

Conditions and Competition rules:

Who can take part?

The competition is open to all SME based in Germany (incl. startups).

What are the technological macrothemes in the competition?

Challenge: Describe an idea of a technology transfer from space to another industry. This involves the use of any space technology, such as sensors, materials or electronics etc. (all technology areas are possible). The more mature the idea, the greater the chances of winning. You may find Technologies under [ESA-Patents](#), [DLR Institutes](#) or [TT Broker Germany](#) but other verifiable sources are okay as well.

How can I take part?

Fill in the submissions form and send the requested documentation to: competition@esa-technology-broker.de . The idea proposal must not exceed **3 pages** (including pictures, tables etc.)

What is the final submission date for entering the contest?

Entries must be submitted no later than the 20th of October 2023 (12:00 pm).

Assessment

Submissions are reviewed by the German broker team and external jury members. Feasibility, degree of innovation, technological feasibility, utilization potential are evaluated.

When will the winners be announced?

The three winners will be informed at the end of October and awarded at Space Tech Expo Europe Nov. 14-16, (exact date to be announced).

What are the prizes?

The first prize is 20-thousand Euro; the second is 10-thousand Euro and the third prize is 5-thousand Euro. Furthermore, well-developed ideas can be supported on further funding under the ESA Commercialization Gateway.

Confidentiality and data protection

ESA Technology Broker Germany, as organiser of the competition, will ensure the secrecy of all the submitted proposals. The submitted proposals, as well as the stored status of the submission, will be protected against unauthorised access by third parties. The personnel and experts charged with carrying out the competition and the evaluations are committed to treating all matters confidentially.