

International Aluminium-Pressure Die Casting Competition 2018

Announcement

The GDA (Gesamtverband der Aluminiumindustrie e.V) is holding a competition for aluminium pressure die casting supported by the BDG (Bundesverband der Deutschen Gießereindustrie), the WKO (Austrian Economic Chamber) and the Swiss Aluminium Association (alu.ch). This competition wants to show the high quality of aluminium pressure die casting to the public.

A qualified panel of Judges from research and practice will review the entries and make their awards.

The main criteria for judging the entries are casting quality and the suitability of the construction for pressure die casting. The winners will receive the jury's decision in writing. The Judges decision will be final.

The three winning entries selected by the judges will be awarded certificates. Other commendable castings can get a special honourable mention.

The awards show for the best will take place on the occasion of the opening ceremony on 15 January 2018 of the EUROGUSS Exhibition (from 16 – 18 January 2018) in Nuremberg.

Conditions of entry

1. Captive or jobbing foundries can enter as many castings as they wish. A separate entry form must be completed for each casting.

It is important that each casting submitted can be easily linked to its application form. This can easily be achieved by the use of unique numbers on both the form and the casting.

2. An entry may consist of either a single casting or a complete die casting assembly. Any entry may be trimmed but not mechanically or chemically surface treated.

In cases where the casting will be surface treated, the finished surface treated part must also be entered.

3. The castings must be made of a standard aluminium casting alloy.
4. The entered castings must be taken from the current production. Castings already awarded in another national or international competition are excluded. Drawings of construction and assembly will simplify the judgement for the jury. We also ask for photos or brochures of the end products in which the casting is fitted.
5. By signing the entry form competitors agree that the castings may be used for the promotion of aluminium pressure die casting and become property of GDA.



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6. Castings must reach the

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by **2 October 2017**

You will find the entry form for the International Aluminium-Pressure Die Casting Competition 2016 in German and English language on our website:

<http://www.aluinfo.de/veranstaltung/internationaler-aluminium-druckguss-wettbewerb-2018.html>

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