maintenance practices in transporting hazardous substances.

**Abengoa Bioenergy** of Illinois received the **Southwestern Illinois Award** from the Leadership Council of Southwestern Illinois for its dominant position in sustainable biofuel technology.

**Befesa Water's** desalination plant in Qingdao (China) won a special award from Global Water Intelligence magazine for the **Best Project of 2009**.



Global Water Intelligence Award

**Befesa Infrastructure India Agua** secured an award from the prestigious global consultancy firm Frost & Sullivan under the **Municipal Environmental Activity in India category**. The company has been working on a desalination plant in Chennai capable of desalinating an impressive 100,000 m<sup>3</sup> of water per day.

**Inabensa** earned **recognition from the Regional Government of Catalonia** for the company's involvement in construction work on the first section of Line 9 of the Barcelona subway system.

## Innovation

**Abengoa Solar** received the **CSP Today Award** for the greatest achievement of the year in emerging markets as a result of the Shams-1 project.

**Telvent** was a finalist at **the Digital Innovation Awards** staged by the Barcelona Digital technology center in recognition of the most innovative business ideas and projects.

**Abengoa Perú** received **the National Quality Prize** from the National Society of Industries (Sociedad Nacional de Industrias). Abengoa Peru thus became the first construction company to earn this recognition.

Premio Nacional  
 a la Calidad



## Management

The Spanish Management Excellence Club (Club de Excelencia en Gestión) awarded **Abengoa's** corporate-level human resources company (Girh) **the +500 EFQM** (European Foundation for Quality Management) **Gold Seal for European Excellence**. This accolade is awarded to companies and organizations that apply management principles based on quality and excellence as their chosen strategy on the path toward continuous improvement.



Gold Seal of European  
 Excellence +500 EFQM  
 (European Foundation for  
 Quality Management)

**Befesa Agua** received official recognition from the top-tier global consultancy firm Frost & Sullivan under the category **Leadership in Competitive Strategy in the Global Desalination Market**.

**Abener** received the **X Andalusian Excellence Award** (Premio Andaluz a la Excelencia) at the contest promoted by the Regional Ministry of the Economy, Innovation and Science in collaboration with the Andalusian Center for Excellence in Management (Centro Andaluz para la Excelencia en la Gestión).



X Andalusian  
 Excellence Award

As a result of work conducted with Huawei, **Instalaciones Inabensa** received the **Outstanding Technologies Partner** Award for development, capability and technological cooperation. The company also won the **European Partner Award**, thereby cementing the company's position as one of Huawei's most trusted partners in Europe.

**Inabensa Tianjin (China)** was named Best Supplier of the Year by General Electric.

**Abengoa Chile** received the **One Million Accident-Free Occupational Man-Hours** award from the occupational safety mutual insurance firm attached to the Chilean Chamber of Construction (Cámara Chilena de la Construcción).

**Abengoa Chile** was listed on the **Honor Roll** for its management of occupational risk prevention by the General Contractors Committee of the Chilean Chamber of Construction.

**Telvent** was presented with a **trophy** from CA Metro Valencia (Venezuela) for the company's ongoing supplier support in the projects undertaken.

## Communication

**Abengoa** received **honorary mention** at the **IX edition** of the **Spanish Company with the Best Online Financial Information. Corporate Transparency and Reliability** event, organized by the Spanish Association of Accounting and Business Administration (Asociación Española de Contabilidad y Administración, or AECA), in recognition of the quality of the financial information available on the company's website.

Telvent DTN's Progressive Farmer publication won two **Jesse H. Neal National Business Awards** and no less than seventeen prizes from the **North American Agricultural Journalists Association (NAAJ)**. It also achieved recognition from the **ASBPE** (American Society of Business Publication Editors), as well as the **Star Prize for Broadcasting** from the **IFAJ** (International Federation of Agricultural Journalists).

## Society

**Abengoa** received an award from the El Correo de Andalucía newspaper in the business category for the company's **contribution to Sevillian society**.

**Abengoa Bioenergy** was one of the chosen winners at the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce (North America) **St. Louis Top 50 Awards** for its valuable contribution to the region's economy.

**Abengoa Bioenergy** also secured an **Economic Development in Illinois Award (EDIE)** from the Illinois Chamber of Commerce for its work on the Madison plant, a project that has created new jobs, boosting the state economy.



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