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## PRESS RELEASE

# WPO announces finalist candidates for the WorldStar Packaging Special Awards

**December 2019** - WPO (World Packaging Organisation – [www.worldpackaging.org](http://www.worldpackaging.org)) has just announced the list of candidates for four special awards within the WorldStar Awards 2020 programme.

In no particular order, as follows:

### President's Award Finalists

- Plantic™ RV Skin Packaging Materials (**Plantic Technologies, Australia**)
- Compostable barrier organic coffee capsules compatible with Nespresso coffee makers (**Cafès Novell, Spain**)
- Vapro VBCI 826 Soluplast (**Magna International Pte Ltd., Singapore**)
- Universal Returnable Bottle (**Coca-Cola Brazil**)

### Sustainability Award Finalists

- Woolworths Bakery Plant Fibre Tray (**Woolworths, Australia**)
- Lewis Road 100% rPET Milk Bottle (**Pact, New Zealand**)
- Bag-2-Paper™ (**JASA Packaging Solutions B.V., Netherlands**)

### Packaging that Saves Food Award Finalists

- HomeFresh® Entrée (**Placon, USA**)
- Npop Deqingyuan Recyclable Egg-box (**Beijing YiSide Packaging Design Co. Ltd China**)
- Hazeldene's Chicken Farm and Sealed Air for Cryovac® Darfresh® on Tray (**Sealed Air, Australia**)

### Marketing Award Finalists

- Pepsi NFL Laces Can (**PepsiCo Inc., USA**)
- O Hui Day Shield Smart Pumping Foundation Cushion (**LG Household&Health Care, South Korea**)
- PackLock Bi-Fold Clamshell (**Placon, USA**)

*(Bronze, silver and gold awards for each of these awards will be announced on 8 May 2020 in Dusseldorf, Germany during Interpack week. Registration to attend the Awards Presentations and Gala Dinner will be available in January at [www.worldstar.org](http://www.worldstar.org)*

A complete list of 2020 Worldstar winners and special award finalists can be found at <http://www.worldstar.org/worldstar-winners-2020>.

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The 2021 **WorldStar** awards will be open for entry in June 2020 and the judging will take place in South Africa, November, 2020. Further questions regarding the next edition, please contact WorldStar Coordinator, Rachel Bayswater – [rachel.bayswater@iom3.org](mailto:rachel.bayswater@iom3.org).

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