

Dear Mario Tonucci,

I hope you received my email last week regarding your success in winning **Most Innovative Law Firm - Italy** in the Corporate LiveWire 2015 Innovation & Excellence Awards

These awards represent the pinnacle of business achievement, championing the best in their respective fields, therefore to come out on top as a clear winner is truly an achievement you should be proud of.

We are delighted to pay tribute and to commend all winners who have displayed excellence, outstanding dedication, strong performance, innovation and sustainability throughout the past calendar year.

All winners of the Innovation & Excellence awards are subject to the same rigorous assessment criteria, carried out by our experienced in-house professionals. This ensures that only the most deserving firms and individuals walk away with one of these prestigious accolades and gain a place in our soon-to-be published awards winners' guide, which will be distributed to over 1.5 million business executives.

Winners will be formally announced in April to coincide with the publication of the winners guide.

Regards

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United Kingdom - 21st April 2015 - Today marks the highly anticipated publication of Corporate LiveWire's 2015 Innovation & Excellence Awards' Winners Guide.

This publication is the culmination of an extensive 12 month search and Corporate LiveWire takes great pride in publishing its full list of winners and celebrating the innovation and excellence these firms, teams and individuals have shown amid ongoing global economic uncertainty.

Leah Jones and Elizabeth Moore, Awards Directors of the 2015 Innovation & Excellence Awards Winners Guide, are simply thrilled with the calibre of this year's winners. Leah said: "The Corporate LiveWire Innovation & Excellence award winners have not only proved to be resilient and creative but have also shown a willingness to adapt to the ever changing environment of their respective fields; attributes that have certainly been key to the winners' exceptional performance and success."

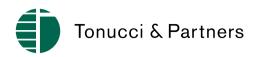
The judging panel at Corporate LiveWire considered the strengths of each shortlisted candidate, setting its sights firmly on the most innovative, groundbreaking and client-focused firms, teams and individuals who have transformed the way in which they do business. Each and every winner was chosen on merit and has shown excellence, innovation and strong leadership throughout their various activities over the past calendar year.

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Tonucci & Partners counts seven offices based in Italy (Rome, Milan, Padua, Florence, Brescia), Romania (Bucharest) and Albania (Tirana).

The law firm counts more than 200 specialized professionals and teams covering a wide range of practice areas including, among others, M&A, re-

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Tonucci & Partners' mission is to look beyond the legal aspects and help clients meet the challenges of their continuously evolving businesses. The law firm is aimed at seeking for strategic innovation and creating an enduring added value to its clients.

