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Sebastian Job of BMW M Team Redline wins "Sim Racer of the Year" at the Esports Awards.

- Esports Awards introduce a dedicated category for automotive gaming for the first time.
- BMW M driver Sebastian Job is the first winner in this category.
- A crowning achievement for BMW M Motorsport's successful virtual motorsport season.

Munich. Sebastian Job (GBR), driver for BMW M Team Redline, triumphed at the 2024 Esports Awards held on Thursday in Los Angeles (USA), winning in the newly introduced "Sim Racer of the Year" category. This award recognises the 24-year-old's outstanding performance over the past season, as acknowledged by a jury and Esports fans worldwide. Among his many achievements, Job claimed second place in the driver championship at the Esports World Cup (EWC) and played a pivotal role in BMW M Team Redline's victory in the team championship.

The Esports Awards are the most prestigious honours in the Esports industry, celebrating the top individuals, teams, and organisations annually. Over ten categories like "Esports Team of the Year", "Esports Game of the Year", and "Streamer of the Year" highlight the most impressive and successful players in the field. The introduction of the new "Sim Racer of the Year" category marks a significant step in recognising automotive gaming as a vital part of the Esports world.

"Congratulations to Sebastian Job and BMW M Team Redline on winning the Esports Award," said Timo Brückner, Project Lead BMW M Automotive Gaming. "This award not only underscores Sebastian's exceptional talent and passion, but also the outstanding work and dedication of the entire team. It's fantastic to see virtual motorsport gaining the recognition it deserves in the Esports segment with the introduction of the new "Sim Racer of the Year"

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category. Sebastian is a phenomenal ambassador for BMW M Motorsport on the virtual racetrack and has truly earned this accolade."

Job commented: "I'm very proud to win this award, topping off what has been my most successful year to date. Lots of hard work has gone in so it's really nice to see that appreciated, and I'm more motivated than ever to do even better next year!"

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