



Re: *EAA International Noise Awareness Day 2017; Pan-European scholar competition “sounds of my place”; Announcement of winners.*

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

The INAD2017 Pan-European Competition is coming to an end. This initiative has been a great success and has completely fulfilled its objectives. A large number of European Acoustical Societies have been involved in this campaign by promoting specific activities at national level and adhered to this challenge for the young people, thus contributing for the raising of noise awareness throughout Europe and better future within our communities.

On behalf of EAA and on all the INAD Steering Committee, which were composed by Michael Taroudakis (coordinator), Brigitte Schulte-Fortkamp, Antonio Pérez-López and Sergio Luzzi, I want to express my sincere thanks to the National Representatives, teachers, schools, and all the students involved in this competition, as well as my congratulations to the awardees.

The listing of winners of the PAN-European Competition, one for primary schools and other for secondary schools, can be accessed through:

<https://euracoustics.org/INAD2017/FinalWinners-PrimarySchools.pdf>
<https://euracoustics.org/INAD2017/FinalWinners-SecondarySchools.pdf>

Besides the normal first, second and third prizes, the Jury decided to give two diplomas of recognition in each category, which were due to the high quality of the produced materials (drawings and videos).

This activity has proved the vitality and maturity of EAA. The forthcoming joint event to be held next week in Boston, Acoustics'17, with more than 2000 participants involved, is also another key mark of our Association.

With my best regards and thanks

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