



**PRESS RELEASE**

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**Carlos Ghosn, Chairman of the Renault-Nissan Alliance, has received the 2011 FISITA medal.**

**The medal was presented to Carlos Ghosn this morning at Universidad Politecnica in Valencia, Spain at the end of the plenary session of the FISITA congress.**

Carlos Ghosn thanked FISITA, the International Federation of Automotive Engineering Companies, for having awarded him the medal. FISITA wanted to distinguish the Chairman of the Renault-Nissan Alliance for his achievements in building a cross-cultural partnership and for his work in favour of sustainable mobility for all through a complete range of 100% electric vehicles.

Commenting, Carlos Ghosn, said: "One of the greatest honors one can aspire to is to be singled out as a leader in innovation and sustainability. The Renault-Nissan Alliance shares these two values and promotes them with its 350,000 employees worldwide, which is why I also accept this honor on their behalf."

***International Federation of Automotive Engineering Companies (FISITA)***

*FISITA is a non-governmental organization founded in Paris in 1948 that brings engineers together from all over the world in a spirit of cooperation to discuss ideas and innovations in automotive technology. The main task of FISITA, which counts 163,000*

*members, is to contribute to the creation of safe, affordable and sustainable automotive transport through a forum for dialogue between engineers, industry representatives, government, academia and environmental organizations.*

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