

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE IN THE SCICHALLENGE CONTEST?

The SciChallenge contest is aiming at young people, who are interested in **NATURAL SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING or MATHEMATICS.**

If you are either between **10 to 14 years (Age Group 1) OR 15 to 20 years old (Age Group 2)**, you can participate in the contest.

You can choose between participating alone, or you can work together with one or two of your friends or schoolmates. A group is limited to three persons.

Limitations for Age Group 1: If you are younger than 14 years old, you have to inform your parents or your legal guardian about your participation and get their approval, when you are registering for the contest.

Limitations for Age Group 2: If you are already enrolled at a university, you cannot participate in SciChallenge.

WHAT DO I HAVE TO DO? A STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE:

- Step 1: Let your imagination run free!
- Step 2: Choose a topic from one of the **50 topic sheets** or select an **Open STEM-topic**
- Step 3: Always keep in mind that the selected topic has to be approached from one of the following fields: **Natural Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics**
- Step 4: Discuss your participation with your **parents** or your **teacher**
- Step 5: Prepare a **POSTER**, a **VIDEO** or a **PRESENTATION**
- Step 6: Upload it to Slideshare or Youtube between the 1st of January and 30th of April 2017 and include the **#scichallenge2017** in the title and description
- Step 7: **Register** for the contest on www.scichallenge.eu and **submit your contribution**
- Step 8: Show it to your friends and **motivate** them to participate in SciChallenge
- Step 9: Gather as many **likes, views and reactions** as possible
- Step 10: With a bit of luck you will be selected as one of the 12 pan-European winners, who win a trip to Vienna as well as additional prizes
- Step 11: Participate at the big Award Ceremony and present your work in front of an international audience!

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THE FORMATS

I want to apply with a POSTER, what do I have to consider?

Posters need to be prepared in an AO format (841mm x 1189mm). Upload it to SLIDESHARE, include the **#scichallenge2017**, register for the contest and submit the link to your poster.

Share your poster with your friends! The number of Likes and Views will have an impact on your scoring!

I want to apply with a PRESENTATION, what do I have to consider?

Presentations are limited to a maximum of 20 slides. Use SLIDESHARE for uploading your presentation and include the **#scichallenge2017**. After uploading, register for the contest and submit the link to your presentation.

Share your presentation with your friends! The number of Likes and Views will also have an impact on your scoring!

I want to apply with a VIDEO, what do I have to consider?

Videos have to be uploaded on YOUTUBE and need to include the **#scichallenge2017**. The length of the video is limited to 3 minutes. After uploading, register for the contest and submit the link to your video.

Share your video with your friends! The number of Likes and Views will also have an impact on your scoring!

MORE INFORMATION ON

www.scichallenge.eu

WHERE CAN I APPLY?

Upload your contribution on **Slideshare** or **YouTube**, include the **#scichallenge2017** and register for the contest on the **SciChallenge Platform**: www.scichallenge.eu.

HOW DOES THE RATING SYSTEM WORK?

Your application will be assessed through a combination of online community rating and traditional jury rating. Based on the online rating, the jury will select the best contributions for each age group, individual or group contribution and media format.

WHEN CAN I APPLY?



The **upload** and **registration** has to be done between **between the 1st of JANUARY and 30th of APRIL 2017**.

WHO DO I HAVE TO INVOLVE?

Please keep in mind to inform your parents or your teacher about your participation in the SciChallenge contest. If you are younger than 14 years old, you have to register together with your parents, legal guardian or teacher.

WHAT CAN I WIN?

The **12 final Pan-European winners** of the SciChallenge contest will be invited to the final award event in Vienna in July 2017 and to present their contribution. The winners are expected to present their contributions at the event and answer questions from the jury.

We will cover the basic travel expenses for the winners of the SciChallenge contest. We will also provide traveling support for one parent or one legal guardian for all children below 18 years. The travel expenses include a flight or train and an overnight stay in an appropriate accommodation. The maximum amount of travel expenses, which will be covered, is Euro 1.000,- per person. Group participants can only be accompanied by one legal guardian.

In addition to the trip to Vienna, the 12 winners will receive a certificate that recognizes their achievement in the SciChallenge Pan-European contest. Furthermore, sponsored awards for the winners are foreseen.



For any questions
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