

PERFORM, nominated to the EU Sustainable Energy Awards in the category of Innovation

- *PERFORM Power Platform, a project funded under the European Commission Horizon 2020 SPIRE (Sustainable Process Industry through Resources) programme has been shortlisted together with the LIFE-DIADEME and RenOnBill projects.*
- *The EUSEW awards ceremony will take place in an online session on October 25 at 12 (CEST).*

Madrid, September 21, 2021. The **PERFORM** (PowER platFORM) initiative, a project funded under the European Commission Horizon 2020 **SPIRE** (Sustainable Process Industry through Resources) programme has been selected as a finalist for the EU Sustainable Energy Awards (**EUSEW Awards**) 2021 in the Innovation category, together with **LIFE-DIADEME** and **RenOnBill**.

Winners will be announced in an online awards ceremony, held on October 25 at 12 (CEST).

About EUSEW Awards

The EU Sustainable Energy Awards recognise outstanding individuals and projects for their innovation in energy efficiency and renewable solutions. Finalists are chosen from a shortlist of the year's most successful projects for clean, secure, and efficient energy.

In concrete, the Innovation category recognises outstanding EU-funded activities that show an original and innovative path toward the clean energy transition.

Prizes are divided into four categories (engagement, innovation, woman in energy, young energy trailblazer) and awarded by an expert jury and by European citizens via a public vote.

About PERFORM

The expected impact of the PERFORM project derives from its multi-level approach that includes a combined integration between electrification, reduction of process complexity, avoiding the use of coreactants through system integration, innovation in processes and bio-based use of feedstocks, as well as the development of a flexible PowerPlatform pilot plant platform.

PERFORM is expected to contribute to technology development to reduce the environmental impact of the chemical industry. The technology developed in PERFORM will reduce CO₂ emissions from the production of chemicals due to the efficient utilization of bio-based feedstocks and renewable energy. It will also be essential for a future sustainable society that uses local resources.