

Official Rules

Terms

The *EPFL International Day of Light Photo Contest 2018* ends at **11:59 p.m. on 13 May 2018**. Winners will be chosen by a public vote and announced during the apero of the IDL celebration, on May 16th.

Theme

The theme of the photo contest is: Light in science, art, and everyday life.

Examples of content include:

- Various properties of light and how it interacts with the atmosphere and materials
- Light technologies and images created with light technology such as telescopes and microscopes
- People interacting with light and/or light technology

Who can participate

The contest is open to all EPFL students and employees, as well as to their spouses and children.

How to participate

Send your digital photographs (maximum 2 photos per person, add name, description, title and location of the photo) to the EPC email address: photonics.chapter@epfl. A confirmation email will be sent to you. Entries submitted after the deadline won't be accepted. Please use your EPFL email address.

Photo Type, Size, Format, and Resolution

All images must be in TIF or JPG/JPEG format, and file size should be no less than 6M pixels. The file size should not exceed 20 MB. High quality images will be requested to the winners.

Photo Alterations

Photo alterations are permitted for the purpose of improving brightness and contrast or removing minor cosmetic flaws. Black and white images are acceptable. Photos that have been digitally altered beyond standard optimization will be disqualified.

Judging

The selection of the three best photos will be based on the votes submitted by the public during the event. In case of equal votes, the EPC committee is allowed to express the final decision.

Prizes

1st Place: 100 CHF

2nd Place: 70 CHF

3rd Place: 40 CHF