

## JORDI FÁBREGA WINS THE 2024 ANTONIO MORENO ESPEJO JOURNALISM AWARD

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The Jury of the 2024 Antonio Moreno Espejo Journalism Award has decided to grant this eighth edition of the award to the podcast titled **Normas sobre criptoactivos, se acabó la ley de la selva** ("Crypto-asset regulations, no more law of the jungle"), by Jordi Fábrega, broadcasted by the programme "Hora 25 de los Negocios de la Cadena SER" and on the "Ser Podcast" platform.

The Jury highlighted that the award-winning work addresses one of the most relevant issues in the financial markets, such as the entry into force of the new European regulation on crypto-assets, in an entertaining, rigorous and informative way. In addition to the quality of the report, the Jury highlights the use of various sources to explain complex processes such as European legislative procedures. Moreover, the Jury valued positively that the report breaks down a new product for investors and markets. The Jury also highlighted the efforts of both the author and the generalist media in the dissemination of such a relevant issue for investor protection.

This year's edition had 111 journalistic works submitted or preliminarily selected, published across 24 different media or channels.

The CNMV created this award in memory of Antonio Moreno Espejo, a member of the institution's staff from its inception in the late eighties until his untimely death, when he was the Head of the Institution Authorisation and Registration Department, in January 2017. The award carries a cash prize next of 15,000 euros and will be presented at a public ceremony.

The members of the Jury for this edition were the following:

- Paloma Marín Bona, CNMV Vice-Chair, who acted as Chair;
- Rodrigo Buenaventura, Secretary General of the Board of the International Organisation of Securities Commissions (IOSCO) and former president of the CNMV;
- Mirenchu del Valle, Chair of the Spanish Union of Insurance and Reinsurance Companies (UNESPA);
- Domingo García Coto, Director of the Spanish Stock Exchanges and Markets (Bolsas y Mercados Españoles, BME) Research Department.
- María Gutiérrez Urtiaga, Professor of Financial Economics at the Universidad Carlos III de Madrid.

Alberto Estévez Lucas, Head of the CNMV's Communications Department, acted as secretary of the Jury.





The CNMV would like to thank the members of the Jury for their collaboration in the procedure. The number of entries submitted and the overall high quality of them show the appeal of the award. The topics and format of the works submitted this year follow the trends of the most prominent issues affecting the financial markets and the media.

All the information on the Antonio Moreno Award is available on our website.

