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2009 Globe Award Laureate in Sustainable Innovation!

The **<u>Globe Award</u>** is the world's premier sustainability award. This international honor recognizes accomplishment and encourages continuing advancement in the area of sustainability. The objective of the award is to foster sustainable initiatives, inspiring humanity to take responsibility for the future.

Globe Award Laureates will be recognized at the international Globe Award Ceremony held in Stockholm on the 3rd of June 2009 where H.R.H. Crown Princess Victoria will present the awards. Following the ceremony, Laureates will be honored guests at <u>Globe Forum 2009</u>.

We strongly encourage you to submit your nomination for the <u>Sustainable</u> <u>Innovation Award</u>. The nomination process is simple and quick. You can <u>nominate</u> <u>yourself</u>, <u>your company or your organization</u>.

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"The Globe Sustainability Research Award is a premier prize that recognizes innovative and outstanding contributions to advance the economic, social and environmental dimensions of sustainable development." - Mohan Munasinghe,2007 **Nobel Peace Prize** *Laureate*, Vice Chairman IPCC Chairman of the committee for the Sustainability Research Award

"Sustainable development is challenging, but, absolutely critical to the future of our world. The Globe Award helps to raise awareness of the importance of sustainable development and inspire others to take up the challenge. We support the Globe Forum's efforts to identify and recognize the world's leading sustainable innovations through the Globe Award and we strongly encourage innovators to apply."- Gus Weber, **Microsoft** Corporation "When Electrolux was awarded the Globe Award it enhanced our possibility to continue arguing for the role energy-lean white goods have in tackling climate change. Electrolux consumers today tell us they want climate smart household appliances. The Globe award encourages us to continue developing sustainable refrigerators and washing machines." - Hans Stråberg, **Electrolux** Globe Award winner 2008

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The last day for applications is **April 26, 2009**.