

Press Release – Energy Broker of the Year 2015 (under 50 employees)



A special award for a specialist energy consultancy

Above: Beond's team celebrate receiving their award with newly promoted Managing Director Alastair Hutson proudly displaying the prize

On 2nd Dec, London's Mayfair Hilton Hotel and ITV's "Chaser" Paul Sinha played host to some 600 guests who gathered to celebrate the energy industry's most prestigious awards. The Energy Awards recognises the outstanding skills and achievements of energy efficiency providers; technology providers and energy procurement professionals.

Beond were delighted to be announced the winner of the **Energy Broker of the Year 2015 Award** in a category designed to recognise specialist companies with fewer than 50 staff. The award panel commented that Beond's submission impressed them in terms of the innovations they provide in energy procurement and risk, along with their advanced recruitment and training initiatives.



Beond's Sales Director Mike Chan commented "we are a specialist team dependent on our people, IT and innovations. Our industry specialists offer personal delivery services, our bespoke tendering software forces suppliers to reduce margins leading to best price and our risk management innovations offer a broader choice of hedging strategies. Recruiting quality rather than quantity has allowed us to win contracts with the UK's largest public sector procurement provider, the UK's leading property management company, the UK's biggest builders, national charities, Europe's leading commercial laundry service and a leading global investment bank".

The Energy Awards polished off a fantastic week for Beond who also won **Best SME of the Year and Best Consultancy of the Year** in the West London Business Awards five days earlier. The SME judges commented - we liked the pro-active business plans and the wide range of services offered to deliver real savings and business advantage". Best Consultancy was awarded for Beond's sophisticated energy consultancy offering which offers customers better security of supply and reduced costs. The judges were specifically impressed with "Beond's stunning growth, great performance, great client list and the help they have provided to their clients in reducing millions in energy bills whilst managing the complexities of their energy market compliance requirements".

