



INTERNATIONAL
INNOVATION AND
ENTREPRENEURSHIP
COMPETITION

Eureka International Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition 2026

Event date:

November 17, 2026

Venue:

Zagreb School of Economics and Management
Ulica Filipa Vukasovića 1, Zagreb, Croatia



About Eureka International Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition

The 8th Eureka International Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition 2026 (Eureka IIEC 2026) is co-hosted by Eureka Technology Innovation & Investment (Eureka TechIN) and the Zagreb School of Economics and Management (ZSEM), with strong backing from Eureka International Group. This global event brings together a new generation of entrepreneurs, scientists, and innovators to foster collaboration, accelerate innovation, and spark meaningful exchange across borders.

Held in Zagreb, the capital of Croatia, the competition is supported by local leading academic institutions, public organizations, and global partners. More than just a showcase for big ideas, it's a platform for turning vision into impact where ambitious minds connect, real-world solutions take shape, and international opportunities emerge.

By empowering forward-thinking individuals and championing innovation-driven growth, the competition also plays a vital role in advancing Croatia's innovation ecosystem and strengthening its position in the global tech arena.

Focused Areas

This year's competition focuses on eight key innovation-driven fields that are shaping the future of our economies and societies. Participants are encouraged to propose solutions that are impactful, scalable, and aligned with global trends.

1. **Green and renewable energy**
2. **Smart manufacturing**
3. **Health Tech**
4. **Biotech & bioengineering**
5. **Agri-food innovations**
6. **Digital Technologies**
7. **AI & computing power**
8. **Data centers**

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1st Prize:

10,000€ (1 project)

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2nd Prize:

5,000€ (2 projects)

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3rd Prize:

2,500€ (3 projects)



Event Timeline

Application Phase

Applications for
visa holders:
September 18, 2026

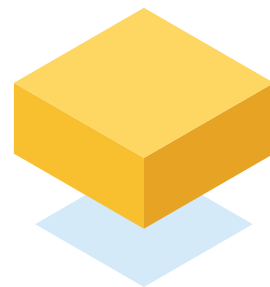
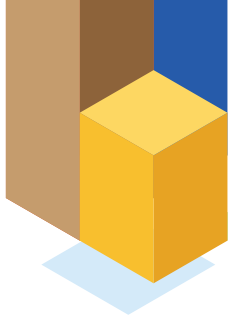
Application for
non-visa holders:
October 19, 2026

Competition Days

Semi-finals:
October 26 & 28, 2026



Finals:
November 17, 2026



Apply now!

Have a bold idea ready to take off? Submit your project and join a global community of innovators. Eureka International Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition 2026 is your chance to pitch your vision, gain international exposure, and make your mark.

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