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Antelope heroes revealed as award winners

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The Prince of Wales has said he wants his environmental Earthshot prize to "change the world for good" over the next decade as he celebrated this year's winners.

The recipients included an initiative that saved a rare antelope species from extinction and a Kenyan company that uses solar powered fridges to stop harvested crops from going bad.

The Prince's annual Earthshot Prize awards support sustainable, eco-friendly projects from around the world. Each of the five winners receive £1 million to grow their innovative ideas to "repair" the planet.

There are five Earthshot goals: Protect and Restore Nature; Clean Our Air; Revive Our Oceans; Build a Waste-free World; and Fix Our Climate.

Fifteen finalists, from countries including France, Kenya, Indonesia, the UK and Nepal, were competing for their category's prize pot. There were over 2,500 applicants overall.

All 2,000 attendees at the prize ceremony were asked to wear sustainable clothes — either made from recycled materials or a previously worn outfit. And the prince was



no exception, dressed in a second-hand jacket and plastic-free biodegradable shoes.

The awards were broadcast live across Africa and streamed online. In his closing remarks, the prince said that "We want to make this the decade in which we transform the world for good, one solution at a time, from the ground up."

The aim of the awards, organisers say, is to celebrate and support those working to provide innovative solutions for environmental issues.

There was a focus on ideas from Africa for this year's Earthshot Prize, with more than 400 African-led projects nominated.

Although Africa generates the fewest emissions for global warming, many of its countries are among the most vulnerable to climate change.

Much of the prince's visit to Cape Town also focused on young people and the power they have to bring about change.

"These are the game-changers, the innovators, the inventors who are going to make the world a better place for us in future," he said.

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Sir David Attenborough helped to found the Earthshot Prize.



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Answer to Find the truth. True! Sir David set up the prize with Prince William in 2020. [More here.](#)



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WHAT	WHO	WHERE	WHEN	WHY	HOW
did Prince William ask the prize winners to do?	did Prince William focus on as change makers?	did the ceremony take place?	were the 2024 winners announced?	did Prince William wear a second-hand jacket?	much money did the winners receive?
ANSWER: Change the world for good	ANSWER: Young people	ANSWER: Cape Town, South Africa	ANSWER: This month	ANSWER: More sustainable	ANSWER: £1 million each

