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Sydney Metro Northwest – Skytrain wins ‘best of the best’ ENR 2018 Project of the Year award

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SMEC’s client Salini Impregilo has won 2018 Project of the Year and the 2018 Global Best Rail Project from Engineering News-Record (ENR) for the Sydney Metro Northwest surface and viaduct civil works (SMNW-SVC) project – the only project to claim the top prize in both sector and global categories.

The SMNW-SVC Project Team is made up of experts across the globe with SMEC taking the role of Design Lead on the project, which was described by a panel of industry judges as elegant, innovative and sustainable.

The ENR Global Best Projects competition identifies and honours the project teams behind outstanding design and construction efforts annually. The 2018 Project of the Year award was selected from 23 winning projects from 14 different countries on six continents.

In 2015 the project won a Leading Design IS rating from the Infrastructure Sustainability Council of Australia for the most environment-friendly project design. Last year the project was recognised with a “Leading” As Built IS rating – the highest possible score for sustainability.

Italian-based Salini Impregilo is an international industrial group specialising in the construction of major, complex infrastructure projects.

Sydney Metro Northwest has delivered eight new railway stations and 4000 commuter car parking spaces to Sydney’s growing North West region.

The Sydney Metro Northwest project team has won several accolades over the past four years.

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