

## Press Release

### **EUsalt Safety Awards 2017: Congratulations to Compass Minerals on winning the second edition of the EUsalt Safety Competition.**

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 **Compass  
Minerals**

On the occasion of the **EUsalt Annual Meeting** held in Brussels on **26<sup>th</sup> June 2017**, **James Noblett**, Environment, Health and Safety Manager at **Compass Mineral (UK)** won the **EUsalt Safety Award for its stockpile safety programme**. Four other companies were in the running: AkzoNobel, esco GmbH, INEOS Enterprises and Salins Group presented their company's Safety Programmes.

**EU-OSHA** representative **Marina Gomez** and **David Tjong**, Global Director, Health, Safety and Environment at Ideal Standard International, together awarded the prize at the dinner. Mr. Tjong congratulated all participants for sharing

their experiences in this dynamic and interesting competition.

**James Noblett** has worked for Compass Minerals for over 10 years, holding positions in Operational and Facilities Management before becoming a Health and Safety Professional. Prior to working for **Compass Minerals**, he was an Operations Manager in the Logistics Industry. James is Chairman of the EUsalt Safety Experts group and represents The Mining Association of the UK at Euromines.

This competition illustrates EUsalt's members commitment since 2014 to consistently and further promote **'safety as a value; not just a priority'**. The salt sector thereby commits to create a safe working environment to help ensure the safety and welfare of all workers in the industry. Companies established to further encourage the spreading of best practices, focusing on three pillars: stockpile management, transport and behaviour.

In May 2016, EUsalt became an official partner of the European Agency campaign **'Healthy Workplaces for all Ages'**, ensuring safe and healthy workplaces for all and making it more likely that older people would be able to enjoy a long and illness-free life.