

July 24, 2012



Dear Kim,

GLOBAL BEST AWARDS 2012

It gives us great pleasure to inform you that the Global Best Award judges have selected TECHin as the Global Best Award winner for Theme 3, Partnerships that Inspire Young People in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM) in Europe .

All theme winners from each of the four geographic regions, Africa, Australia/Pacific, Europe and the Americas, are invited to collect their awards and present at the 11th International education business Partnership Conference to be held at the Moses Mabhida Stadium in Durban, South Africa, from September 25 to 28, 2012.

In 2010, due to the high quality of the submissions, we installed a new awards system which we are continuing. A winner of a theme category, is also in contention for, firstly, their overall regional winner, and ultimately, the single overall global winner, chosen from the 4 regional winners. The winners of these overall awards, both regional and global, will not know until the announcement is made, Oscar style, at the Global Best Award ceremony at the 11th International Education Partnership Conference.

As mentioned in our last letter in July, we hope you will want to present at the Conference and participate in the many activities offered. If you have a special interest in one of the presentation options, please let us know by the end of the month, however your first step is for you and, hopefully other partners in your project, to

register for the conference. You will find more information about how to do this on the Conference website: <http://www.ipnconference2012.org/site/home>

Our congratulations to you on an excellent program. We will be in touch with you and look forward to hearing from you, as well as to seeing you in Durban!

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