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Instagram Photo Competition: Terms and Conditions

1. ORGANISER

The Photo Competition is organised by the European Commission's Directorate General for International Cooperation and Development, Rue de la Loi 41, 1000 Brussels, Belgium ("The Organiser").

2. ENTRY PERIOD

The Competition opens on 21/08/2019 and closes at 23.59 CET on 16/09/2019 on Instagram. Entries submitted after the end date will not be eligible. The Organiser's computer is the official time-keeping device for the competition.

3. HOW TO ENTER

To enter the Competition, an entrant shall: upload one photo of what they are doing to make the world a better place via their own Instagram account. In the caption, an entrant shall describe in writing the activity pictured. The upload must follow and tag @EuropeAid and use the hashtag #2030IsNow. Only one valid entry per person is permitted.

Entrants must not submit photos which contain content that is likely to be considered offensive by the Organiser, defames or insults people or companies, etc.

4. ELIGIBILITY

- Nationality: Citizen of the EU
- Age: + 18 years old
- Follow and tag @EuropeAid
- Use of the hashtag #2030IsNow
- Photo is in line with the theme of the competition
- Post originality: relevance of the content, originality of the approach, creativity

5. EVALUATION

Based on the eligibility criteria, a jury will select three winners by assessing the originality of the proposals.

6. WINNERS

Following the closure of the competition, one winner and two runners-up will be announced on the official Instagram account @EuropeAid. As of that day, the winner and the runners-up will be contacted via Instagram Direct Messenger by the Organiser via the Instagram account they have used to participate in the Competition.

If a winner cannot be contacted after three attempts, the Organiser will forfeit the Prize.

If a winner forfeits his/her Prize, the Organiser reserves the right to award the Prize to an alternative winner selected in the same manner.

If once the winners are selected it becomes evident that they do not meet the eligibility criteria outlined at Point 4 above), the Organiser reserves the right to award the Prize to an alternative winner(s).

Winning entrants consent to their name, Instagram handles and submitted photo to be used on the @EuropeAid Instagram.

7. PRIZE

Winner

- Interrail pass (youth or adult)
- #2030IsNow mug, tote bag and bracelet
- Feature of their photo and caption on EuropeAid's Instagram profile

Runners-up

- #2030IsNow mug, tote bag and bracelet
- Feature of their photo and caption on EuropeAid's Instagram profile

A Prize is non-transferable and there is no cash, refund or credit alternative. The Organiser reserve the right to substitute the Prize with another of a similar nature and/or equal value.

8. RESTRICTIONS

The Organiser's employees, parent companies, subsidiaries, affiliates or other parties, who are in any way involved in the development, production, or distribution or promotion of this Competition, as well as the immediate family (spouse, parents, siblings, children) and household members of each such employee and/or authors, are not eligible to participate in this Competition.

Entries via agents or third parties are invalid.

Entrants are not be eligible if:

1. They are under 18 years old.
2. They breach these Terms of the Competition.
3. They do not submit a photo in line with the subject of the Competition, do not follow and tag @EuropeAid or do not use the hashtag #2030IsNow.

9. PERSONAL DATA

Personal data collected during the Competition will be processed in accordance with applicable Data Protection Laws and Regulations and the Organiser's privacy policy which may be viewed: https://ec.europa.eu/info/legal-notice_en#privacy-policy .

At any time, the entrant is allowed to ask the Organiser to modify, update, clarify or remove these personal data by writing to the Organiser's electronic address: Europeaid-webmaster@ec.europa.eu

If the winner's photo depicts a person under 18 years old, the necessary forms for parents' consent must be filled in and provided to the Organisers in order to obtain the Prize.

10. OTHER

The Organiser reserves the right to cancel or amend the Competition and the Terms and Conditions without notice in the event of a catastrophe, war, civil or military disturbance, act of God or any actual or anticipated breach of any applicable law or regulation or any other event outside of the Organiser's control. Changes to the Competition are notified to entrants as soon as possible via the @EuropeAid Instagram page.

The Competition is in no way sponsored, endorsed or administered by, or associated with Instagram.

Entrants understand that they are providing information to the Organiser who may share it with third parties involved in the organisation of this Competition for purposes related to this Competition.

If any provisions of these Terms and Conditions are judged to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, this shall not affect or impact the remainder of the provisions.

The Organiser reserves the right to verify the eligibility of entrants and may, in its sole discretion, disqualify any entrant that fails to satisfy the eligibility requirements.

By entering the Competition, the entrants agree to the Terms and Conditions.