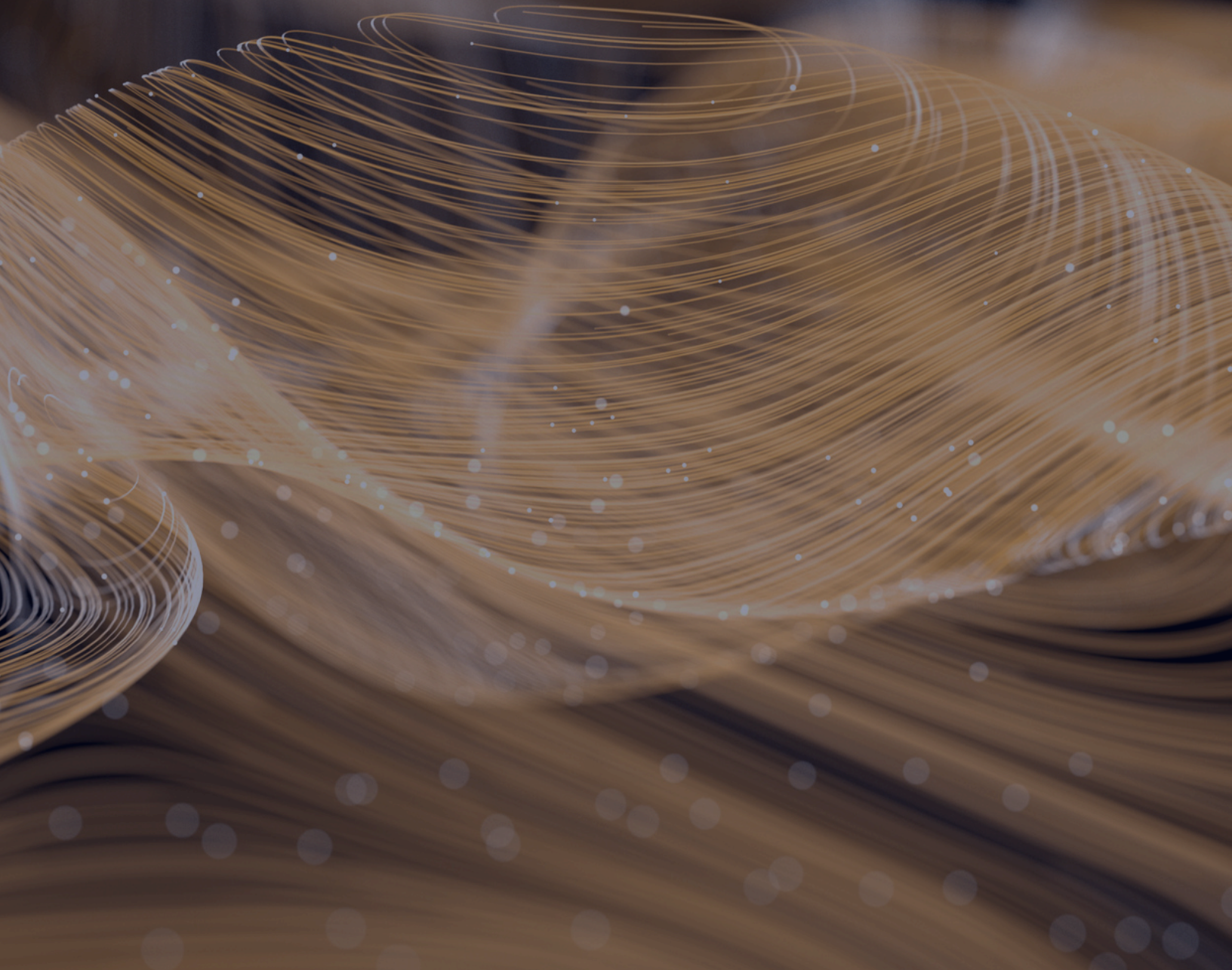


European Energy Transition Awards 2026

Nobu London Portman Square, London

26 November 2026

Entry Guide



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The European Energy Transition Awards 2026 celebrate the pioneers driving the shift towards a net zero future. The Awards recognise the organisations and individuals setting new standards in clean technologies and sustainable infrastructure.

Now in their fifth year, the Awards have become a defining moment in the European energy calendar. They bring together the sector's most influential leaders, innovators and decision makers for an evening of recognition, inspiration and high level networking.

This is more than a ceremony — it is where reputations are made, partnerships are forged and the future of Europe's energy transition is shaped. Make sure you are part of it.

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About the European Energy Transition Awards 2026

The European Energy Transition Awards focus on Europe-wide achievements spanning clean energy infrastructure, finance, technology innovation, corporate leadership, and individual contribution.

The European Energy Transition Awards 2026 celebrate excellence across the projects, investments, technologies and people accelerating Europe's transition to a low carbon energy system. Delivered by inspiratia, the Awards recognise tangible achievements from the past year that demonstrate innovation, commercial rigour, scalability and real-world impact.

Recognition, whether through a win or a shortlist, constitutes a considered endorsement of excellence within Europe's energy transition landscape.

It presents achievements to a highly discerning audience of key industry stakeholders, including investors, developers and policymakers. In doing so, participation enhances market visibility and reinforces positioning, ensuring that leading contributions are recognised and distinguished across the sector.

Key Dates

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| 7 April | Nominations open |
| 17 July | Nominations close |
| 10 August | Shortlist announced |
| 26 November | Awards ceremony |

Awards Categories

Company Awards

Energy Transition Fund Manager of the Year

Energy Storage Investor of the Year

Developer of the Year

Diversity & Inclusion

Remember the Name

Lender of the Year – Renewables

Lender of the Year – New Technologies

Legal Adviser of the Year – Renewables

Legal Adviser of the Year – New Technologies

Financial Adviser of the Year – Renewables

Financial Adviser of the Year –
New Technologies

Technical Adviser of the Year – Renewables

Technical Adviser of the Year –
New Technologies

Software Provider of the Year – Renewables

Software Provider of the Year –
New Technologies

Market Risk Management Advisory

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Awards Categories

Deal Awards

Deal of the Year

Outstanding Greenfield Deal

Outstanding M&A Deal – UK & Ireland

Outstanding M&A Deal – Europe

Outstanding Offshore Deal

Outstanding Onshore Deal

Outstanding Solar Deal

Outstanding PPA Deal – UK & Ireland

Outstanding PPA Deal – Europe

Outstanding New Markets Deal

Innovative Financial Structure Deal

Outstanding Data Centre Deal

Outstanding Deal Under 100MW

Breakthrough Innovation Deal

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Awards Categories

Individual Awards

Outstanding Contribution to the Energy Transition

Innovator of the Year

Rising Star



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How to Enter

Showcase your impact. Gain industry recognition. Lead the energy transition.
Follow these steps to submit your entry:

1 **Choose Your Award Category**
Explore the full range of award categories and identify the one that best reflects your project, organisation, or achievement. Each category is designed to recognise excellence, innovation, and measurable impact in the energy transition.

2 **Prepare Your Submission**
Before starting your entry, gather key information, including:

- Organisation and contact details
- Project or initiative overview
- Innovation, outcomes, and measurable impact
- Supporting data, milestones, or case studies

3 **Register on the Submission Portal**
Log in via the official awards submission portal:
inspiratia.com/event/european-energy-transition-awards-2026/submission-form

4 **Review and Submit**
Carefully review your submission for accuracy and completeness. Once satisfied, submit your entry before the published deadline.

You will receive confirmation once your submission has been successfully received.

SUBMIT YOUR ENTRY

Judging Process

The inspiratia judging process is designed to ensure transparency, credibility and integrity in the selection of award winners.

Our expert panel of judges is carefully selected by inspiratia's editorial team. Judges are drawn from across the industry and bring a breadth of experience and perspectives to the panel.

Once the nomination window closes, all submissions are reviewed to confirm they meet the eligibility criteria. Based on this initial review, inspiratia produces a shortlist of entries for each award category. This shortlist, together with a detailed judging pack containing relevant supporting information for each shortlisted entry, is shared with the judging panel in advance of the judging process.

Judging is conducted on a comparative basis. During the judging process, judges review the shortlisted entries, discuss the merits of each, and anonymously vote for the winner in each category.

Any individual judge with a conflict of interest is required to recuse themselves from voting in that category.

Final decisions are based on the collective judgement of the panel, supported by a structured and consistent review process.

Our 2026 Judges Include



Gayatri Desai
CIBC



Giovanni Terranova
Bluefield



Allan Baker
Société Générale



Louise Dalton
CMS



Niels Jakeman
NORD/LB



Zosia Riesner
Lightsource Bp



Frederico Pereira
Akeros



Natasha Luther-Jones
DLA Piper



Alessandra De Zottis
Sonnedix



Rish Chandarana
WSP



Emma Tinker
Asper



Charlotte Johnson
Kraken



Silke Goldberg
*Herbert Smith Freehills
Kramer*



Natalya Tueva
SMBC

The Awards Ceremony

26 November 2026

Nobu London Portman Square,
London

Join over 300 senior leaders from across the European energy transition sector for an evening celebrating excellence and innovation.

Network with developers, investors, lenders, and advisers shaping the future of clean energy.

Tables Are limited. Book Now

For table bookings and sponsorship enquiries:
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Last Year's Company Winners Include



A&O SHEARMAN

AUGUSTA & CO
A MIZUHO COMPANY

BlueGamma.io

CIBC

ContourGlobal

cQuant
A Zema Global Company

DLA PIPER

enfinity

EY

mirova
Investing in sustainability

nexwell
POWER

**SOCIETE
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