



Judges unanimously vote

## Europa Press journalist Cristina de la Rica winner of 22nd ENAIRE Foundation Journalism Award

- Recognition of her news agency career and dedication to aeronautical sector information

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Europa Press journalist Cristina de la Rica has won the 22nd Journalism Award promoted by the ENAIRE Foundation, the cultural institution associated with ENAIRE.

The panel of judges unanimously gave the award to Ms de la Rica for her career as an agency journalist and her dedication to tracking aeronautical sector information. The award carries a prize of €12,000.

The ENAIRE Foundation Journalism Award is designed to recognise news articles related to air transport and navigation and those that concern airport facilities and services in general.

The panel of judges comprised the Secretary of State for Infrastructures, Transport and Housing, chairman of ENAIRE and chairman of the board of trustees of the ENAIRE Foundation, Julio Gómez-Pomar; the dean of the School of Information Science at Complutense University of Madrid, María del Carmen Pérez de Armiñán García Fonseca; the chairwoman of the Madrid Press Association, Victoria Prego, who delegated her vote to the association's general secretary María Jesús Chao Álvarez de Sierra; and the head of the finance section of El Mundo newspaper, Marcos Iriarte, as the representative of last year's winner (César Urrutia).

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### The work of the ENAIRE Foundation

The ENAIRE Foundation is a cultural institution associated with ENAIRE. Its objectives include promoting aeronautical culture and the preservation, expansion and outreach of the ENAIRE's art heritage. This heritage comprises an outstanding collection of Spanish and Latin American art which begins chronologically in the second-half of the 20th century and continues through to today and covers over 1,000 paintings, sculptures, photographs, graphic works, works on paper and multimedia art.

The Foundation was created in 1994 under the name of the Aena Foundation and was changed to the ENAIRE Foundation in January 2016.

ENAIRE, the public business entity reporting to the Ministry of Public Works, is the air navigation manager in Spain that controls nearly two million flights per year through five control centres and 22 control towers in an airspace of over two million square kilometres.