EUROPEAN UNION PRIZE FOR CITIZEN SCIENCE

SUBMISSION QUESTIONS 2024

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Submission Questions

Applicants to the European Union Prize for Citizen Science will be required to provide the following information in the course of the submission process.

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About the submitted initiative

Italic fields* are mandatory.

Title of Inititative*		250 characters
Location of Initiative*	Country or countries where the Citizen Science initiative took place. A list of all eligible countries is available on the IMPETUS website.	350 characters
Timeframe of Initiative*	The Prize is open only to initiatives that are currently ongoing or took place within the last two years.	XXXX – XXXX or Ongoing
Abstract*	Give a brief summary of your project.	1,000 characters
Year the project was implemented/updated*	Most recent year the project was updated or implemented.	Number
Description*	Describe your project in 5000 characters. Give a clear, detailed description of the concept, the form of interaction and practical implementation, including an explanation of how the submission responds to the award criteria.	5,000 characters

Research Question*	Describe the aims and/or the research question of the project.	1,500 characters
Initiative Team*	Name the lead organisations and individuals that took part in the initiative and describe their role.	1,500 characters
Number of citizens engaged*	Estimated total of the number of citizens engaged in the initiative.	Number
Citizen Engagement*	Give a profile of the community of citizen scientists and their role in the initiative, including how they have been / are recruited.	1,500 characters
How will the Prize money benefit your community?*	Describe how you plan to use the Prize money to benefit your community in case your project is elected winner of the EU Prize for Citizen Science.	1,500 characters
Project URL	Give a reference to an online presence of the submitted project.	

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Credit	Please provide credit information (if any).	1,000 characters
Support received from	State what (financial) support the project has received (if any).	1,000 characters
*Keywords**	Give at least three keywords to describe the submission.	1,000 characters
Research discipline	List the scientific discipline or disciplines related to the initiative.	1,000 characters
Software	Name software used (if any).	1,000 characters
Hardware	Name hardware used (if any).	1,000 characters

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About the applicant

The applicant is the main contact person for the submission.

Data fields	Mandatory
First Name	Yes
Last Name	Yes
Institution	No
Gender	Yes
Date of birth	No
Pronouns	No
Nationality	Yes
Biography	Yes
Portrait	Yes
Additional file/s (CV etc as PDF)	No
Address	No
Postal code	No
City	No
State	No
Country	Yes
Email	Yes
Phone	Yes
URL	No

About the creator / creator group

The creator / creator group is the institution, team and/or team members responsible for initiative. These include all researchers involved. But not necessarily every individual citizen scientist involved. Acknowledging one creator is mandatory (it can be same as applicant)

The creator / creator group are the individuals, organisations or teams that should be credited for the project. See examples of how projects are credited in previous winning submissions on the Prize Website: https://ars.electronica.art/citizenscience/en/winners/

Team Portraits & Biographies

It is recommended to include a portrait image and biography in creator field for all involved project members (Creator / Creator group). These are the lead people working on the project and not necessarily all the citizen scientists involved.

It is recommended to upload images in the highest resolution possible. The following file formats are supported:
.jpg, .gif, .png, .tiff,

Creator / Creator group data

Data fields	Mandatory
Name	Yes
Institution	No
Gender	Yes
Date of birth	No
Pronouns	No
Nationality	Yes
Biography	Yes
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Support materials

Applicants are encouraged to submit material illustrating the submitted initiative. ***Upload of max. 15 assets is allowed.***

Video or Slideshow

- The upload of a video documentation (approximately 3-5 minutes in length) summarizing the project for the jury is highly recommended.

  The recommended video formats are: container mp4 with H264 codec, audio stereo with 16 Bit and 44,1 kHz

- Alternatively slides can be uploaded in PDF format (3-5 slides max)

  The following file formats are supported: .pdf

Images

- Please upload at least a few images (Images that document the progress and outcomes of the initiative).

  It is recommended to upload images in the highest resolution possible. The following file formats are supported: .jpg, .gif, .png, .tiff

Additional Material

- The applicant has the option to submit additional material such as images, documents and drawings (as PNG or PDF) to support the communication of their initiative. Additional material will only be reviewed during the final jury selection process and will not be reviewed during the pre-selection process or initial review by the jury.

Rules & rights

Submitters will have to confirm that they have read the information about Rules & rights as well as the EU Prize for Citizen Science submission conditions and consent to these.

Please read the Rules & Rights on the Prize website:

https://ars.electronica.art/citizenscience/en/rights/