



IATA Travel Innovation Competition 2017

Terms & Conditions

VOID WHERE PROHIBITED.
NO PURCHASE NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Information on how to enter the IATA Travel Innovation Competition (the “**Competition**”) and the prize details form part of these terms and conditions of entry (“**Terms and Conditions**”). Entry into the Competition is deemed acceptance of these Terms and Conditions. Entries not in accordance with these Terms and Conditions are deemed ineligible.
2. The Sponsor of the Competition is the International Air Transport Association (“**IATA**”), having its Head Office at 800 Place Victoria, Montreal, Quebec, Canada H4Z 1M1 and its Executive Offices at 33, route de l'Aéroport, P.O. Box 416 CH-1215 Geneva 15 Airport, Switzerland.
3. In addition to the specific requirements set out in these Terms and Conditions, the Competition is comprised of two parts:
 - a. the Initial Application Process (see part A below); and
 - b. the Competition (see part B below).

Entrants must comply with each part of the Competition and the Terms and Conditions in order to be eligible to receive any of the prizes referred to in the Terms and Conditions.

4. The IATA Travel Innovation Competition is an exclusively skill-based competition without any element of chance.



PART A

Eligibility of Entry and the Initial Registration Process

5. Entry is open only to individuals or teams (“**Entrants**”) who submit an application for the duration of the Eligibility Period (between 09:00am (UTC) on Wednesday 29 March 2017 to 06:00pm (UTC) on Friday 28 July 2017) and whom, at the time of entry, are eighteen (18) years of age or older. Eligibility is limited to the participation of those who haven’t already launched their solution commercially on the market, or solutions that are commercially launched on the market but at the very early stages.
6. Entrants may only enter the Competition once, either:
 - a. individually; or
 - b. as members of a team (with unlimited individuals in each team), as long as the Entrants are from the same company.
7. To enter the Competition, Entrants must register their interest for the Competition by:
 - a. providing their personal details at <http://www.iata.org/travel-innovation-competition> (the “**Competition Website**”);
 - b. Completing and submitting an online form at the Competition Website (**Online Form**) between **09:00am (UTC) on Wednesday 29 March 2017 to 06:00pm (UTC) Friday 28 July 2017**.
 - c. Attaching proposals to address one of the topics of the IATA Travel Innovation Competition.
8. Entrants are responsible for ensuring that their contact details submitted to IATA are correct. Entrants may forfeit their right to claim prizes in the event that their contact details are inaccurate or incomplete.
9. Entrants must have a valid passport (and valid visa, if applicable) for travel to the Final Round during the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain). If an Entrant is shortlisted as a finalist, he/she cannot present his/her proposal at the World Passenger Symposium unless he/she has a valid passport (and valid visa if applicable). It is the responsibility of each Entrant to ensure that he/she is able travel to the location of the 2017 World Passenger Symposium for the final round presentation. Please note that from the date that the shortlisted finalists are announced, Entrants will have at least thirty (30) days to organize a passport/visa if required.



Entry into the competition

10. To enter into the Competition, Entrants must lodge a submission to an innovative proposal to address one of the topics (using the form provided on the Competition Website (<http://www.iata.org/travel-innovation-competition>)).

The following shall constitute the topics for the proposals:

- Travel payment solutions
- Travel business intelligence and insights
- End-to-end travel experience

PART B

Selection process

11. Up to three (3) finalists will be chosen to make a final round presentation at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain). The finalists will be announced on the Competition Website (<http://www.iata.org/travel-innovation-competition>).
12. The final round presentation will be held on one of the days at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).

Selection criteria

13. The independent jury panel with aviation industry experts will be asked to evaluate the entries received based upon their potential to become the basis of a viable new venture and will focus on the idea, its coherence to the objectives, its potential for value creation, and the likelihood of achieving success based upon the team's plan and experience. The jury will evaluate all entries submitted that best meet the scope. Submissions will be judged on:
 - Completeness of business idea;
 - Alignment with passenger industry goals;
 - Robustness of business idea;
 - Financial viability of business idea;
 - Timeline to development and implementation; or
 - Competency of delivery team.



Prizes and presentation

14. Each shortlisted finalist will be given a 10-minute presentation slot at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
15. Prizes:
 - 1st Prize:
 - Sponsored incubation program at Plug & Play (<http://plugandplaytechcenter.com/services/office-space> more details will be provided).
 - Sponsored entry and speaking slot at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
 - Sponsored exhibition booth at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
 - Sponsored flight and hotel to the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
 - 2nd Prize:
 - Sponsored IATA incubation program (more details will be provided).
 - Sponsored entry and speaking slot at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
 - Sponsored exhibition booth at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
 - Sponsored flight and hotel to the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
 - 3rd Prize:
 - Sponsored entry and speaking slot at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
 - Sponsored exhibition booth at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
 - Sponsored flight and hotel to the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain).
16. Winners are responsible for any federal, state, and local tax consequences and for compliance with all governmental reporting and payment requirements



17. In addition to the prizes for the successful business ideas, the IATA Travel Innovation Competition offers the following:
 - a. Expertise: IATA Travel Innovation Competition provides access to experienced industry subject-matter experts.
 - b. Networking: IATA Travel Innovation Competition offers the opportunity to connect with other entrepreneurs, to venture capitalists and to management from airlines and other aviation industry organizations.

General

18. IATA reserves the right to verify the validity of entries and to disqualify any Entrant who tampers with the entry process or who submits an entry that is not in accordance with the Terms and Conditions. IATA will not accept any late or misdirected entries.
19. IATA reserves to the right to cancel the awards or to award less than the stated prize items. However, provided that there are at least three Entrants, all prizes will be awarded.
20. IATA's decision in relation to any and all aspects of the Competition is final and binding on every person who enters and no correspondence will be entered into.
21. Disqualification of any individual whom IATA has reason to believe has breached any of the Terms and Conditions, or engaged in any unlawful or other improper misconduct calculated to jeopardize the fair and proper conduct of the Competition, is at IATA's sole discretion.
22. IATA is not responsible for any problems or technical malfunction of any telephone network or lines, computer or online systems, servers, or providers, computer equipment, software, technical problems or traffic congestion on the Internet or at any web site, delay or error in postal service or any combination thereof, including but not limited to any injury or damage to Eligible Entrants' or any other person's computer related to or resulting from participation in or down-loading any materials in this Competition. IATA is not responsible for any incorrect or inaccurate information, either caused by the phone user or for any of the equipment or programming associated with or utilized in this Competition, or for any technical error, or any combination thereof that may occur in the course of the administration of this Competition including any omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line or telephone, mobile or satellite network failure, theft or destruction or unauthorized access to or alteration of entries.
23. If for any reason this Competition is not capable of running as planned, including but not limited to infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures, international sanctions preventing attendance of an Entrant, or any other causes beyond the control of IATA which corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of this Competition, IATA reserves the right, subject to any written directions given under applicable law, to disqualify any individual who tampers with the entry process, and to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Competition. IATA reserves all rights to recover damages and/or other compensation as may be deemed appropriate from such an offender.



24. In the event of war, terrorism, natural disaster or any other state of emergency, IATA reserves the right (subject to any written directions under applicable law) to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Competition.
25. This Competition is subject to all applicable U.S. federal, state and local laws.
26. **LIMITATION OF LIABILITY:** IATA, ITS AFFILIATES, SUBSIDIARIES, ADVERTISING AND PROMOTIONAL AGENCIES, ANY INTERNET OR ON-LINE ACCESS PROVIDERS OR ANY OF THEIR EMPLOYEES, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, SHAREHOLDERS, AND AGENTS SHALL HAVE NO LIABILITY AND SHALL BE HELD HARMLESS BY ENTRANT FOR ANY DAMAGE, LOSS OR LIABILITY TO PERSON OR PROPERTY, DUE IN WHOLE OR IN PART, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, BY REASON OF ENTERING THE COMPETITION, THE ACCEPTANCE, POSSESSION, USE OR MISUSE OF ANY PRIZE, OR WHILE PREPARING FOR, OR PARTICIPATING IN ANY PRIZE-RELATED ACTIVITY. Any and all claims, judgments and awards shall be limited to actual out-of-pocket costs incurred, including costs associated with entering this Competition, but in no event, attorneys' fees. IATA and its promotion and advertising agencies are not responsible for technical, hardware, software or telephone failures of any kind, lost or unavailable network connections, fraud, incomplete, garbled or delayed computer transmissions, whether caused by the IATA, users or by any of the equipment or programming associated with or utilized in the Competition or by any technical or human error which may occur in the processing of submissions which may damage a user's system or limit a participant's ability to participate in the Competition.
27. This Competition will be governed by the laws of the State of New York, United States. The Winners will be announced at the 2017 World Passenger Symposium (24-26 October 2017 at Centro de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain), and all finalists and winners will be announced on the IATA website at www.iata.org/travel-innovation-competition.