

Terms and Conditions of the EAMNet Travel Prize

Introduction

To support the development of new Earth observation lessons by African authors using image data from Africa, EAMNet (www.eamnet.eu) is organizing an “EAMNet Travel prize” associated with the ESA LearnEO! lesson writing competition (www.learn-eo.org/competition.php). African scientists participating in the LearnEO! competition may also apply to be considered for the EAMNet prize.

Three prizes of €1,500 will be awarded to the three best African competition entries submitted to the LearnEO! competition. To be eligible for the EAMNet travel prize, you must

- Be a national of an African country and resident in Africa
- Be the first author of a lesson submitted to LearnEO! The lesson must be based on African research or use African example data.

In addition to the Terms and Conditions for the LearnEO! Competition the following conditions apply to the EAMNet prize:

Article 1: Prizes

Three prizes of €1500 each will be awarded to the best African entries in the LearnEO! Competition. To receive the prize, winners must participate in the LearnEO! Workshop to develop a Roadmap for future Earth observation education. The workshop will be held in association with an international event in September or October 2014. Prizes will be awarded at the workshop.

Article 2: Submission Process

To apply for a travel prize, eligible participants must submit a lesson outline, using the format specified for LearnEO! provided on www.learn-eo.org/competition.php.

The application for a travel prize must be accompanied by

- the acceptance e-mail provided on successful submission of a lesson to the LearnEO! competition, and
- a CV with information on their experience and interests in areas related to the competition themes.

Article 3: Eligibility and pre-selection

Only African applicants who have submitted a full lesson to the LearnEO! competition by the competition deadline will be eligible for the travel prize.

Authors can only make one application, but may link this to one or more LearnEO! lessons, details of which must be specified on the application form.

Selection of the travel prize winners will be based on the quality of the submitted lesson outline, the associated CV, and the recommendations of the LearnEO! competition jury based on the submitted full lesson.

If a lesson selected for a travel grant has multiple authors, only one of the authors may apply. This would normally be the first author, but it is possible for a first author to nominate a co-author to receive the travel prize instead.

Article 4: Calendar

Deadline for submission of Lessons: February 15th, 2014

Selection of successful applicants: June 30th, 2014

Award: September or October 2014, at the LearnEO! workshop

Article 5: Publication

Outlines submitted for a travel prize will be published on the EAMNet and Bilko web sites, with links to the full lesson published on the LearnEO! web site.

Article 6: Acceptance of the Terms and Conditions

By submitting an application for a Travel Prize the Applicant confirms having read and accepted all articles of the terms and conditions.