

## TALL TOWER FOR SOFIA

Bulgaria leaps to the fore with ECE's Europe Park in Sofia, set to house the country's tallest tower.

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## SINGAPORE GOES RESIDENTIAL

Singapore's residential developments lure foreign investors in increasing numbers.

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## MEXICO SEEKS SEDATE TOURISTS

The Mexican state of Quintana Roo courts a quieter breed of tourists.

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## PARIS' FUTURE FORMULA

Paris deputy mayor Christian Sauter promotes the city as a haven for "innovative companies".

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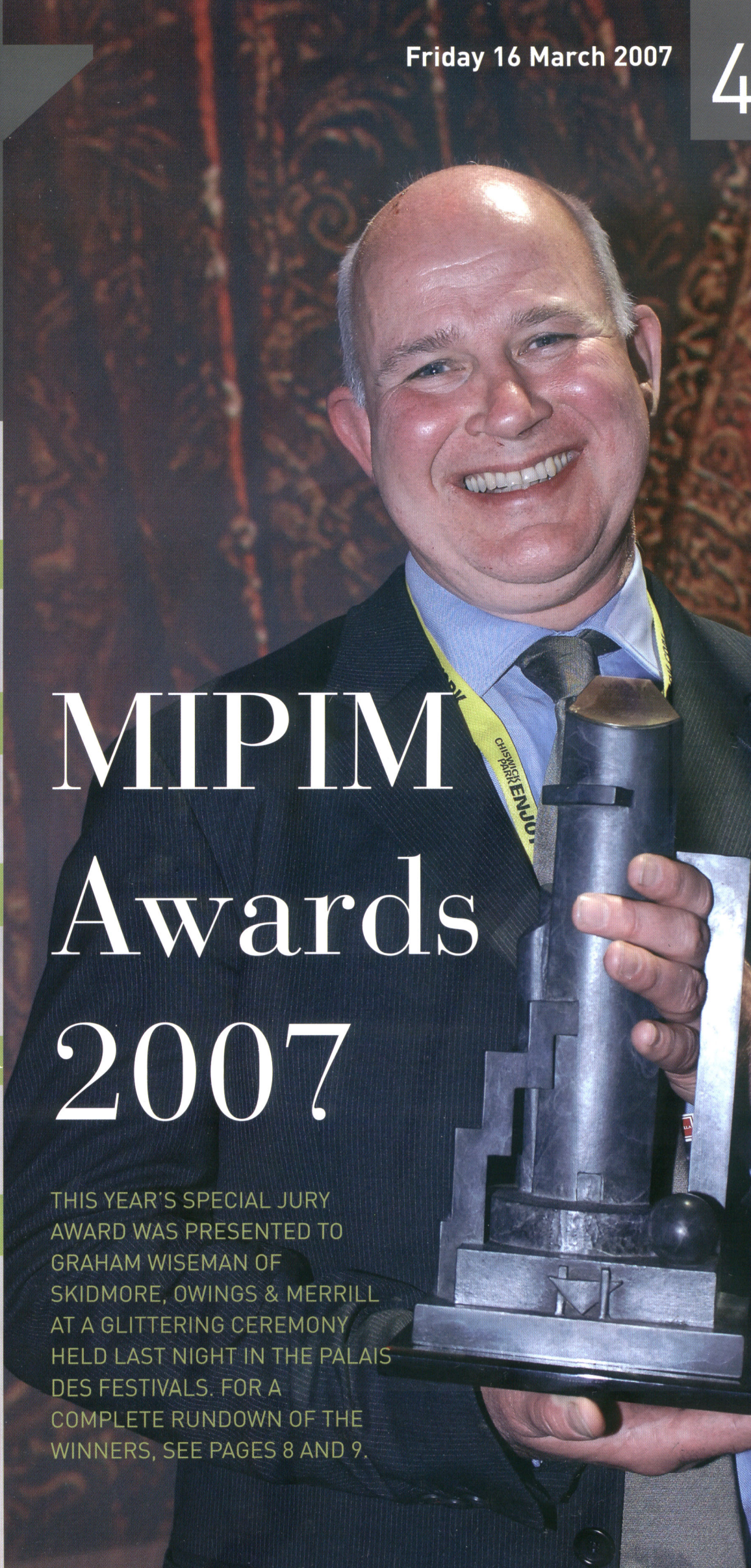
## FULL STEAM AHEAD IN ABU DHABI

Abu Dhabi's developer Alta Properties seeks investment partners for ground-breaking schemes.

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# MIPIIM Awards 2007

THIS YEAR'S SPECIAL JURY AWARD WAS PRESENTED TO GRAHAM WISEMAN OF SKIDMORE, OWINGS & MERRILL AT A GLITTERING CEREMONY HELD LAST NIGHT IN THE PALAIS DES FESTIVALS. FOR A COMPLETE RUNDOWN OF THE WINNERS, SEE PAGES 8 AND 9.



# Brazil works its magic on MIPIM delegates

PROJECTS in Brazil are attracting the attention of MIPIM delegates. Marcela Guizilini Chamas of INVI said: "A lot of people are keen to invest in Brazil. They have been showing enormous interest in our stand." INVI masterplans and designs leisure projects in Brazil, with development backing from Buena Vista Hospitality and ROIG. Its schemes include Porto Cristovao, a year round seafront development that was showcased at MIPIM 2006.

Also at MIPIM is ADIT Nordeste, the association for development of

tourism and real estate in North Eastern Brazil. The organisation is seeking to promote development, and making it easier for foreign investors to buy real estate in Brazil.

An example of the projects taking place in Brazil is the city of Niteroi, a metropolis of 500,000 people with scenic views of Rio de Janeiro across the Guanabara Bay.

The Niteroi Centro Masterplan 2026, prepared by Morris Architects, aims to create a cohesive vision of downtown Niteroi focused on the waterfront.