





## The Eni Italgas Prize for Energy and Environment

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## **HISTORY**

In 1987, to mark the 150th anniversary of the Company's foundation, Italgas instituted for a period of 10 years, the "Italgas Prize for Research and Technological Innovation", with the aim of promoting and creating added value in social and civil development fields.

In those days the Prize was open only to candidatures from countries of the European Union, Central and Eastern Europe, and Mediterranean Countries, on the basis of the Bilateral Agreements of European Collaboration, in course of definition at that time.

In July 2002, the Italgas Board of Directors decided to launch a new three year cycle of the Prize, starting from 2003, emphasising the environmental aims and extending it world wide. The XVI Edition, first edition of this last cycle, took the name of "Eni Italgas Prize for Energy and Environment" and saw the Scientific Secretariat hosted by the Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei in Milano.

## WINNERS OF THE XVIII EDITION

## **DEBUT IN RESEARCH**

This prize is awarded to Doctoral Students, authors of theses in the field of energy and the environment submitted in an Italian University to promote their engagement in research. The two prizes, each worth € 10.000 Euro have been assigned to **Dr. Pietro Asinari**, Politecnico di Torino and, ex-aequo, **Dr. Sara Biamino**, Politecnico di Torino, and **Dr. Erik Vesselli**, Università di Trieste.