

The UCA hosts the Cátedra Fundación Cepsa Prizes

- **Cristina Agabo-Garcia and Alicia María Ruiz Iglesias are recognized for their talent and effort by Cátedra Fundación Cepsa (the Fundación Cepsa Chair)**
- **The Fundación Cepsa Chair aims to promote and encourage training, research and technological transfer**

The Fundación Cepsa Chair has announced the winners of its 2019 awards. Awards are given for research career theses, research projects, patents and publications related to energy, oil and the environment

The committee of experts decided to award a prize to these projects for their innovation and originality, their scientific-technological approach, and their importance and applicability.

This year, the Chair's joint committee has awarded Cristina Agabo-García and the other authors (Montserrat Pérez, Bruno Rodríguez-Morgado, Juan Parrado, Rosario Solera) the prize for the Scientific-Technological Paper category for their article: *Improvement of the production of biomethane by enzymatic pretreatments and potentiators of anaerobic digestion of sewage sludge.*

Alicia María Ruiz Iglesias has also been awarded the Theses category prize for her project *Implementation and further study of the economic and energy saving of Twisted Tubes® technology in the H-E2001 changers, in the Puente Mayorga chemical plant paraffin plant.*

The Vice-President of Scientific and Technological Policy, María Jesús Mosquera, and part of her team, joined this joint Committee meeting, as new members of the Chair. Since its inception in 2005, the Fundación Cepsa Chair has focused on promoting and encouraging aspects related to education, research, technology transfer and dissemination.

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Cepsa Chairs in Andalusia

Cepsa continues to work alongside academia. The Fundación Cepsa-managed chairs at the universities of Huelva, Seville and Cadiz are growing thanks to the contributions and dedication of professionals from all these organizations to improve training, innovation and research.

The Fundación Cepsa chairs in Andalusia have allowed thousands of students to gain first-hand experience of a real working environment, while bringing university professors closer to the reality of industry in Andalusia. Exchanges between technicians and professors have allowed them to hone their skills and apply their newly gained expertise in their daily work. For all these reasons, today Cepsa is a great ally of universities in Andalusia.

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