



British Safety Council  
International Safety Award

**BSafe, the safety management system implemented in the new city district development Milan, Porta Nuova Garibaldi, has won the British Safety Council's International Safety Award 2016**

In recognition of its best practice and safety management system methodology, the model BSafe - developed by BForms Engineering & Management Company, Engineer Giuseppe Gaspare Amaro and GAE Engineering - won the prestigious Award. The model, implemented in Milan Porta Nuova Garibaldi, has the aim to keep the city district safe along with its owners, tenants and thousands of daily visitors.

The International Safety Awards recognise and celebrate organisations of all types and sizes from around the world that have demonstrated, to the

## BSafe Awarded New City District Safety

# Porta Nuova Garibaldi Safety Management System



satisfaction of the scheme's independent judges, their commitment and know how of safety management systems preventing hazards, injuries and risks.

Organisations participating in the International Safety Award, span all sectors and are drawn from the United Kingdom, Europe, Africa, Asia and the Middle East, however this is the first time that an Italian engineering company has won this prestigious Award. Mike Robinson, Chief Executive of the British Safety Council, congratulated the BSafe organisation on its success in winning the International Safety Award for 2016: "The British Safety Council commends BForms and the Partners on their achievement. The award is in recognition of their commitment and expertise to keep the city district's actors, visitors and workplaces safe and healthy. Our warmest

congratulations. Across all of the winning organisations are examples of dedication and hard work to ensure that the risk of injury and ill health is prevented. We commend the winning organisations and urge them to continue working with us to ensure that best practices are spread globally."

The team have worked in the city district since its construction. BSafe is a unique & integrated health and safety management system developed for managing the safety processes in the city district, comprising three separate areas: Garibaldi (which won the Award), Isola and Varesine. The total district covers 290.000 sqm in the center of Milan and is characterized by many important buildings among them UniCredit High-rise Headquarter, Residencial Vertical Forest, Diamond Tower BNL Headquarter. The

level of complexity represented in the site obliged us to define a unique strategic coordination system to operate daily under normal conditions and to ensure efficient and effective action by the security staff in case of emergency. In order to achieve and ensure this, BSafe designed a framework able to integrate and guide all different and autonomous work activities, as well as each of their health and safety evaluations, in order to determine the common hazards and critical potential events unique to the Porta Nuova zone. The same model has been adapted to the specific requirements of the High-rise Headquarter Intesa SanPaolo, the National Cinema Museum and the largest covered arena PalaAlpitour in Turin, the Prada Foundation in Milan, among other important developments.

**The British Safety Council**, a Registered Charity founded by James Tye in 1957, is one of the world's leading Health and Safety organisations alongside the likes of IOSH & IIRSM unlike these the Council's members are mostly companies. Safety Practitioners the world over use the services and training they provide. The London based charity provides training in over 50 countries.

The British Safety Council is also a partner in the development of the Occupational Safety & Health Consultants Register scheme (OSHCR), a centrally held register of registered health and safety consultants within the United Kingdom and Northern Ireland.

