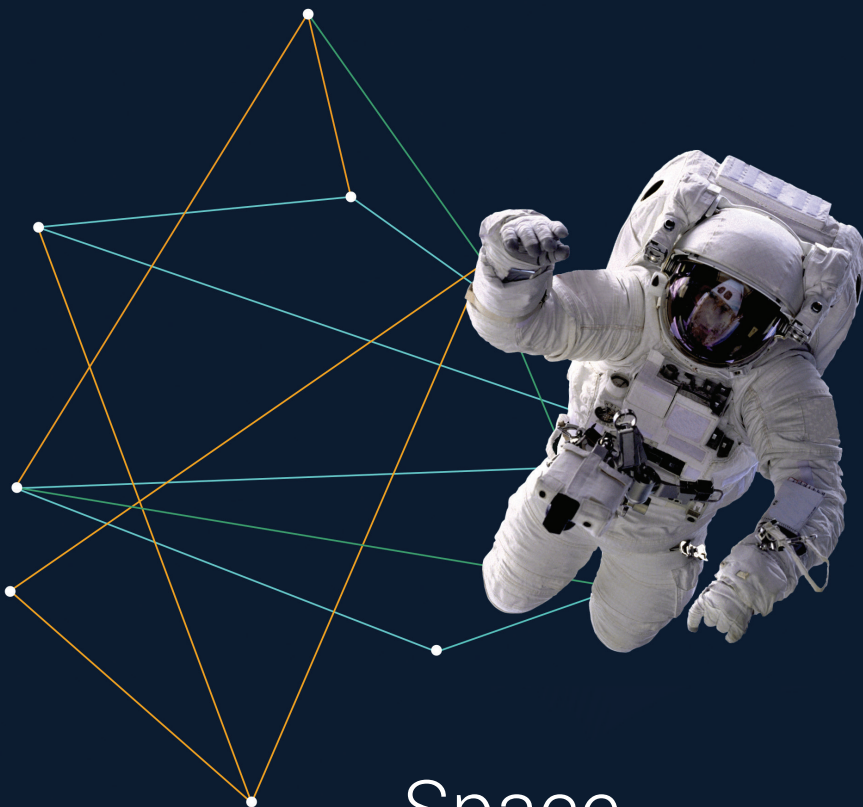


ODYSSEUS

EUROPEAN YOUTH SPACE CONTEST



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a place for your ideas!

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Explorer
17-22 years

Pioneer
14-19 years

Skywalker
7-13 years

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THE ODYSSEUS CONTEST

A EUROPEAN SPACE CHALLENGE

TO PARTICIPATE

Students of the Pioneers category (ages 14 - 19) participate in teams of two or three with a reference teacher. They choose a project: a presentation, an experiment, a mock up, a video, a research...

Possible themes are: the solar system and space sciences, Europe in space, Humans on Mars, Astrobiology - the search for life in the universe.

A «**mentor**», a space science expert, can be consulted using the contest internet site about technical and scientific aspects.

..... CONTEST STEPS

1 PROJECT DESCRIPTION

*September 2016
to March 2017*

The team shall describe the project (problems and objectives), methodology and proposed solutions, expected results, impact on society and on the environment

A project abstract shall be prepared and uploaded to the website personal area **before March 31st, 2017**. Registrations are already open on the contest site.

2 FINAL DELIVERY

by May 2017

The team shall develop the project defining the schedule. We suggest to complete it for the regional finals, however it is not mandatory.

More information about the contest is available on the Odysseus website

<http://www.odysseus-contest.eu>



3 REGIONAL FINAL

May 2017

The best submitted projects are selected.

Candidates are invited to the Altec Control Center

for the regional final between Italian, Croatian,

Slovenian e Malta representatives (travel

and accommodations expenses are

reimbursed). Project developments are

presented and assessed by an international jury.

Telescopes and other prizes will be assigned.



4 EUROPEAN FINALS

July 2017

Regional finals winners will compete in the european final in Toulouse, France, visiting the Cité de l'espace. **First prie is a trip to Kourou, French Guyana, at the European Space port!** Participants will meet an astronaut and engage in the Cité de l'espace activities.

Act now and register to the 2017 edition of the Odysseus Contest

..... EXAMPLES FROM THE 2015–2016 CONTEST

Looking for habitable planets, designing robots for remote missions, building a Mars base mock-up, these are some of the projects competing during the April 2016 Pioneers' Regional Final at Altec Turin, Italy.



A visit to Altec

The winners received electronic telescopes and participated to the European final at the Euro Space Center in Belgium where a trip to Kourou, French Guyana, was the grand prize.

Additional information


Projects can be developed during the normal class activities and completed by the participants during their spare time.

Arguments can be multidisciplinary. Winning projects will be evaluated according their scientific contents.


Skywalkers (ages 7-13) and Explorers (ages 17-22) are described in the contest website.



To register, go to

 <http://www.odysseus-contest.eu>

If you have any questions contact us at this address

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