



INNOVATION COMPETITION GUIDELINES

**3rd INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH
AND INNOVATION (iCERI2025)**

MERITZ HOTEL, MIRI, SARAWAK, MALAYSIA

21–23 OCTOBER 2025

<http://www.spedip.com/iceri2025.html>

iCERI2025 Theme: Educational Creativity And Innovation: From Global Research To Local Impact

Important Dates:

Date	Description
20 September 2025	Deadline for registration, payment and submission of 1. Innovation video 2. Innovation Poster 3. Innovation Report
22 September 2025 – 26 September 2025	Innovation evaluation period
29 September 2025	Invitation letter for Innovation Showcase
21 October 2025 – 23 October 2025	iCERI2025 Conference
23 October 2025	Announcement of competition results (iCERI2025 website)
31 October 2025	Deadline to purchase additional certificates & medals
30 December 2025	Delivery of certificates & medals to the innovation team

Terms and Conditions of Participation

1. Open to all educators, officers, lecturers, and students.
2. **Innovation Competition iCERI2025 will be held ONLINE** only without physical presence in Meritz Hotel, Miri, Sarawak, Malaysia.
3. The **best THREE (3) innovation** from each category will be invited to attend the innovation showcase during the iCERI2025 Conference.
4. **Six (6) competition categories are as follows:**
 - a. Public/Private Higher Education Institutions (IPTA/IPTS), Teacher Education Institutes (IPG), Aminuddin Baki Institute (IAB), Matriculation Colleges,

- Industrial Training Institutes (ILP), National Youth Skills Institutes (IKBN), State/District Education Departments (JPN/PPD), School Improvement Specialist Coaches (SISC+/SIP)
- b. Students from IPTA, IPTS, IPG, IAB, ILP, IKBN, Form 6, Matriculation Colleges
 - c. Primary School Teachers
 - d. Primary School Students
 - e. Secondary School Teachers
 - f. Secondary School Students
5. Individual or team entries (up to 10 members).
 6. For the Primary School Student and Secondary School Student categories, please include the name(s) of the mentor teacher(s) (maximum of 2) during registration. A Certificate of Appreciation will be awarded to the mentor teacher.
 7. Participants may submit **more than one entry** (with separate registration).
 8. Any project, product, or material with innovative elements must be related to education or robotics, or any related field.
 9. Projects of innovation can be in **Malay language or English language**.
 10. For each innovation entry, the team must submit an:
 - a. innovation video,
 - b. innovation poster, and
 - c. innovation report
 11. Innovations that have previously participated in national or international competitions are NOT ELIGIBLE to enter unless improvements or upgrades have been made.
 12. Organizers reserve the right to disqualify entries with false information or copyright issues.
 13. The decisions of the appointed panel of judges are FINAL and no appeals will be entertained.
 14. **Registration Fees* (per team):**

Local	RM80.00
International (Fee & Postage (DHL))	USD180.00
Local Student	RM50.00
International Student (Fee & Postage (DHL))	USD150.00

**Team will receive a bag, a medal and a certificate.*

Registrations will only be confirmed upon receiving the receipt of the required payment. After making the payment, **please attach your proof of payment.** Please ensure the file is named with your **full name**, and include the remark **“Innovation iCERI2025 Fee.”**

Mode of Payment	: Online Transaction
Bank Name	: Public Bank (Malaysia)
Account Name	: Koperasi Institut Pendidikan Guru Kampus Sarawak Miri Berhad
Account Number	: 3113841322
Swift Code Bank	: PBBMYKLXXX
Conference Fee Includes	: one bag, one medal, one certificate, and postage

13. Registration for innovation competition via google form:

<https://forms.gle/2ssRAii28czMz3RL6>



iCERI2025 Innovation Competition Format

1. Each entry in the following six (6) categories must submit a presentation video (maximum 5 minutes), a softcopy of the innovation project poster and innovation project report to be evaluated by the panel of judges:
 - a. Public/Private Higher Education Institutions (IPTA/IPTS), Teacher Education Institutes (IPG), Aminuddin Baki Institute (IAB), Matriculation Colleges, Industrial Training Institutes (ILP), National Youth Skills Institutes (IKBN), State/District Education Departments (JPN/PPD), School Improvement Specialist Coaches (SISC+/SIP)
 - b. Students from IPTA, IPTS, IPG, IAB, ILP, IKBN, Form 6, Matriculation Colleges
 - c. Primary School Teachers
 - d. Primary School Students

- e. Secondary School Teachers
- f. Secondary School Students
2. The panel of judges will evaluate each category based on the content of the presentation video, poster and report, which must contain relevant information about the innovation project. The judges' decisions are final and no appeals will be entertained.
3. The presentation video and poster will be uploaded by the organizers to the following website <http://www.spedip.com/iceri2025.html> on **22 September 2025**. Innovation team members must respond in writing to any questions (if any) via the website during the evaluation period.
4. Any presentation video or poster or report submitted after the deadline will not be considered.

Guidelines for Preparing the Innovation Project Poster, Innovation Report and Innovation Presentation Video

1. The presentation video, poster and report may be prepared in **Malay language or English language**.
2. Participants are required to present all relevant information about their innovation project through a **video, a project poster and an innovation report**, created **according to their own creativity**.
3. Participants must produce a **project poster in A4 size** (8.27 x 11.69 inches) only. The accepted **poster formats are .jpeg or .png only**.
4. Please refer the following link or QR code to download the **Innovation Report Template** to prepare an innovation report. **Submit innovation reports in Microsoft Word-compatible file AND pdf formats**.

<https://shorturl.at/wo5hJ>



5. All innovation reports will be published in **iCERI2025 Innovation Collection eBook** with e-ISBN.
6. Participants **must use their own recording devices**, such as a video camera or smartphone, to produce a **high-quality video** that can be easily assessed by the panel of judges based on the specified creativity and innovation evaluation criteria.
7. The **accepted video formats** are **.mp4, .mpg, .mov, or .wmv** only. The **video file size must not exceed 900MB**.
8. The **maximum duration of the video is 5 minutes**. Any **content beyond 5 minutes (e.g., from minute 5.01 onward) will not be evaluated**.
9. Please name the softcopy files of the presentation video, project poster and innovation report according to the **following category codes**:

Category	Code (File Name)
Public/Private Higher Education Institutions (IPTA/IPTS), Teacher Education Institutes (IPG), Aminuddin Baki Institute (IAB), Matriculation Colleges, Industrial Training Institutes (ILP), National Youth Skills Institutes (IKBN), State/District Education Departments (JPN/PPD), School Improvement Specialist Coaches (SISC+/SIP)	Category and Innovation Name (Use the first three words of the project name). Example: A_SUPERMATH
Students from IPTA, IPTS, IPG, IAB, ILP, IKBN, Form 6, Matriculation Colleges	B_Name of Innovation
Primary School Teachers	C_Name of Innovation
Primary School Students	D_Name of Innovation
Secondary School Teachers	E_Name of Innovation
Secondary School Students	F_Name of Innovation

9. All innovation presentation videos (link), project posters and innovation report must be submitted via Innovation Competition Registration Form no later than **20 September 2025**. Participants are required to upload the video to a cloud storage platform such as Google Drive or YouTube, ensuring that the access **settings**

permit file downloading. The downloadable link must be submitted in the registration form to enable the organizing committee to retrieve the file.

Awards and Recognition

1. All team will receive **one (1) medal** and **one (1) certificate of achievement**, in accordance with the level of recognition awarded:
 - Gold Medal and Certificate of Achievement
 - Silver Medal and Certificate of Achievement
 - Bronze Medal and Certificate of Achievement
 - Certificate of Participation
2. **Special Awards** will also be conferred for the following categories:
 - Best Poster
 - Best Innovation Product in Each Category
3. **Additional certificates may be purchased at RM10.00(Local)/USD10.00 (International) each, and additional medals may be purchased at RM45.00 (local)/USD45.00 (international) per unit.** The deadline for additional purchases is **31 October 2025 (Friday)**.

Payments shall be made to the following account:

Mode of Payment	: Online Transaction
Bank Name	: Public Bank (Malaysia)
Account Name	: Koperasi Institut Pendidikan Guru Kampus Sarawak Miri Berhad
Account Number	: 3113841322
Swift Code Bank	: PBBMYKLXXX
Recipient's Reference & Additional Information	: Please include the Innovation Name, Category of Participation and Buyer's Name

4. Participants must also complete the following **Additional Certificate and Medal Purchase Form**,

<https://forms.gle/q7J5VSCJBxXgA4cj8>



Evaluation of Innovation Presentation Video and Poster

1. All project materials must be the **original work of the participant or team**.
2. Assessment will be conducted based on the **content of the presentation video, poster and report**, which must clearly convey relevant information about the innovation project.
3. The presentation video, poster and report will be evaluated according to the following:
 - a. **Video Assessment – 50%**
 - b. **Report Assessment – 40%**
 - c. **Poster Design and Content – 10%**

For inquiries regarding the innovation competition guidelines, please contact:

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The organizer reserves the right to make amendments subject to the final decision of the organizing committee.