

CERTIFICATES AWARD AUSTRIA 2014 CONFIRMED: RCB IS THE BEST ISSUER



Yesterday evening the best issuers and most innovative certificates in Austria were rewarded on the premises of Raiffeisen Zentralbank Österreich AG. Raiffeisen Centrobank AG (RCB) again convinced with its product and service range and came off as overall winner from 11 competitors for the 8th time in a row.

AWARDS FOR RAIFFEISEN CENTROBANK

Overall Winner:	
Best Issuer	1st place
Audience Voting:	
Certificate House of the Year	1st place
Info & Service / Issuer Quality	1st place
Austria Certificate of the Year	1st place
Inv. Products with Cap. Protection	2nd place
Inv. Products without Capital Protection:	
Bonus & Express	1st place
Discount & Reverse Convertibles	3rd place
Index & Participation	1st place



"Especially in times of rapid changes it is of utmost importance to remain a reliable partner for our clients."

Heike Arbter,
Head of Structured Products.

The expert jury has voted

The independent jury members who were asset managers, retail bankers, online brokers and financial journalists rewarded products and issuers.

Confirmed by the audience

"We are very pleased that we have won the audience vote and were elected **BEST CERTIFICATES HOUSE OF THE YEAR**' by customers and advisors. We very much appreciate this award", Heike Arbter is pleased to say

Info & Service: outstanding overall package

Raiffeisen Centrobank also won the category **"INFO & SERVICE"** – we ensure to continue on our path and will make every endeavour to meet investors' needs.

Highlights of RCB's product range

- Austria Certificate of the Year: **ATX® Global Players Index Certificate**
- Investment Product with Capital Protection: **Index Bond 3 Guarantee Certificate**
- Bonus & Express: **RCB series Oil Bonus Certificates**
- Discount & Reverse Convertibles: **Protect Reverse Convertible on voestalpine AG**
- Index & Participation: **RCB Research Basket Participation Certificate**



The Awards



The audience



Heike Arbter, Winner of the Evening



Overall Winners: Best Issuers 2014

RAIFFEISEN CENTROBANK: BEST ISSUER IN AUSTRIA

We stand for:

- transparent market access for private investors
- clear-cut and transparent payout profiles
- efficient and simple tradeability of market developments
- particular importance to risk-optimised structures
- a broad market coverage
- a comprehensive product range
- long-term expertise, continuity and sustainability

... and are the sole

Austrian full-service provider!

Further information may be obtained on the internet at www.rcb.at or through the product hotline of Raiffeisen Centrobank +43(0)1 51520 - 484.

Overview of all categories and awardees:

OVERALL WINNER

1. Raiffeisen Centrobank
2. Erste Group Bank
3. UniCredit onemarkets

INFO & SERVICE / ISSUER QUALITY

1. Raiffeisen Centrobank
2. BNP Paribas
3. UniCredit onemarkets

AUSTRIA CERTIFICATE OF THE YEAR

1. Raiffeisen Centrobank
2. Erste Group Bank
3. Volksbank AG

AUDIENCE VOTING: CERTIFICATES HOUSE OF THE YEAR

1. Raiffeisen Centrobank
2. Volksbank AG
3. Erste Group Bank

INVESTMENT PRODUCTS WITH CAP. PROTECTION

1. Erste Group Bank
2. Raiffeisen Centrobank
3. Société Générale

INVESTMENT PRODUCTS WITHOUT CAP. PROT.

Bonus & Express Certificates

1. Raiffeisen Centrobank
2. Commerzbank
3. Erste Group Bank

Discount Certificates & Rev. Conv. Bonds

1. Erste Group Bank
2. Vontobel
3. Raiffeisen Centrobank

Index & Participation Certificates

1. Raiffeisen Centrobank
2. Royal Bank of Scotland
3. Erste Group Bank

LEVERAGE PRODUCTS

1. BNP Paribas
2. Commerzbank
3. Erste Group Bank