

*EDAWARDS

EUROPEAN DESIGN

The European Design Awards is the comprehensive annual awards organization celebrating the best of graphic design, illustration and digital design in Europe. Founded in 2006 and endorsed by IcoGrada, the ED-Awards instantly became widely acknowledged as one of the leading competitions for communication design in Europe.

A joint effort by 15 communication design magazines from across the continent, the ED-Awards boast the most qualified jury around. The jury comprises of editors and representatives from the following leading **design magazines**:

[kAk), Russia
Cap&Design, Sweden
Progetto Grafico, Italy
Visual, Spain
Novum, Germany
Eye, United Kingdom
Typo, Czech Republic
étapes, France
BNO Vormberichten, Netherlands
Grafia, Finland
Grafik Tasarim, Turkey
Design Austria, Austria
2+3D, Poland
+Design, Greece
IDPURE, Switzerland

The European Design Awards, now in their ninth year, are constantly evolving to embrace the changes in the world of printed and digital communication design. An ever-expanding digital jury composed of editors of online design magazines was introduced in 2013, which now comprises of representatives from the following **digital publications**:

designers interactifs (France)
Smashing Magazine (Germany)
Design Made in Germany (Germany)
Spetakkel (Norway)
Computer Arts (United Kingdom)
Design Collector (Russia)
From Up North (Sweden)

In addition, new categories are being added to better suit designers' needs. The full list of **categories** is currently as follows:

01. Brand Logo
02. Company Logo
03. Brand Implementation
04. Company Implementation.

05. Annual Report
06. Book Cover,
07. Book Layout
08. Brochure
09. Product Catalogue
10. Artistic Catalogue
11. Magazine
12. Promotional Site
13. Information Site
- 14 Motion Graphics
15. Mobile Apps
16. Miscellaneous Digital
17. Packaging Alcoholic Drinks
18. Packaging Food & Beverages
19. Packaging Miscellaneous
20. Vinyl, CD/DVD Cover
21. Book & Editorial Illustration
22. Corporate Illustration
23. Infographics
24. Printed Self-Promotion
25. Digital Self-Promotion
26. Self-Initiated Projects
27. Original Typeface
28. Cards & Flyers
29. Calendar
30. Single Poster
31. Poster Series
32. Signs & Displays
33. Exhibition Design
34. Student Projects
35. Miscellaneous Printed

Each year the awards ceremony takes place in a different city. Since 2007 the host cities have been Athens (Greece), Stockholm (Sweden), Zurich (Switzerland), Rotterdam (Netherlands), Vilnius (Lithuania), Helsinki (Finland), Belgrade (Serbia) and Cologne (Germany).

Graphic design conferences, design walks and design exhibitions surround the event. In the past the European Design Conference and Ceremony has been organised in association with other design organisations such as IcoGrada, World Design Capital, Belgrade Design Week, etc.

Russian ED-Awards winners so far:

Ermolaev Bureau (Silver & Bronze, 2014)
 Russian News & Information Agency "RIA Novosti" (Silver, 2014)
 Ohmybrand (Bronze, 2014)
 design-bureau Shuka (Bronze, 2014)
 Natasha Shendrik (Silver, 2013)
 Ermolaev Bureau (Bronze, 2013)
 design-bureau Shuka (Silver, 2013)
 Ermolaev Bureau (Gold, 2012)
 Russian News & Information Agency "RIA Novosti" (Bronze, 2012)
 Ilya Ruderman (Bronze, 2012)
 ParaType (Bronze, 2011)

Gruppa Krovi (Bronze, 2010)
Oleg Pudov (Bronze, 2009)
design-bureau Shuka (Bronze, 2009)
Agey Tomesh / WAM Publishig House (Silver, 2008)
ARBOR publishing group (Silver, 2008)