

*Going Green Together*

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## Introduction

*At the UIM, we make it a point of honor to raise environmental performance of powerboating and make our sport a vector of environmental protection and sustainable development. We will continue to promote the optimal use of resources and materials, efficient logistics and transport, continued reduction of environmental footprint, discharges to water and emissions to air.*

*The Environmental Award is the reflection of the values we hold high. For this reason we continue encouraging all our stakeholders to showcase their most original initiatives and their most successful innovations in terms of sustainable eco-friendly technologies. I believe that together, we can take up these challenges. Together, we can ensure a bright future for our Sport.*



**Dr. Raffaele Chiulli**  
UIM President







# ABOUT THE UNION INTERNATIONALE MOTONAUTIQUE

Established in 1922, the Union Internationale Motonautique (UIM) is the world governing body for all Powerboating activities. It is fully recognized by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) and is a member of the Association of the IOC Recognized International Sports Federations (ARISF) and of SportAccord. The UIM has 65 affiliated National Federations.

The main disciplines of the UIM are :

- Circuit
- Offshore
- Pleasure Navigation
- Aquabike ( Jet ski)
- MotoSurf
- Solar & Electric (E1)

Some of the flagship classes of the different disciplines have been licensed to Promoters, such as F1, Offshore Class 1, V2, Aquabike Class Pro, MotoSurf and E1 Series.

The UIM is recognized by the IOC as exclusive authority for world powerboating in all its disciplines. It is the UIM's mission to protect the sport and to shape the future of Powerboating on behalf of its National Member Federations and the competitors. The UIM is responsible for developing a safe, accessible and thriving sport at global scale.







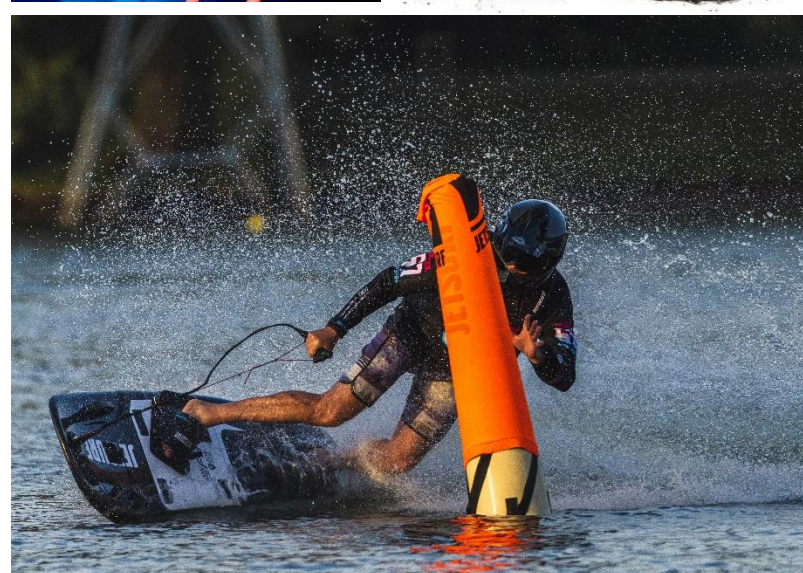
## OUR COMMITMENT THE ENVIRONMENT

In 2022, the UIM has adopted a new Environmental Policy underlining the Federation's strong commitment to enhancing sustainability education, offsetting emissions from UIM events and advancing climate action through effective communication. The International Powerboat Federation's unwavering dedication to sustainable development is reflected in the Collaboration Agreement the UIM has signed with the United Nations Environment Program (UNEP) to expand environmental initiatives, share expertise, and jointly promote environmental responsibility in sports. The UIM is also a founding signatory of the "Sports For Nature" Framework, launched at the UN Biodiversity Conference COP15 in Montreal in December 2022.



## UIM E1 Series – powerboat racing going electric...!

By launching the UIM E1 World Championship, the first ever electric powerboat racing Series, in February 2024, the UNION INTERNATIONALE MOTONAUTIQUE will show the way how to attain unprecedented levels of sustainability in the area of on-water mobility.



# ABOUT THE UIM ENVIRONMENTAL AWARD

For its 14<sup>th</sup> edition, the UIM Environmental Award allows the environmental leaders, both individuals and organizations to showcase their most original initiatives and their most successful innovations in terms of environmentally friendly technologies. All the applications, and not only those of the finalists and prize-winners, embody brilliantly the wide scope of a nautical industry in perpetual evolution while tackling environmental challenges.

## 1. WHO CAN ENTER

UIM Member Federations, powerboat racing teams, boat builders, engine manufacturers, universities, research centers, scientist, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGO's), event organizers, companies and individuals are all eligible for the 2023 UIM Environmental Award.

The Award can be won through positive and proven actions and efforts favoring the protection of the environment which result in a reduction of the environmental footprint in all types of motorboating activities.

## 2. WHAT IS THE BENEFIT OF THE RECOGNITION

The winners of the 2023 Environmental Award will be announced in an official press release distributed to more than 1500 international media representatives, UIM partners & Sponsors, Promoters, World Champions, National Federations and stakeholders.



Showcase your business and expertise



**Guaranteed visibility** in front of key decision-makers

## 3. HOW TO ENTER

Simply complete the Entry Form for the 2023 Environmental Award published in the “News” section of the UIM website [www.uim.sport](http://www.uim.sport)

and return it to the UIM Office by email: [uim@uim.sport](mailto:uim@uim.sport) no later than 4<sup>th</sup> December 2023



# *Who will win the 2023 UIM Environmental Award?*

**SUBMIT YOUR ENTRY BEFORE DECEMBER 4<sup>th</sup> 2023**







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