STARTUP COMPETITION AWARD

The Board of the working group AIDIC Giovani of AIDIC (Associazione Italiana Di Ingegneria Chimica) launches the "Startup Competition Award", to be assigned to the best nanotechnology startup and/or early growth-stage company presented by young active researchers, participants to the NINE2021 congress..

The Candidate's requirements to apply to the award are listed as follows:
1. The Candidate must be among the founders of the startup and/or early growth-stage company.
2. The Candidate must not have turned 35 years old after January 1st, 2020.
3. The Candidate must be registered to the Startup session of NINE2021 congress.
4. The Candidate must submit one only application.
5. The same contribution must not be submitted by more than one Candidate. Candidates are encouraged to ensure whether the same contribution is submitted by other Candidates.

The documents required to apply to the award are listed as follows:
1. One-page presentation of the startup in PDF format, according to the template available on the congress website. The file must be named: "BusinessPitch_LastName_FirstName".
2. The Candidates' motivational letter in PDF format.
   File must be renamed: "MotivationalLetter_*LastName_FirstName*".
3. The Candidate's Curriculum Vitae in PDF format.
   File must be renamed: "CV_*LastName_FirstName*".
4. The Candidate's scan of identity card in PDF format.
   File must be renamed: "ID_*LastName_FirstName*".

All documentation must be submitted due January 15th, 2021, to aidicgiovani@aidic.it, with object "Application SCA NINE2021".

During the Startup session of NINE2021 congress the Candidate will present a 15 minutes business pitch in PDF format..

A selection Committee, composed by members of the Scientific Committee of the NINE2021 Congress, will evaluate the applications and elect the best business pitch at their incontestable discretion.

The Board will communicate the date and the place of the award ceremony. The winning candidate's presence at the award ceremony is required to confer the award.