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Our awards, quality marks and certifications

As at September 2017



2017

- Finalist: Fast Forward Awards 2017
- European Business Award 2016/2017: WINNER "The Chairman's Selection"
- European Design Awards 2017
- Creativclub Austria (CCA): Golden Venus for "Packaging Design"
- The Dieline Awards 2017: RINGANA Superfoods
- TRIGOS: nominated 2017 & 2015, winner 2010

2016

- "Figures of the Year 2016"
- Bearer of the Styrian coat of arms
- Recognised as a Climate Alliance company
- top of styria 2016
- Austrian Chamber of Commerce: recognition of corporate performance
- Nominated for the Energy Globe Styria Award

2015

- Winner of the Austrian Climate Protection Award
- ISO quality certification Austria
- Best Family-Run Business, Styria

2014

- ALC Award – award-winning company
- Hidden Champion 3.0
- Finalist at the Step Awards

2013

- Daphne Environmental Technology Award 2013
- Green Brand Austria
- Entrepreneur of the Year

2012

- Leading Companies Austria

2011

- Luxepack



Finalist: Fast Forward Awards 2017

RINGANA has reached the finals of the Fast Forward Awards – the State of Styria’s business awards – in the “Medium-Sized Companies” category with its project “RINGANA ADDS – total transparency in fresh skin care”

An incredible 156 companies submitted their innovative ideas in 2017 for these awards. Making it to the finals is a confirmation for RINGANA that the company is right at the top in Styria in the area of innovation.

In 2016, the “RINGANA SPORT” project was already nominated for the Fast Forward Awards as one of the 5 best projects. That shows the huge potential of RINGANA’s Research and Development Department.

[Project portrait video \(only in german available\)](#)



European Business Awards 2016/2017

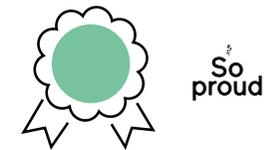
By winning in “The Chairman’s Selection” category, RINGANA was crowned as one of the successful companies at this prestigious corporate competition. This sensational success represents great recognition of the unique philosophy pursued by RINGANA and its Fresh Partners all over Europe.

Throughout all phases of the multi-stage selection process, RINGANA was one of the award-winning companies – thus “stockpiling” the following titles over the course of the competition:

- National Champion
- National Public Champion (winner of the public vote for Austrian companies)
- Ruban D’Honneur award-winner in “The Chairman’s Selection” category
- Winner “The Chairman’s Selection”

Der European Business Award is the biggest Europe-wide competition acknowledging and rewarding companies for their exceptional corporate achievements. More than 33,000 companies were candidates for the award!

www.businessawardseurope.com



TRIGOS – Austria Award for Corporate Social Responsibility

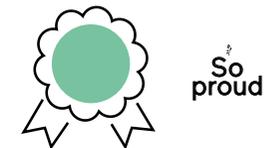
- **Winner 2010**
- **Nominated 2017 & 2015**

For the TRIGOS jury it is essential that companies entering for the TRIGOS not only put individual measures in place, but also enshrine their social responsibility in their corporate philosophy, and integrate it strategically into all areas of their activities.

The fact that RINGANA has always been among the front runners in recent years at what is probably the most prestigious CSR award in Austria shows that the company is willing to actively take social and ecological responsibility.

This award is sponsored by Caritas, the Austrian Red Cross, the Umweltdachverband (environmental umbrella association), the Diakonie (welfare arm of the Protestant church), the Federation of Austrian Industry, the Chamber of Commerce, Global 2000 and respACT – austrian business council for sustainable development.

www.trigos.at

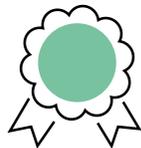


Creativclub Austria – Golden Venus for packaging design

Austria's greatest creative achievements were honoured at the CCA awards show 2017. RINGANA was recognised with a Golden Venus in the "Packaging Design" category, making it one of 16 gold award winners out of a total 646 entries submitted – a clear indication that it is not only RINGANA's pure ingredients that have a real effect, but its good design as well.

The CCA competition is the country's most important creative award. It recognises the best ideas within the communications industry for the Austrian marketplace. Unlike other creative competitions, the CCA has no obligations to any medium, lobby or client.

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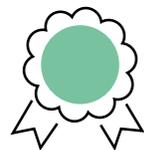


European Design Awards: RINGANA Packaging wins Bronze

The European Design Awards were launched in 2007. Creative minds from all over Europe submit their unique designs in a vast array of categories, hoping that their ideas will be a hit with the rigorous expert jury.

RINGANA and the design agency Moodley Brand Identity are delighted to have won Bronze for RINGANA's packaging at one of the most important design awards on our continent.

www.europeandesign.org



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The Dieline Awards 2017: RINGANA Superfoods

The Dieline Awards are international awards for packaging design. They recognise the best packaging design and show the immense value of well-designed brand packaging.

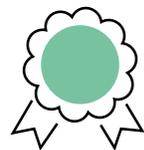
This award is seen as the absolute benchmark for design in the area of consumer goods. At the awards ceremony in Chicago, RINGANA packaging ranked 2nd, taking a place on the podium in the “Health, Cosmetics, Fragrance” category.

www.thedielineawards.com



Figure of the Year 2016

An incredible 127,163 votes were cast for the 196 candidates nominated and presented by the Kleine Zeitung newspaper. Readers voted Andreas Wilfinger the winner in the "Economic" category for the East and South Styria region.

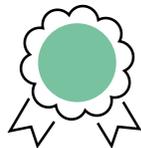


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Climate Alliance company 2016

RINGANA has been a member of the Styrian Climate Alliance companies since November 2016. The Climate Alliance is a global partnership for environmental protection. We hope that this collaboration will deliver many synergies and new ideas for our sustainable journey.

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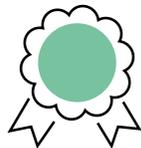


Bearer of the Styrian coat of arms

The Styrian coat of arms stands for a combination of tradition and innovation. For decades, this special award has been conferred by the Province of Styria on showcase examples of Styrian business in order to honour their outstanding services to Styria.

RINGANA was granted this honour in July 2016. During a ceremony at the RINGANA Fresh Factory, Landeshaupmann (Governor), Hermann Schützenhöfer presented the charter of the Styrian coat-of-arms to RINGANA founders Andreas Wilfinger and Ulla Wannemacher.

www.landeswappen.com/steiermark

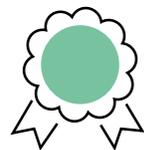


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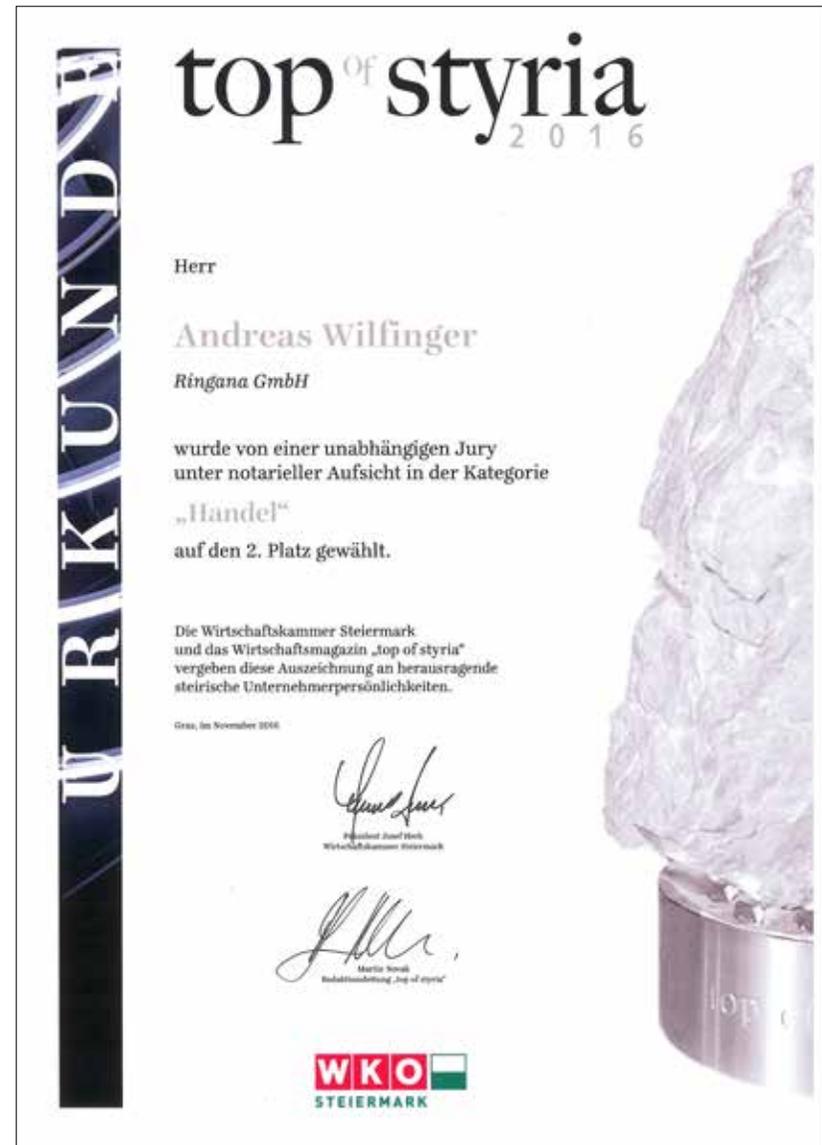
top of styria 2016

top of styria presents what is probably Styria's most respected economic award. For their outstanding achievements in the area of the Styrian economy, the "TOPS of styria" received a piece of the highest Styrian mountains – chunks of rock from the Dachstein, set in steel. One of these sought-after rocks went to Andreas Wilfinger who was voted into an excellent 2nd place by the 300-strong jury of experts in the "Retail" category.

www.topofstyria.at

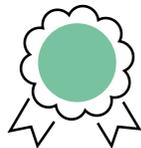


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Corporate achievement recognised by WKO

Right on time for its 20th anniversary, RINGANA was specially honoured by the Austrian Chamber of Commerce (WKO) for its corporate efforts on behalf of Styria as an economic hub.



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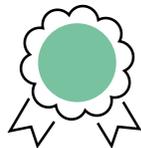


Nominated for the Energy Globe Styria Awards

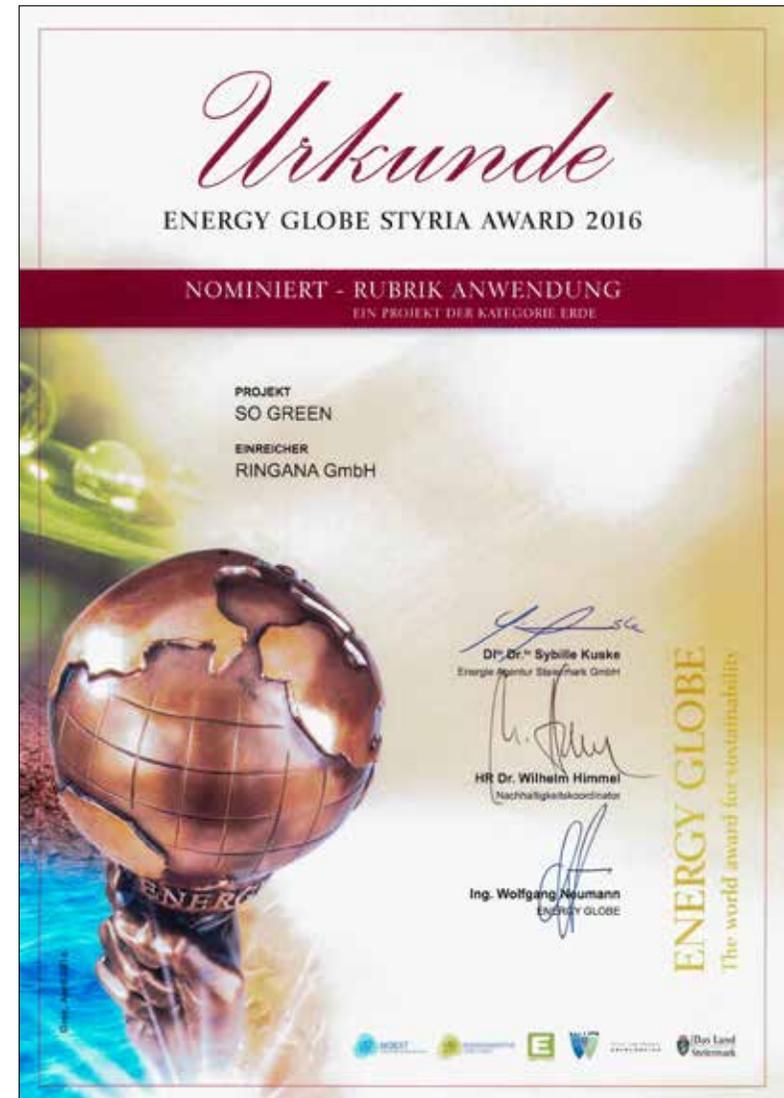
The ENERGY GLOBE Awards were launched in 1999 by Austrian energy pioneer Wolfgang Neumann and are now among the world's most prestigious environmental awards.

Every year the Energy Globe Awards recognise outstanding sustainable projects that focus on conserving resources, energy efficiency and the use of renewable energies. The aim of the awards is to present innovative and sustainable projects to a broad public because there are already good, viable solutions for many of our environmental problems.

www.energyglobe.at



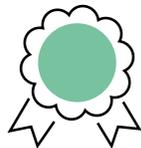
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Award-winner of Climate Protection Award 2015

The Austrian Climate Protection Award is presented by the Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, the Environment and Water and national broadcaster ORF, and is implemented in conjunction with the climate protection initiative, klimaaktiv.

www.klimaschutzpreis.at/so-green

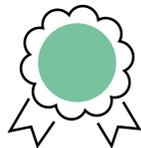


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ISO quality certification Austria Good manufacturing practice

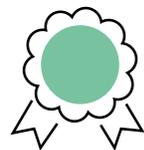
This standard brings together and closely examines the key areas of HR, equipment, manufacturing and complaints. Certification in accordance with this standard not only proves that manufacturing is being carried out in keeping with statutory requirements but also provides scope for an intensive analysis of the company's hygiene status.



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Austria's best family-run business 2015

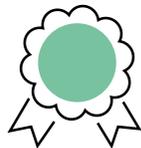
The business daily, Das Wirtschaftsblatt, annually chooses Austria's best family-run companies. RINGANA was voted the winner in Styria in May 2015.



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Austria's Leading Companies 2014

In 2014 RINGANA was recognised as Austria's Leading Company in the "Goldener Mittelbau" category (medium-sized enterprises).

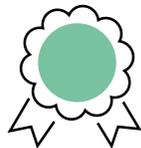


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Andreas Wilfinger is a Hidden Champion

In 2014 Andreas Wilfinger was honoured as a Hidden Champion 3.0 for his services to the Austrian export industry.

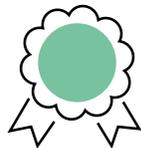


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Step Award 2014 Finalist

The STEP Awards were launched in 2006 as a competition to recognise innovative and fast-growing companies in the pharma, chemical, life sciences, biotechnology, nanotechnology, medical technology and clean/green tech industries in Germany, Austria and Switzerland.



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Daphne Environmental Technology Award 2013

In 2013 RINGANA was presented with the Daphne Environmental Technology Award by the Umweltschutz magazine for its RINGANA Sun Protection Balm. The "Daphne Environmental Technology Award" is an Austrian environmental award that has been presented to innovative companies for 30 years.



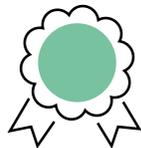
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Green Brand Austria 2012/2013

“Green” brands that are part of everyday life and which respond to and/or are oriented from their inception to growing public awareness of the need for greater sustainability, environmental protection and healthy lifestyle are recognised with the GREEN BRAND award.

GREEN BRANDS thus honour in a unique way these brands’ commitment to climate protection, sustainability and ecological responsibility.

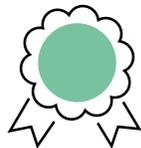


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EY Entrepreneur of the Year 2013

The audit and consultancy firm EY (previously Ernst & Young) annually recognises courageous entrepreneurs. In 2013 Andreas Wilfinger was named as one of the finalists. Special mention was made of his achievements in the areas of corporate growth and innovation.



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EY Entrepreneur Of The Year

Andreas Wilfinger
Ringana GmbH

Finalist des Wettbewerbs
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für inhabergeführte Unternehmen, die sich durch
Wachstumsstärke und Innovation auszeichnen

Wien, am 10. Oktober 2013

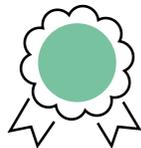
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Leading Companies Austria 2012

Leading Companies Austria (Leitbetriebe Austria) is an independent, cross-industry business network that recognises and connects showcase companies in the Austrian economy. Sustainable corporate success, innovation and social responsibility are the key criteria for certification.

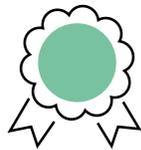


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Luxepack 2011

In 2011 RINGANA received the Luxepack Award for its idea of packaging glass bottles in organic cotton. Our organic cotton towels are sewn for us by a longstanding Austrian business.



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