

olcim Awards for Sustainable Construction recently conducted a winners meet of the Asia Pacific Region at New Delhi. The event was presided over by architect Ashok Lall, member of the Holcim Awards jury panel, and was attended by various architects, engineers and students from the construction industry.

At the meet, Ashok Lall presented a brief overview of the awards and the selection process which was followed by presentations from the winners and an exclusive discussion about the projects. The awards promote ideas and concepts, which venture beyond the conventional notions of sustainable construction. One of the winners, Julia King of the London Metropolitan University, United Kingdom, was a winner in the Next Generation category for her project Decentralised Sanitation System located in Savda Gehra, Delhi. Another winner, Anagram Architects (Madhav Raman and Vaibhav Dimri), Delhi won a Special Acknowledgement prize for their Urban renewal and transport circuit project based on the Ring Rail in Delhi. The awards are supported by the Swiss-based Holcim Foundation for Sustainable Construction, and jointly promoted by the ACC Limited and Ambuja Cement Limited in India.

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