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SHIPPER INNOVATION RECOGNISED WITH NEW FTA MULTIMODAL AWARDS CATEGORY

The UK and Ireland's leading logistics exhibition, Multimodal 2018, teams up with the Freight Transport Association to champion supply chain leaders

London, UK, Tuesday, 30th January 2018 – Nominations for the third Freight Transport Association (FTA) Multimodal Awards, which this year will champion warehouse innovation, are open until Friday, 2nd February 2018.

The awards recognise excellence in air, road, rail, maritime, and freight forwarding services, as well as rewarding a Young Logistics Professional, and a Shipper of the Year.

"Multimodal is a celebration of excellence across our industry, as well as an opportunity to network and learn from the best," said Robert Jervis, Logistics Portfolio Director, Clarion Events.

"The awards are an important platform to recognise that excellence, and following feedback from the industry, we are pleased to have a new Shipper category, which puts the spotlight on warehousing, where innovative companies are making a difference every day."

Nominations for the services awards are voted for by the thousands of readers of the Multimodal newsletter, as well as FTA members, and exhibitors at Multimodal 2018.

The Young Logistics Professional and Shipper Categories are judged by a panel of industry leaders, which this year includes Ariaen Zimmerman, Executive Director, Cargo iQ, David Wells, Chief Executive, FTA, Peter MacSwiney, Chairman, Agency Sector Management (ASM Ltd.), Dave Howorth, Executive Director, SCALA Consulting Group, and Robert Jervis.

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Nominations can be made online at awards.multimodal.org.uk

Multimodal, now in its 11th year, is a three-day free-to-attend exhibition and conference, which takes place from the 1st to the 3rd of May 2018 at the Birmingham NEC.

Multimodal has once again teamed up with the FTA, the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (CILT) and the UK Warehousing Association (UKWA) to put together a two-day programme of panel discussions and masterclasses.

Brexit opportunities and challenges, warehouses of the future, and the disruption of trade by digital technology are just three of the topics to be examined, with the full list of sessions available at multimodal.org

To find out more about exhibiting, visiting, or sponsoring an award, contact:

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ABOUT MULTIMODAL

Multimodal is the UK and Ireland's leading freight transport and logistics exhibition, which also features a series of topical seminars and master classes, and hosts a Shippers' Village, giving freight buyers a private space to meet logistics suppliers.

Multimodal 2017 was the biggest in the show's history, with over 345 exhibitors and a record-breaking attendance of 9,449 supply chain executives.

The supply chain show, in its 11th year, is free-to-attend and Multimodal 2018 will take place at the Birmingham NEC from 1st – 3rd May 2018.

The FTA Multimodal Awards Night will be held at the VOX at Resorts World at the NEC on the evening of 1st May 2018.

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