The Dutch Data Prize awards the efforts of researchers who collect and document data in order to make the data accessible to others.

A product of the DURAARK project [http://duraark.eu/](http://duraark.eu/), the DURAARK data repository [http://data.duraark.eu/](http://data.duraark.eu/) was shortlisted for the Dutch Data Prize Award [http://www.researchdata.nl/en/services/data-prize/](http://www.researchdata.nl/en/services/data-prize/) in the category of ‘Exact and Technical Sciences’. Although the award eventually went to another shortlisted candidate on the 9th of November at an award ceremony in Den Haag, the DURAARK data repository was acknowledged for the unique and elaborate collection of Point Cloud and BIM data corresponding to buildings. Thomas Krinjen from TU Eindhoven, who led the data repository into the final stage of this contest, attended the event with fellow DURAARK contributor, Ujwal Gadiraju from the L3S Research Center.

DURAARK Dataset Shortlisted for the Dutch Data Prize Award