

## Efficiency for Access Design Challenge

### Terms and Conditions

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The terms and conditions for entry into the Efficiency for Access Design Challenge for the Academic Year 2020-2021 are explained below. By signing the submission of the Concept Note, you are agreeing to these terms and conditions. Please get in touch if you need further explanation of any of this.

#### 1. Competition Entry

- a. Teams or individuals are eligible to enter the Efficiency for Access Design Challenge Grand Final on the provision they:
  - i. Have participated in the programme during the academic year and have consulted with their university supervisor and have discussed all requirements for participation in the Efficiency for Access Design Challenge.
  - ii. Have been proposed by their university's principal contact as one of the teams/individuals. Teams/individuals understand that they are not obligated to participate in the Efficiency for Access Design Challenge and that academic grade will not be affected by that decision.
  - iii. Have submitted a Concept Note at the beginning of their project.
  - iv. Have submitted the Project Submission with the online submission form by the 16<sup>th</sup> April 2021.
  - v. Have ensured their project meets all of the submission requirements as set out of the Efficiency for Access Design Challenge website.
- b. Engineers Without Borders UK and the Energy Saving Trust will not accept:
  - i. Responsibility for competition entries that are lost, mislaid, damaged or delayed in transit, regardless of cause, including, for example, as a result of postal failure, equipment failure, technical malfunction, systems, satellite, network, server, computer hardware or software failure of any kind.
  - ii. Proof of submission or transmission as proof of receipt of entry to the competition.
- c. The decisions of the reviewers, Engineers Without Borders UK, Energy Saving Trust and Judging Panel (acting reasonably) will be final and no correspondence or discussion will be entered into on these.

2. Statement of ownership of competition entries and intellectual property rights

- a. By competing your submission for the Efficiency for Access Design Challenge and to the extent you own the intellectual property of this submission, you agree:
  - i. In consideration of the opportunity to participate, the knowledge gained throughout, you grant the Energy Saving Trust and Engineers Without Borders UK an Attribution 4.0 International (CC-BY) Creative Commons license to share all intellectual property generated by you in the course of the Efficiency for Access Design Challenge.
  - ii. That your submission does not infringe, violate or otherwise interfere with any copyright, trademark or intellectual rights of any other party;
  - iii. and/ or that you have secured all third party permissions and releases necessary to grant the License to us and have made or will make in a timely manner all payments to any such third parties necessary to enable you to exercise the rights granted to you under these terms.
  - iv. That you will immediately give notice in writing to the Energy Saving Trust of any challenges to intellectual property rights subsisting in your submission which comes to your knowledge.
  - v. That you acknowledge that Engineers Without Borders UK or the Energy Saving Trust may make your work freely available on their website for as long as they do not violate the terms of the CC-BY license.

3. Data protection and publicity statement

- a. You agree that Engineers Without Borders UK or the Energy Saving Trust or our partners may use your name, image and town or country of residence to announce you as a participant in the Challenge and for promotional purposes including publication on public websites, social media channels including Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram, and any other related promotional purposes including, but not limited to press releases, media articles and blog posts.
- b. You further agree to participate in any reasonable publicity required by Engineers Without Borders UK or the Energy Saving Trust or our partners and funders.
- c. By entering the competition, you agree that any personal information provided by you with the competition entry may be held and used only by Engineers Without Borders UK, Energy Saving Trust, and statutory partners to administer the competition.

- d. You agree that Engineers Without Borders UK or the Energy Saving Trust may share your name and contact details with industry companies selected as mentors within the competition.

#### 4. Liability

- a. Save as expressly provided for in these Terms and Conditions, neither Engineers Without Borders UK nor the Energy Saving Trust accept any liability to the teams/individuals participating in the competition or their respective Universities relating to any of the activities under these Terms and Conditions.

#### 5. General

- a. If there is any reason to believe that there has been a breach of these Terms and Conditions, Engineers Without Borders UK or the Energy Saving Trust may, at their sole discretion, reserve the right to exclude you from participating in the competition.
- b. Engineers Without Borders UK and the Energy Saving Trust reserve the right to hold void, suspend, cancel or amend the Efficiency for Access Design Challenge where it becomes necessary to do so.
- c. These Terms and Conditions shall not be amended, modified, varied or supplemented except in writing signed by the Parties or their duly authorised representatives.
- d. The validity construction and performance of these Terms and Conditions shall be governed by the law of England and Wales. All disputes, claims or proceedings between the Parties relating to the validity construction or performance of these Terms and Conditions shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Courts of England and Wales.

#### 6. Confidentiality

- a. You agree to keep secure and confidential any information identified as being confidential, and not to disclose information without the written consent of Engineers Without Borders UK and the Energy Saving Trust.