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Healing Hotels receives award for 'Extraordinary Achievement' from Gandhi Global Family

Elisabeth Ixmeier and Anne Biging are first German recipients of award



Cologne, Germany, 7 November, 2019 -- Anne Biging and Elisabeth Ixmeier, Co-Founders of Healing Hotels of the World, have received the prestigious Souvenir for Extraordinary Achievement from the Gandhi Global Family (GGF).

GGF is a United Nations-accredited peace NGO, which propagates the ideologies of Mahatma Gandhi, Martin Luther King and Nelson Mandela among youth. The award is given to individuals or companies who are bringing change to society through innovative ideas.

The award was presented to Biging and Ixmeier by Akhilesh Spolia, who has been involved with the GGF since he was eight years old. "It is not possible to put in words the honor I felt in bestowing this award on Anne and Elisabeth," he said. "It is a privilege to present this sacred souvenir."

Biging and Ixmeier were given an autobiography of Mahatma Gandhi, a tricolor scarf, statue of Gandhi, key handle with Gandhi photo and pen drive on Gandhi's life with photos.

“One of our main aims with Healing Hotels is to help drive profound changes for our guests, so receiving this award is incredibly meaningful,” said Ixmeier. “We are beyond honored to be recognized by the Gandhi Global Family.”

In 2006, Biging and Ixmeier co-founded the Healing Hotels of the World, a member-based global brand uniting over 100 of the best healing hotels and resorts around the world under one umbrella. In 2014, Biging and Ixmeier created the Healing Summit, a unique conference that serves as a platform for professionals striving for a holistic approach to life and business, with the aim to create a global community of influencers who are committed to doing good.

“What an honor to be the first German recipient of the prestigious Gandhi Global Family Award for extraordinary achievement and performance,” said Biging. “With India being the birthplace of the global hospitality brand Healing Hotels of the World, a full circle is completed.”

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About Healing Hotels of the World

Healing Hotels of the World is a member-based global brand, encompassing more than 100 of the best healing hotels and resorts around the world. As a leader in the field, Healing Hotels is the first and only global brand of quality member hotels devoted to profound individual change through evidence-based modalities dedicated to healing. Hotel partners follow rigorous standards and criteria, ensuring that wellness for each guest is taken to a deeper dimension through singularly crafted holistic healing programmes.

About the Gandhi Global Family

The Gandhi Global Family (GGF) is an International Civil Society Organisation (CSO) accredited by the Department of Global Communication, New York. The organization propagates the ideologies of Mahatma Gandhi, Martin Luther King and Nelson Mandela among masses, and especially among youth. It also associates itself at enhancing friendship at grass root level, and establishes people-to-people contact throughout the world.