

2019

Innovation in Materials | **Winner: Gurit**

Removing perceived barrier to entry often discourages the wider use and adoption of composites

Overview

Gurit has established a project to look holistically at the entire composite fabrication process to create a package of innovative products, handling and processing solutions to make composites easier to use, more robust to different workshop conditions and eliminate common sources of error such as weighing and mix ratio errors.

Focussed on applications and users who may be new to using composites in order to provide them with innovative and easy to use solutions to help widen the adoption of composite materials and grow the industry.

To achieve this, Gurit focussed on three main aspects - robust and tolerant epoxy "multipurpose" systems; elimination of weighing and mix ratio related errors and user simplicity.



Gurit with both of their awards and Peter Hohl of Zund (far right) who presented them with the Innovation in Materials award.

"Gurit is extremely proud to have won the Composites UK award for Innovation in Materials, recognising our new safer, easier to use and more robust product ranges that offers multiple benefits to our existing customers as well as facilitating the easier adoption of composites to new users."

Paul Spencer
Product Development Manager
Gurit (UK) Ltd

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