

HRH Prince Michael of Kent GVO

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Yours sincerely,

With many congratulations,

I was fascinated to learn of your work seeking to reduce road traffic casualties through improved forensic techniques and vehicle design. Especially interesting is the way improvements to pedestrian triage can help to maximise their chance of survival and rehabilitation when involved in a collision with a motor vehicle.

I appreciate that this project provides the first building block but am impressed by the way it has attracted attention across the world including committed support from Toyota. I am confident that it will be of immense value in improving post-crash response, so am delighted your work has been selected to receive my International Road Safety Award in recognition of its innovation and outstanding achievement.

Under normal circumstances I would invite you to join other winners at my award ceremony in London. But I am sorry that current travel restrictions make this impossible, however I very much look forward to meeting your team in the future. We will be in touch shortly to make arrangements for your trophy to be delivered. Meanwhile I wish you continuing success with your work to improve community safety for your citizens.

Dear Ms Bastien,

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