



PRESS RELEASE

CALL FOR PROJECTS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE NATIONAL COMPETITION FOR THE BEST ICT PROJECT AND THE DIGITAL CHALLENGE FOR ADMISSION INTO THE INTERNAL INCUBATION AT THE CAMEROON DIGITAL AND INNOVATION CENTRE

Under the distinguished patronage of the President of the Republic, the Minister of Posts and Telecommunications is organising the 3rd edition of the ICT Innovation Week, scheduled to take place from 14 to 18 March 2022 in Yaounde, under the theme: *“Cybersecurity and ICT Innovation: what challenges for Cameroonian youths”*.

Within the framework of activities related to this event, two competitions are launched: on the one hand, the National Competition for the Best ICT project and on the other hand, the Digital Challenge for admission into the internal incubation at the Cameroon Digital and Innovation Centre.

A-PURPOSE

The purpose of this event is to reward the most innovative projects presented by young Cameroonians over the year and to detect the best digital start-ups in order to provide them with the Government' support.

B-TYPES OF PROJECTS EXPECTED

Projects to be submitted to the Jury should be based on the following 6 themes: E-health, E-agriculture, E-education, Fintech, Robotics, Cybersecurity.

C-CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION

1-Personal eligibility criteria of the applicant

- Be of Cameroonian nationality;
- Be holder of an innovative project using ICT;
- Living on Cameroonian territory;

2-Technical eligibility criteria of the project

These criteria are specified in the competition rules available on the event website www.ictinnovationweek.cm

D-REGISTRATION AND RECORDING OF PROJECTS



•Applications must be registered exclusively:

-from 18 December 2021 to 09 March 2022 at 3:30 pm for the National Competition for the Best ICT Project

-from 18 December 2021 to 26 January 2022 at 3.30 p.m. regarding the Digital Challenge for admission into the internal incubation at the Cameroon Digital and Innovation Centre.

E-FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please visit the website:

www.ictinnovationweek.cm., Facebook page:  *Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications of Cameroon*. Twitter:  *Minpostel 2035*

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