

# Open Stage

## Participation rules

- All the participants in the Open Stage have to be enrolled in the event, at least in basic package.
- In order to register you are required to fill in the registration form in our website and send a short summary in English (maximum 400 words) explaining the main goals of your idea/project to **logistica@nebfeupicbas.pt** until **November 14<sup>th</sup>** (inclusive). Applications containing summaries longer than 400 words and/or containing illustrations, diagrams, charts, algorithms or any other attachments will be promptly rejected.
- The maximum number of participants is 5 and the applicants will be chosen by a jury. The jury members will belong to both the organizing committee and the scientific commission of the event.
- The talk is to be given by the applicant who registered it (no replacements allowed).
- After the selection process, the applicants will receive an email informing whether or not they were accepted. The applications are open until November 14<sup>th</sup> and the results will be e-mailed to all applicants until November 18<sup>th</sup>.
- The presentation must be in English.
- The **maximum** time for each presentation is 5 and only 5 minutes (zero tolerance). After the presentation the jury will make some remarks about it.
- In the end of each day's Open Stage session, the jury and the attendance will vote. The most voted presentation will receive the prize defined by the organizing committee.

### Evaluation Criteria:

- Originality and innovation
- Scientific accuracy
- Clarity and objectivity of the presentation
- Respect for the maximum allowed presentation time (5 minutes)



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