



**GALILEO
MASTERS**

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The leading innovation competition
for satellite navigation

Fact Sheet

Initiated by AZO Anwendungszentrum GmbH Oberpfaffenhofen, the German Aerospace Center (DLR) and the Bavarian State Ministry of Economic Affairs and Media, Energy and Technology (StMWi), the Galileo Masters today is the leading ecosystem for satellite navigation. The Galileo Masters is the accelerating instrument for space-related entrepreneurs and startups, providing Europe with ground-breaking innovations. The international innovation competition annually awards the best services, products, and business concepts using satellite navigation in everyday life. Its mission is to spur the development of market-driven applications based on satellite navigation technologies. Since 2004, the competition has demonstrated that satellite navigation technologies open the door to countless applications!

Prizes

Prize pool of Galileo Prizes powered by the European Commission (EC) and Galileo Masters Partner Challenges include:

- Cash prizes
- Business incubation and coaching
- Technical support
- Access to experts
- Access to testing facilities and data

Benefits

Participants:

- Access to > 50 business incubation facilities or desired European Incubator
- Business support of Europe's most relevant space stakeholders
- Six tailored Galileo Incubation business support packages worth up to EUR 62,000 each
- Seven Partner Challenges and up to 30 Galileo Prizes
- Network with the most relevant European satellite navigation stakeholder
- Access to significant events of Europe's Space Community (such as national kick-off events, annual Awards Ceremony)
- Extensive promotion within the international space community



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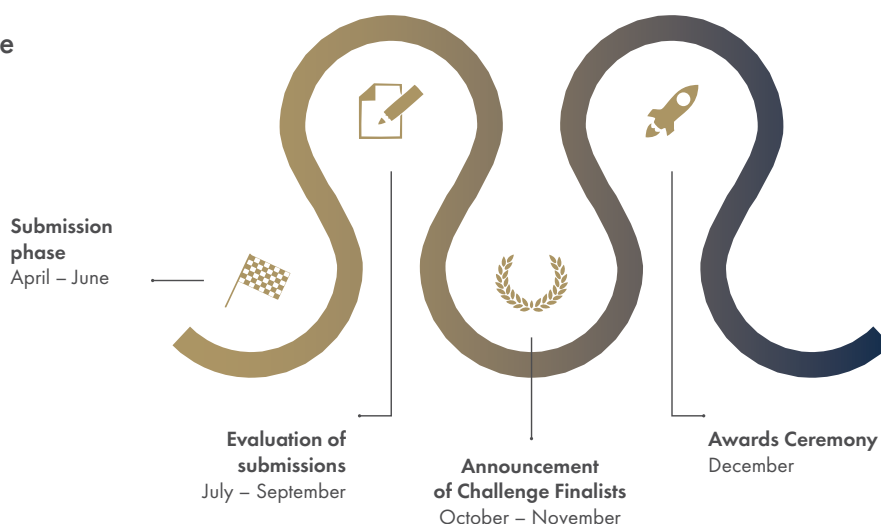


Benefits

Partners:

- **Innovation** – The partner will choose whether an objective participant either generates a set of innovative applications exploiting the partner company’s technologies or addresses a specific problem
- **Networking** – The partner gains access to an international innovation and expertise network. This includes
 - Industry (potential customers, technologists, executives, analysts, startups)
 - Governmental authorities (space agencies, regional ministries, development agencies, clusters)
 - Research facilities (leading institutes, universities)
- **Promotion** – The partner benefits from global outreach and branding on all marketing material

Timeline



Who is addressed

The Galileo Masters invites participants actively involved in business, research, and higher education to submit (their) ideas to the innovation competition. Including, but not limited, to the following types of organisation:

- Individuals
- Universities
- Research Institutes
- Startups
- SMEs

Key Facts

- < 12,000 participants from 90 countries (since 2004)
- > 140 partners worldwide
- 200 international experts
- Prize pool worth EUR 750,000

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