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«Students in Research Competition – FOITO 2018»



Ίδρυμα
Πρώθησης
Έρευνας



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σε όλες τις περιφέρειες της Ευρώπης

Τα Προγράμματα RESTART 2016-2020 συγχρηματοδοτούνται από την Κυπριακή Δημοκρατία και το Ευρωπαϊκό Ταμείο Περιφερειακής Ανάπτυξης της ΕΕ.

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RPF's "RESTART 2016-2020" Programmes for Research, Technological Development and Innovation (RTDI)



"Nurturing an RTDI Culture" Programme



Competition "Students in Research Competition – FOITO 2017"

The aim of the "Students in Research - FOITO" Competition is to:

- involve young scientists in research activities, and
- publicize their achievements.



Students are asked to submit their research work, which has been completed **within the current academic year**

2017
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2018

DEADLINE: end of JUNE 2018



Students should belong to one of the following two categories:

CATEGORY A':

undergraduate students (in their last year of studies)

CATEGORY B':

postgraduate students (doctoral candidates are excluded)

WHO CAN APPLY??

- ✓ The project can be submitted from a **team of 1-5 students** and an **experienced researcher**.
(In the case of teams, a coordinator should be assigned)
- ✓ Students can be of **any nationality** but should be studying in an educational institution **in Cyprus**.
- ✓ Each student can participate in **only one project** submitted for the Competition.





EXPERIENCED RESEARCHER:

- should be **from the candidates' educational institution** and should be involved in research activities in the **thematic field** of the project submitted, and
- his / her role should only be **advisory**.

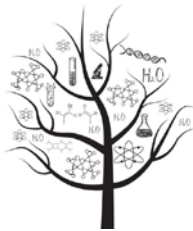


PROJECT AREA:

can be in **any scientific field**

For statistical purposes, it should fall under one of the following three thematic areas:

1. Life Sciences,
2. Physical Sciences and Engineering, and
3. Social Sciences and Humanities.



PROPOSAL SUBMISSION FORM:

The research project should contain the following parts:

- Summary
- Existing Knowledge
- Importance and originality of the project
- Methodology
- Research results
- Exploitation of research results
- Research group
- Experiences acquired
- Bibliography

The research projects can be submitted either in **Greek or in English.**



The image shows the cover of the 'Proposal Submission Form' for the 'Restart 2016-2020' competition. It features the logos of the Research Promotion Foundation and the ReSTART SEARCH program. The text on the cover reads: 'THE RESEARCH PROMOTION FOUNDATION PROGRAMMES FOR RESEARCH, TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT AND INNOVATION "RESTART 2016 - 2020" PROPOSAL SUBMISSION FORM'. Below the cover, there is a table with the following information:

GENERAL PROFILE OF RESEARCH PROJECT	
PILLAR	III. TRANSFORMATION OF RTDI SYSTEM
PROGRAMME	NURTURING AN RTDI CULTURE



The implementation of the research work should be carried out exclusively by the student(s).

SUBMISSION



in only one file in pdf format, at email address:
foito@research.org.cy

The size of the file should not exit 3MB.

EVALUATION PROCEDURE



1st Step: Proposal Eligibility Check

2nd Step: Remote Evaluation procedure by **two** Independent Evaluators

EVALUATION CRITERIA

1. Excellence - **30%**
2. Added Value and Benefit - **20%**
3. Implementation - **50%**



The prizes include:

- honorary awards that give public recognition to the winners and their work, and
- financial awards:

Awards	Category A undergraduate students	Category B postgraduate students
1 st Prize	€ 1.500	€ 2.000
2 nd Prize	€ 800	€ 1.200
3 rd Prize	€ 500	€ 800
A' Distinction	€ 300	€ 400
B' Distinction	€ 300	€ 400



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