

KLUZPRIZE FOR PEACETECH 2022

Application deadline:
15 SEPT 2022 - 13.00 CEST

The KluzPrize for PeaceTech powered by Kluz Ventues is organised in the context of the [Global PeaceTech Hub](#) based at EUI School of Transnational Governance in Florence, Italy. The Global PeaceTech Hub brings together academics, practitioners, and stakeholders from the public and private sector, to foster and accelerate policy reflection on the use and regulation of technology to enhance peace and cooperation at the transnational level. The EUI School of Transnational Governance is a platform for innovation in public policy education and training and a forum for policy experimentation on governance beyond borders. Artur Kluz, founder and CEO of Kluz Ventures, strongly believes that breakthrough technologies should be used to improve lives and build peace.

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

The KluzPrize for PeaceTech rewards researchers and practitioners who, through their applied research and/or innovative projects, seize the opportunities offered by emerging technologies to exert a positive impact on peace and cooperation across borders. The winner(s) will have access to the EUI School of Transnational Governance academic community, accompanied and supervised by leading experts in areas such as digital technologies, data governance, transnational governance, international relations, and many more. The winner(s) will also benefit from Global PeaceTech Hub's extensive network, which includes researchers, peacebuilders, tech companies and policymakers from around the world.

AWARD

The award consists of € 15,000 destined to applied research projects in the field of emerging technologies for peace. The winner(s) will be invited to Florence to receive the award on the second day of the [Global PeaceTech Conference 2022](#), which will be held at the European University Institute in Fiesole, Italy, on 21 and 22 November 2022. The winner(s) will have the opportunity to attend the conference and meet other peacebuilders, policy makers, technology companies and PeaceTech experts. The winner(s) will have to perform their research or project up to 6 months after the award ceremony in November. The awardee(s) will be required to present her/his/their research results in the form of a written report, presented in a dedicated in-person or online event at the end of the project.

WHO'S ELIGIBLE TO APPLY?

Students, researchers, scholars, start-ups, and civil society organisations from around the world who wish to develop a project related to the study or development of transformative technology solutions in support of peace, including areas such as conflict prevention, peace building, global diplomacy, promotion of the rule of law and the protection of fundamental rights. Applications can be made individually or as a group (indicating the name of the organisation and the legal representative). Applications can be submitted as a 500-word statement and/or a three-minute video uploaded through the official online application form. Shortlisted applicants may be contacted by the selection committee with a request for additional information concerning the feasibility of the proposed applied research or project proposal. Materials will be treated according to the [EUI Data Protection Policy](#).

HOW TO APPLY?

You can apply via the dedicated application form at globalpeacetech.org/kluzprize

CRITERIA

Inventiveness, resourcefulness, applicability and expected impact of the project, scalability.

COMPOSITION OF THE JURY

The jury will consist of the Global PeaceTech Hub coordinators, founding donor Artur Kluz, and a panel of experts in the field of technology and international affairs.

SCHEDULE



For more information, please check the official website globalpeacetech.org or get in touch with michele.giovanardi@eui.eu.