

Conditions of participation

Idea competition: UNI IDEEN MARBURG

Eligible persons

Eligible to participate at the idea competition UNI IDEEN MARBURG are all students, employees and professors as well as graduates (up to five years after graduation) from all departments of the Philipps-University Marburg.

Participation is possible as individual or as team. Only one contribution per participant/team is admissible.

Contributions

The contributions have to describe business ideas concerning a product, a service (including in the non-profit sector), a process or the commercial use of research results.

At the time the contribution is submitted, the start-up project must still be in the pre-start-up phase. This means that the foundation of a corporation in connection with the contribution must not have taken place yet. The start of the business activity must not have taken place yet. The commencement of business activities means the generation of sales and acting on the market with the intention of generating sales.

The Marburg Institute for Innovation Research and Entrepreneurship (MAFEX) as organizer of the idea competition reserves the right not to consider contributions which e.g. violate ethical or moral principles. MAFEX also has the right to announce such an exclusion retroactively and to deny or reclaim an award.

At the time of submission, no formal business creation with regards to the idea is allowed to have taken place.

The underlying ideas of the submitted contributions are not allowed to violate the rights of third parties and have to be developed independently by the participants only.

The copyrights and legal property rights of the Philipps-University Marburg remain unaffected.

The participants release the organizer of the idea competition of any potential demands of third parties resulting from violations of copyrights, legal property rights, trade secrets and other rights which can be derived from the submitted documents.

The organizer of the idea competition assumes no liability for the statements of experts, i.e. jury members and other persons involved in the idea competition.

In case of not receiving sufficient prize worthy contributions, the organizer of the idea competition can refrain from awarding any prize.

Deadline for submission

The closing date for all contributions is on 20.12.2019, 23h59. The contributions should be submitted by e-mail to: service@mafex.de

Data privacy/Protection of ideas

The organizer of the idea competition will not forward any personal data of the participants to unauthorized third parties.

The organizer ensures the confidential treatment of the submitted contributions. All involved experts, i.e. jury members, sign a confidentiality agreement before taking up their positions. This agreement includes the confidentiality of personal data and the submitted contributions and will guarantee a confidential cooperation with the organizer during and after the completion of the idea competition.

With the submission of a contribution the participants agree to present their contribution during the closing event. They hereby also approve of pictures and videos being taken of the participants by the organizer and to be used for information and documentation purposes, duplicated and published in print and audiovisual media.

No rights persist on the return of the submitted documents.

Through the participation at the idea competition the participants explicitly agree with the conditions of participation.

Any recourse to courts of law is excluded.

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