

<b>SocialChallenges.eu Webinar 27/03/18 Questions</b>	<b>SocialChallenges.eu Webinar 27/03/2018 Responses</b>
<p>1. can a company that won a challenge on the 1st call, to apply for a challenge on the second call? if no, when this company can apply?</p> <p>2. how many calls will be launched until the end of your project?</p>	<p>1) A company that won a challenge in the first round can apply but cannot be granted. they can use the platform to apply anyway as a window to let CO in that local context be informed about the existent of your solution. but during this pilot phase of the 3 rounds (the past, the current and the one of June 2018) you can be granted only once.</p> <p>2) 3 official calls + some specific special that we can arrange with specific founders. these last one are not confirmed yet</p>
<p>Is it any limitations on the number of challenges to which I can submit one proposal?</p>	<p>Not, really. but the advice is that you change the relevane to the local context in the description in a convincing way :) ,No limitations, you can apply to multiple challenges. In case you may be selected for more than one, you should choose where you wanto to be involved (as double funding is forbidden)</p>
<p>Q: Hello. Are the challenges only open for solution providers from the EU? (We are in Switzerland)</p>	<p>Hi, you are fully eligible since SP can be from EU and associate countries <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/grants_manual/hi/3cp/h2020-hi-list-ac_en.pdf">http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/grants_manual/hi/3cp/h2020-hi-list-ac_en.pdf</a> Open for EU and H2020 associated countries, switzerland is in!</p>
<p>Can we know how many points the winning solutions get in the first round?</p>	<p>The minimum threshold is 60. During the first round 41 solutions were granted, but almost the double reached the threshold.</p>
<p>I am wondering how and how closely is the challenge owner supposed to be involved in the solution design. Will they have an active role, or just give feedback, help fine-tune the solution locally?</p>	<p>Hi, yes the CO has already committed to support the SP in the local test and design of the Selected Solutions. So not only you can count on them but you have to involve in the perfect spirit of co-design/co-working :)</p>
<p>Hi everybody, my question is: should the organization be a legally register one? Could the provider be an informal team? Thanks</p>	<p>There is the need of a legal entity for applying. Could be an SME, a no-profit, or even an independent professional.</p>
<p>Are already all challenges online?</p>	<p>yes here all the list of the challenges <a href="https://www.socialchallenges.eu/community/4/challenges">https://www.socialchallenges.eu/community/4/challenges</a> the deadline for the solutions is the 15th of April</p>
<p>Are there contract-related obligations for a challenge owner, once the solution is accepted and put to work? Could you name them?</p>	<p>For challenge owners, you just need to support the selected solution providers, and to communicate about results.</p>
<p>I understand than the solution must be proved in the original country, and this platform is to help scalling?</p>	<p>Yes. The platform is intended to help solutions to scale up.We aim mainly at funding tested and proved solutions. if an idea seems to be really great, we can value also piloting phases as "prove" but if the solution is yet in the field of idea it will score quite low in the related criteria.</p>

<b>hi :) Do we need to specify the detailed budget on our proposal?</b>	Ciao, yes it is strongly advised to do so, so that you prove even more the feasibility of your solution
<b>What happens if a SP has already a long standing partnership with a Challenge Owner? Does it affect the right to participate in the challenge?</b>	Not in principles, unless it is a conflict of interest. it is important to say that a CO should receive at least 3 Solutions to have some solutions funded, so if they have one very good collaboration it's ok, but they have to attract other 2 that can be better and receive the grant. ,Not at all. It will be evaluated together with all applications.
<b>How can an institution become a challenge owner?</b>	Get in touch with us at info@socialchallenges.eu please noted the deadline is approaching
<b>Q: What is the role of Impact Hub in the organization?</b>	Involving Local Impact Hubs to support the development of challenges!
<b>So if I am from country A than I should apply for challenges at country A? Or I can apply to another country with my already proven solution in 1 country?</b>	You can apply either abroad or in your own country
<b>Was there a case in the previous round of selection that a challenge did not receive 3 solutions?</b>	Yes. only 2. One of them only received 2 solutions, the other none as (probably) it was very specific and scientific
<b>How long will it take to choose the solution provider(s)?</b>	One month.
<b>Where can I find the format Application Form?</b>	The format is online just click "Make a Pitch" you can start the application and change it anytime before the deadline
<b>Also, do we still have time to post a challenge in the platform? What are the qualifications to be a challenge owner?</b>	Time for new challenges is running out (today was mainly for solution providers). If you have any question about new challenges please contact us as soon as possible.
<b>are they similar projects that do the same projects like you? or will you continue to do the same after the end of this project?</b>	probably there are others but for sure we want to continue! we are planning for followup because the issue is the fund! Now EU is covering then we have to find other ways. the space anyway will continue to be a market place where someone having a challenge can find possible solutions!,For the moment we are the first one! Let's how results will be and if we will continue... ;)
<b>About evaluation: So the final decision is in the hands of the challenge owner or the Jury members?</b>	Of the Jury members and Challenge Owner is part of the jury
<b>So there are 2 ideas camp and we need to cover these from the budget, any clue where they will be and how long?</b>	the first one is happening in Athens in June and is for the ones who were granted during the first call, it's only two days. The second SI Camp (and the final event) will happen in Brussels in spring 2019. Consider budget to attend it.

<b>Is it possible to have a meeting with a solution provider before July?</b>	After the selection. Anyway if you have more doubts about the process being a challenge owner please contact us directly via email and we will help. ;)
<b>do we have time to post a challenge?</b>	Of course! Till April 15th (23.59 CET)
<b>can you please also share the other countries beyond EU that can apply. Thanks!</b>	Yes, you find this here <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/grants_manual/hi/3cp/h2020-hi-list-ac_en.pdf">http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/grants_manual/hi/3cp/h2020-hi-list-ac_en.pdf</a>