

COMPETITION

EXPO KATOWICE - INNOVATIVE PRODUCT & TECHNOLOGY

for Events:

1. EXPO KATOWICE International Trade Fair
2. EcoDom International Trade Fair
3. Start-up UNIVERSE EXPO KATOWICE



hereinafter referred to as:

EXPO KATOWICE

Organizers:

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Invited for Honorary Patronage were:

Ministry of Industry, Ministry of State Assets, Ministry of Digitization, Ministry of Industry, Ministry of Development and Technology, Ministry of Climate and Environment, Ministry of Development and Technology, Ministry of Funds and Regional Policy

Invited to take Honorary Patronage and participate in the Competition Chapter were:

Marshall of the Silesian Voivodeship, Governor of Silesia, Mayor of Katowice, Polish Agency for Enterprise Development, Higher Mining Authority, Central Mining Institute, KGHM Polska Miedź S.A., Jastrzębska Spółka Węglowa S.A., Polska Grupa Górnicza S.A., Lubelski Węgiel "BOGDANKA" S.A., TAURON Polska Energia S.A., Polska Grupa Energetyczna, Academy of Mining and Metallurgy in Krakow, Silesian University of Technology, EMAG Science and Production Center, Institute of Fuel and Energy Technology, KOMAG Institute of Mining Technology

COMPETITION RULES

INNOVATIVE PRODUCTS & TECHNOLOGIES EXPO KATOWICE

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GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The competition entitled „INNOVATIVE PRODUCT&TECHNOLOGY EXPO KATOWICE", hereinafter referred to as the “Competition” is organised by the following co-organisers:
 - a) EXPO Katowice S.A.
 - b) Editorial office of “Napędy i Sterowanie” monthly magazine, hereinafter referred to as: “Napędy i Sterowanie magazine”, hereinafter jointly referred to as “the Organiser”.
2. The aim of the Competition is to promote and popularise industrial innovation and the development of Polish and global industrial economy, in line with global ecological trends.
3. A definition of innovation has been adopted for the needs of Competition Rules Regulations and it reads as follows: **Technological/technical innovation - innovation that adds value and increases revenue of enterprise, and contributes to product and service development.**
4. Only those companies whose product meets the definition of innovation specified in Article 1(3) hereof and other terms and conditions set out in these Rules and Regulations are eligible to participate in the Competition.
5. The Entry Form is an integral part of the Rules and Regulations (Appendix 1).

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The Competition is conducted in three categories for Fair Exhibitors:

- 1. INNOVATIVE PRODUCT**
- 2. INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY**
- 3. IMPROVED SAFETY**

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION IN THE COMPETITION

1. In order to enter the product into the competition, the Exhibitor at the Fair - the manufacturer or its authorised sales representative - is required to use a dedicated Entry Form prepared by the Organiser.
2. The Entry Form must be completed as follows:
 - a) specify the group in which the product will be entered,
 - b) provide a brief description of the product, specifying the category (WORD file, 500 characters with spaces, photo and logo),
 - c) specify: technical details of the solution with particular emphasis on its innovative features,
 - d) sign the Entry Form.
3. Necessary information should be saved on USB flash drives or CD/DVDs up to 200 MB. The above media should be described with the name of the person entering the product into competition.
4. A document confirming the date of placing the solution on the market, declaration of conformity or other document confirming compliance with safety requirements should be submitted.
5. An advert design and 30-second commercial spot that includes information about the company and innovative product should be submitted.

6. Two copies of the above-mentioned sets of documents (as per Article 3(2-5) hereof) must be submitted (sent or delivered in person to the registered office of EXPO Katowice SA) in hard copy and in electronic version on a USB flash drive to the Organiser's address:

**EXPO Katowice S.A.,
al. Korfantego 51/46,
40-160 Katowice,**

with a note on the envelope "EXHIBITOR'S DOCUMENTS FOR THE COMPETITION".

7. A fee for participation in the Competition shall be charged in accordance with the attached price list (Appendix 2).
8. By sending information about the product, the Participant declares and confirms that he/she has exclusive and unlimited economic and moral rights to the product submitted. Should the statement referred to above prove to be untrue or defective, the Competition Participant shall release the Organiser from any liability and shall cover any damage that the Organiser has suffered due to claims made by third parties.
9. The Competition Participant declares that simultaneously with entering the product into the Competition, he/she grants a free licence to the Organiser to use the product for the duration of the Competition, without territorial limitations, for the needs related to the Competition, by, among others, saving the work in Organiser's computer memory or server.
10. The licence covers the use of the product by - including but not limited to - recording and reproducing the product using any technique, among others magnetic recording, digital or audio-visual method, on any media, without limitation as to the quantity and volume of the output, as well as public distribution of the product.
11. The winner of the Competition agrees to introduce graphical changes, not interfering with the substantive content of the product, allowing the product to be presented on the website.
12. The Participant allows the Organiser to publish his/her personal data and image. The Participant grants the Organiser free permission to use his/her image in terms of recording and multiplying by any technique and distributing the materials which bear his/her image, for advertising and promotional purposes by means of displaying, exhibiting, making them available to the public in such a way that everyone can access them at a time and place chosen at one's own discretion on Organisers' websites and in social media, such as Facebook, Instagram and others, for the a period of no less than one year from the date on which his/her image has been established and recorded.
13. The Competition Participant declares that in terms of accepting the award, the bodies representing the Participant and/or persons authorised by them to accept the award, have granted the Organiser free permission to use their image in terms of recording and multiplying by any technique and distributing the materials which bear their image, for advertising and promotional purposes by means of displaying, exhibiting, making them available to the public in such a way that everyone can access them at a time and place chosen at one's own discretion on Organisers' websites and in social media, such as Facebook, Instagram and others, for the a period of no less than one year from the date on which their image has been established and recorded. At the Organisers' request, the Competition Participant is obliged to send the above-mentioned consents in writing.

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PLACE AND TIME OF SUBMITTING DOCUMENTS

Documents (as indicated in Article 3(1-3) hereof) should be sent by **1 August 2024 (the postmark date will serve as a proof)**, to the Organiser at the address:

**EXPO Katowice S.A.
al. Korfantego 51/46
40-160 Katowice, Poland**

with a note “**EXHIBITOR’S DOCUMENTS FOR THE COMPETITION**” written on the envelope.

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ORGANISER’S RESPONSIBILITIES

1. During the period of organising the Competition, the Organiser shall be responsible for the following activities:
 - a) running the Competition secretary’s office at the following address:
EXPO Katowice S.A.
al. Korfantego 51/46
40-160 Katowice, Poland
e-mail: konkurs@expo-katowice.com
phone no. +48 32/353 70 23
 - b) verifying the incoming materials for the Competition in respect of formal issues,
 - c) compiling the “Summary of entry forms” and sending it to the members of Competition Jury.

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AWARDS AND THEIR GRANTING

1. The Competition provides diplomas and statuettes for I, II, III places in three categories:
 - 1. INNOVATIVE PRODUCT**
 - 2. INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY**
 - 3. SAFETY IMPROVEMENT**
2. The Competition Jury has the right not to award 1st and/or 2nd and/or 3rd place in a given category.
3. The Competition Jury is entitled to award at most one 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in a given category.
4. In the absence of products deserving an award, the Competition Jury may not award them.
5. The organizers will award a unique limited edition prize for the 1st places in each category.
6. The list of awardees will be announced on the Organizers' websites:
 - (a) www.expo-katowice.com
 - (b) www.nis.com.pland **in the media, including the press.**

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THE METHOD OF AWARDING PRIZES

1. The solutions shall be assessed by an independent Competition Jury composed of representatives from the industry as well as representatives of universities, scientific institutions and organisers.

2. Only those solutions that meet the formal requirements contained in Article 3 and are delivered by the deadline specified in Article 4 hereof shall be submitted to the jury for evaluation.
3. The Competition Jury shall evaluate the solutions based on:
 - a) entry form and required appendices (Article 3(2-4))
 - b) multimedia presentation of the product to the Competition Jury and other participants of EXPO KATOWICE Fair (maximum 10-minute multimedia presentation),
 - c) information obtained from the Competition Participant during the presentation.
4. Jury deliberations are secret and its decisions are final.

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PRESENTATION, DECISION, AND ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE COMPETITION

1. The multimedia presentation of the product shall take place on 4 September 2024 at 10:30 a.m. on the main stage, Sector A1 - location marked on the map as "COMPETITION" (Appendix 3).
2. Winners of the Competition shall be announced on 4 September 2024.
3. The ceremony, at which the Competition Jury will officially grant the awards, shall be held on **4 September 2024 at 7:00 p.m.** in the building of the **Polish National Radio Symphony Orchestra in Katowice** during Gala for Exhibitors organised as part of the Fair.

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PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION

1. The Controller of personal data collected in connection with the Competition is EXPO Katowice S.A. with its registered office in Katowice, at al. Korfantego 51/46 and the Editorial Office of "Napędy i Sterowanie" monthly magazine with its registered office in Racibórz, ul. Środkowa 5.
2. The Controllers have entered into a co-controlling agreement and agreed that:
 - a) information obligations (pursuant to Article 13, Article 14 of GDPR) shall be performed by EXPO Katowice S.A. with its registered office in Katowice, al. Korfantego 51/46; contact with the Controller - phone no.: +48 32/ 353 70 23, e-mail: expo@expo-katowice.com
 - b) other obligations, in particular with regard to exercise of rights by a data subject, shall be fulfilled by the Editorial office of "Napędy i Sterowanie" monthly magazine, with its registered office in Racibórz, ul. Środkowa 5; contact with the Controller - phone no.: +48 507 061 574, e-mail: rklencz@drukart.pl
3. Providing personal data is not a statutory requirement and is done on the basis of giving consent, which is a condition for participation in the Competition. Failure to give consent shall result in ineligibility to participate in the Competition. Legal basis of personal data processing is Article 6(1)(a) of the Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (hereinafter referred to as "GDPR").
4. Personal data shall be processed until the announcement of Competition winners and for the limitation period for claims related to participation in the Competition (up to 6 years) pursuant to Article 6(1)(f), which is a legitimate interest of the Controllers, as well as for a possible period for making statutory settlements (Article 6(1)(c)).
5. The data subject has the following rights:
 - a) pursuant to Article 15 of GDPR - the right of access to his/her personal data, including the right to obtain from the controller confirmation as to whether or not personal data concerning him/her are being processed as well as information on the purposes of processing and categories of personal data; pursuant to Article 16 of GDPR - the right to obtain from the controller without undue delay the rectification of inaccurate personal data and to have incomplete personal data completed;
 - b) pursuant to Article 17 of GDPR - the right to obtain from the Controller the erasure of personal data concerning the data subject without undue delay;

- c) pursuant to Article 18 of GDPR - the right to obtain from the Controller restriction of processing of personal data in the following cases: (I) the accuracy of the personal data processed by the Controller is contested by the Competition Participant; (II) the processing is unlawful and the data subject opposes the erasure of the personal data and requests the restriction of their use instead; (III) the Controller no longer needs the personal data but they are required by the Competition Participant for the establishment, exercise or defence of legal claims; (IV) the data subject has objected to processing pursuant to Article 21(1) of GDPR pending the verification whether the legitimate grounds of the Controller override those of the data subject's objection;
- d) pursuant to Article 20 of GDPR - the right to receive the personal data concerning him/her, which he or she has provided to the Controller, in a structured, commonly used format and to transmit those data to another controller, where technically feasible. This right applies if the processing is carried out by automated means and data are processed on the basis of consent or pursuant to Article 6(1)(b) of GDPR;
- e) pursuant to Article 21 of GDPR - the right to object, on grounds relating to his/her particular situation, at any time to processing of personal data concerning him/her which is based on item (e) or (f) of Article 6(1), including profiling based on those provisions.
- 6. The data subject has the right to withdraw his/her consent at any time.
- 7. The data subject has the right to lodge a complaint to the supervisory authority - President of the Office for Personal Data Protection, The Controller informs that the Participants' personal data shall not be transferred to a third country (i.e. a country other than a member state of the European Union, Iceland, Liechtenstein or Norway) or to any international organisation.
- 8. Categories of personal data recipients: jury, business partners in performance of agreements (including e.g. agents, service providers), law firms, accounting offices, telecommunication companies, postal operators, carrier companies, document archiving companies, partners providing technical services (e.g. e-mail services, maintenance of IT systems and websites).
- 9. The Controllers also inform that they do not use automated individual decision-making, including profiling, referred to in Article 22(1) and (4) of GDPR.

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FINAL PROVISIONS**

- 1. Participation in the Competition is tantamount to accepting terms and conditions specified in this Rules and Regulations and abiding by their provisions.
- 2. Decisions in all matters not regulated by these Rules and Regulations shall be made by the Organisers.
- 3. For the purposes of the Competition, a definition of innovation has been indicated.
- 4. Exhibitors and/or persons participating in the Competition shall be entitled to share the information about the award or distinction granted.

Date2024

Legible signature of the company representative or person authorised by
the Management Board
company stamp