

Conditions of Participation

Preamble

The German Mobility Award (DMP) is awarded by the Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport (BMDV) to innovative projects and prominent personalities that rethink and redesign the future of mobility.

It is promoted by the Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport (BMDV) and organised by iRights.Lab GmbH and the Gesellschaft für Informatik e.V. (the 'German Informatics Society' or 'GI').

For the purposes of data protection laws, the 'controller' is iRights.Lab GmbH, Projekt Deutscher Mobilitätspreis, Oranienstr. 185, D-10999 Berlin.

Further information is published on the website's [imprint](#). The data processing required as part of the competition is explained in the [Data Privacy Statement](#).

1. Participation/applications

The DMP is geared toward start-ups, companies, networks, cities and municipalities, associations, research institutions, as well as school classes and initiatives by committed citizens. Participation in the DMP is open to all interested parties and is free of charge. Participation does not give rise to any claim to the awarding of the prize to an entry.

Applications can be submitted by individuals or groups of people and by authorised representatives of private or public initiatives, projects, and institutions.

You must be at least 14 to submit an application for participation. Minors who submit applications must obtain the consent of their legal representatives.

Entries can be submitted if they

- a) focus on and mainly refer to Germany.
- b) focus on countries outside Germany or are submitted by applicants residing outside Germany (for the 'DMP International' category).

Participation in the German Mobility Award takes place by submitting the application form, completed in full in German or English, via the website www.mobilitaetspreis.de within the published application period. In addition, projects as well as persons can be proposed for

participation by all interested parties. The proposed projects and persons will be informed by the organizers through the communication channels indicated by the proposing person regarding their nomination. Proposed projects will only participate if a fully completed application form is submitted by the responsible persons/authorized representatives via the website www.mobilitaetspreis.de within the application deadline. Proposed persons will only participate in the German Mobility Award if they agree to the nomination in writing to the organizers within the application period.

An application can be submitted only in one prize category. The selection of the category is binding after the application period has expired. To enable better comparability of the contributions in the prize categories, the organisers may assign a contribution to a prize category that's different from the one for which it was submitted.

2. Deadlines and grounds for exclusion

Application and suggestions that are submitted after the application period expired cannot be considered.

Submissions that have already won the German Mobility Award are excluded from participation.

Employees of the promoters and organisers and the employees' immediate family members are excluded from submitting an application.

The deadline for all competition entries, and therefore the cut-off period for participating in the competition, is the period published on the website. Details on participation, duration, application phase(s), and deadlines are published on the website www.mobilitaetspreis.de.

3. Legal obligations, copyright

For recommendations and submissions to participate and possibly receive an award, they and the activities associated with them must comply with applicable law.

Submissions and recommendations cannot be considered if they infringe on third-party rights or feature forbidden content. This especially applies to the right to one's own image, the general right to privacy, copyright, and trademark rights.

By participating in the competition, the one or more participants ensure the event organiser they are unaware of any legal claims of third parties to the submitted entries.

Submissions or recommendations that propagate and/or depict undesired or unlawful actions or content (including without limitation that which is discriminating, racist, xenophobic, insulting, pornographic, or which breaches any regulations on protecting children and adolescents) are excluded from participating.

Entries that in any way violate the provisions of these contest rules or are submitted using false information may be excluded from the contest.

The promoters and organisers reserve the right to exclude from participation at any time any participants who use forbidden manipulations to procure advantages, or who influence the procedures of the online voting either technically or in their favour, or who otherwise breach these Conditions of Participation. If they are excluded, their DMP can be taken away.

4. Usage rights

By participating in the German Mobility Award, participants acknowledge that submitted entries will be assessed and evaluated by the organisers (and possibly the jury) and through audience voting. For the event they are nominated or receive an award, competition participants grant the organisers and promoters of the prize the right to use the submitted entry anytime, anywhere, and in any form for the purpose of carrying out, announcing, and evaluating the competition, and for all accompanying measures for publicity work. This includes, for example, the right to create and publish printed products, image, audio, and video productions, press releases, journalistic and editorial texts in any form, online publications on websites, in apps, and in social networks, etc. on their own (internal) and third-party (external) websites, in print publications, and any other media.

The personal data of the participants will be deleted within 3 years after the end of the competition, unless they are stored longer due to explicit consent or due to conflicting legal provisions. Participants can request the deletion of their data by simply sending a message to the German Mobility Award until they take part in the public voting or the evaluation by the jury or a nomination or award without giving any reasons. Thereafter, there is a right of objection pursuant to Art. 21 DSGVO. Further participation in the competition is no longer possible after deletion or in the event of a prior objection.

5. Exemption from liability

Participants shall indemnify and hold harmless the promoters and organisers of the DMP from all third-party claims within their internal relationship that are based on the use of the participants' competition entries if third parties claim that those entries breach their privacy rights, copyright, or other intangible rights. In particular, participants shall indemnify the promoters and organisers of the DMP from all damage that arises from such a claim, including reasonable costs for out-of-court and judicial legal defence.

The organisers reserve the right to interrupt or terminate the DMP at any time, without prior announcement and without providing grounds. Such interruption or termination will not entitle the participants to assert claims against the organisers and promoters.

6. Nomination and award

After a pre-selection procedure involving all the submissions, the German Mobility Award is awarded in the advertised categories through a decision from the jury and the audience vote. The jury reserves the right to suggest additional prizes for outstanding submissions. In consultation with the jury, the promoter must award additional prizes, dispense with awarding the prize in individual categories, or award multiple submissions simultaneously.

By submitting an entry to the DMP, the participants acknowledge that the organisers may contact them at any time, through the contact options the participants have disclosed, provided this is necessary to award and process the prize.

Prizewinners are selected in a multistage procedure:

- Experts of the organisers and promoters assess all the submissions
- A 'longlist' is created
- A high-ranking jury assesses the submissions nominated for the longlist
- Audience voting takes place publicly through the [Website of the German Mobility Award](#)
- Submissions are nominated based on the jury evaluation and audience voting
- A 'shortlist' is created

From the submissions nominated in the shortlist, the jury selects the prizewinners from the respective categories in one session. That session is not open to the public.

The audience prize will be awarded to the project that receives the most votes during the audience voting.

After the jury decides, the prizewinners will be informed at a predetermined time through the contact data on file for the purpose of confirming the acceptance of the prize. In the event of a nomination or award, the participating organisation or person responsible must give the promoters and organisers their written consent to use and publish the illustrations and sound bites that are recorded during the award ceremony.

— The award carries no prize money.

7. Further provisions

— The promoters and organisers of the DMP may change the conditions of competition and participation. Information about any changes will be provided on this and/or other suitable locations. Participants are responsible for informing themselves about any supplements and changes, especially on the internet site www.mobilitaetspreis.de.

Any legal recourse is excluded.

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