# ENLIGHTEN® AWARD 2020

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## We congratulate our 2020 Altair Enlighten Award Winners



### **Harley-Davidson Motor** Livewire, Electric Motorcycle

Full Vehicle Winner

- Electrification: Sustainability
- Energy capacity improved by 90% Ratio of energy capacity to mass
- Chassis stiffness increased 143% and 97% in the two primary directions of
- Rolling chassis mass reduced 2.3 kg

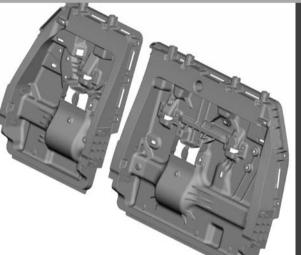


#### Nissan

Sentra 2020 New Platform

Full Vehicle Runner-up

- Brand-new global platform
- Dramatic safety and performance improvement
- Increased UHSS application



#### Toyota

Injection Molded Fiber Reinforced Thermoplastic Seat Back

Module Winner

- 15% cost, and 30% mass reduction 2 x safety performance increase
- Consolidation of 15 components to
- Industry first free standing, two-occupant injection molded back frame



### **ZF Friedrichshafen AG**

**Electric Park Brake** 

Module Runner-up

- First-to-market innovation with well over
- Over 25 lb weight reduction in heavy duty
- Continuous improvement of redesigned
- actuator with minimum 25kN of clamping force per rear wheel



### Marelli

**Advanced Sheet Compression Molded Suspension Steering** 

Future of Lightweighting Winner

- 25% mass savings of newly developed ASMC suspension knuckle as compared to the aluminum version on a medium segment SUV
- 50% mass savings newly developed ASMC suspension knuckle as compared to the cast iron version of a medium segment SUV



Ultimate Lightweight Aluminum/ **CFRP Body Side Panel by Topology** 

Future of Lightweighting Runner-up

- Weight reduction of multi-material structure of aluminum and short fiber CFRTP
- Comparative weight reduction of about
- 50% in body side panel weight



#### **Mubea (Muhr und Bender)** Mubea GFRP Tension Leaf Spring

**Enabling Technology** 

- Winner
- Innovation in GRP tension leaf springs Special geometry with bend at rear end of spring





## **DuPont Transportation &**

**BETASEAL™** Bonded Thermoplastic Liftgates

**Enabling Technology** 

- Comparative weight savings of 20-30% for Magna thermoplastic liftgates bonded with BETASEAL™ X2500 structural
- Design of fast room temperature curing, two-component structural adhesive joining solution for mixed material construction

The Altair Enlighten Award, jointly presented with the Center for Automotive Research (CAR), is intended to honor the greatest achievements in vehicle weight savings each year. Learn more about nominees and winners of 2020 as well as how to take part in the Enlighten Award 2021 at: altairenlighten.com/award

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**Knowledge Discovery using Multidisciplinary Design Optimization and Data Mining** 

Enabling Technology Honorable Mention

Mazda provides a methodology that captures top technology trends applying simulation driven design and data analytics for product design. That provide inspiration to industry peers.