

RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE “INDIE SHOWCASE” COMPETITION

(hereinafter: “Rules and Regulation”)

[GENERAL PROVISIONS]

1. The organizer of the “Indie Showcase” competition (hereinafter referred to as the “Competition”) is Krakowski Park Technologiczny sp. z o.o. with its registered office in Kraków, Podole 60, Tax Identification Number (NIP): 675-115-78-34, hereinafter referred to as the “Organizer.”
2. The goal of the Competition is to select the best independent video game (hereinafter: “indie game”) as part of the Digital Dragons 2023 Conference.
3. The Competition runs **from December 20, 2022 through May 16, 2023** (hereinafter: “Competition Period”).
4. The Competition Period is divided into online qualifications (hereinafter: “Qualifications”) and the final round (hereinafter: “Final”).

[COMPETITION ENTRY]

1. The Competition is open to all adult natural persons and persons conducting business activity.
2. Participants in the Competition may not be employees and representatives of the Organizer or the Indie Showcase Sponsor.
3. In the event that the Organizer determines that a person who does not meet the participation requirements has participated in the Competition, that person will be excluded from the Competition and stripped of any prize received in the Competition.
4. Participation in the Competition is entirely voluntary.
5. The submitted games may not contain any illegal content.
6. All submitted games must have a playable version during the final presentation. A functional game card and demo version on the Steam platform are required to participate in the Competition.
7. Only games which have not been previously presented at Indie Showcase and Indie Celebration will be accepted into the Competition.
8. You can enter any digital game to the Competition, including those made for mobile platforms.
9. An indie game is considered a digital, interactive product created by an independent studio, individual authors, formal and informal groups. The Organizer reserves the right to make the final selection of games according to internal criteria if it deems that a given production does not meet the requirements to qualify as an indie game.

10. The Final takes place offline on location. Games must be showcased in person at Digital Dragons 2023 by the developers' representatives and there is no online form of participation in the Final.

[STAGE I: ONLINE QUALIFICATIONS]

1. Participation in the Qualifications is free of charge. A game is submitted through an online form at: <https://digitaldragons.pl/dd-arena-indie-showcase/>.
2. A submitted indie game must be an original work.
3. Registration can be made no later than March 15, 2023.
4. An entity may submit any number of indie games to the qualifications.
5. In addition to completing the subsections of the entry form, a submission must contain at least a 5-minute video of gameplay from the game. Submissions without said gameplay video will not be considered.
6. The submission must include a working build of the game, which must be provided through a Google Drive download link. If no such build is available, the submitter must attach at least 10 licence keys for the game redeemable at the defined online platform.
7. Potential Steam keys submitted to Qualifications must be active until at least 17 May, 2023.

[STAGE II: FINALISTS]

1. From the submitted indie games, the internal Digital Dragons committee will select a maximum of 50 that will be granted the right to present themselves at Digital Dragons 2023.
2. From the aforementioned 50 games, a jury of experts will name 20 games qualifying to the Final (hereinafter: "Finalists").
3. The Finalists will present their game at a special section during the Digital Dragons 2023 conference.
4. All qualified games must have physical representation at the Digital Dragons 2023 conference in Kraków, Poland on May 15-16, 2023. Failing to fulfil this requirement is equal to disqualification from the Competition.
5. The list of qualified entities will be announced by the Organizer no later than April 10, 2023.
6. The Organizer will inform about qualifying to the Competition and Finals via e-mail; the message will be sent to the e-mail address provided in the application form.

[FINAL AND REMAINING AWARDS]

1. The final will take place during the Digital Dragons 2023 conference in Kraków on May 15-16, 2023 in the ICE Kraków Congress Centre.
2. Studios qualified to the final must confirm their participation in the Indie Showcase by April 20, 2023 by e-mailing confirmation to: jwandezel@kpt.krakow.pl.
3. For foreign entities – in case of simultaneous qualification to two sections during the Digital Dragons 2023 conference, i.e. the Indie Showcase and the CEE Showcase finals, the entity must choose and confirm its participation **only in one** section of its choosing. Confirmation of participation in the Indie Showcase final is equivalent to the resignation from participation in the CEE Showcase.

4. Entities qualified for the finals are required to purchase tickets to Digital Dragons 2023 for all members of the team presenting the game.
5. Competition Participants are asked to secure hardware for presentation of their own volition. Unorthodox exhibition methods must first be consulted with the Organizers.
6. The Organizer grants the right to purchase entrance tickets at the price of 500 PLN gross for 1 Regular Pass to a maximum of four members of the team presenting the project.
7. For each qualified game, the Organizer provides a stand in the form of a table, two chairs, electricity connection and Internet access. Further preparation is the participant's own responsibility after consultation with the Organizer.
8. Promoting exhibition stands with roll-ups and other promotional material which obstructs vision is forbidden.
9. The Organizer provides the Finalists with additional stand indicators or space in a designated Finals sector during Digital Dragons 2023.
10. The indie games qualified for the finals will be evaluated by the Competition Jury over the two days of the conference. The composition of the Jury is public.
11. The Competition Jury will award the First, Second and Third Prizes in the Best Indie Game categories at Digital Dragons and the special Best Mobile Game award in special circumstances. The Jury also has the right to award three commendations.
12. The Organizer reverses the right to award commendations from the events' media partners.
13. A Community Vote award will be given during the Final.
14. The Community Vote is awarded by the Digital Dragons conference attendees during the event.
15. All submitted games showcased at Digital Dragons 2023 are nominated for the Community Vote, including CEE Showcase and Digital Dragons Accelerator games.
16. Out of all the games included in the CEE Showcase, one winning title will be awarded.
17. A game can receive more than one award.

[PROCESSING OF PERSONAL DATA]

According to Art. 13 sec. 1 and sec. 2 of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (General Data Protection Regulation) (Journal of Laws EU.L No. 119, p. 1) hereinafter referred to as: GDPR, we would like to inform you that:

1. The administrator of the personal data of the participants of the Competition is Krakowski Park Technologiczny sp. z o.o. with its registered office in Kraków at ul. Podole 60, 30 – 394 Kraków, REGON 351381295, entered into the Register of Entrepreneurs of the National Court Register kept by the District Court for Kraków - Śródmieście in Kraków, 11th Commercial Division of the National Court Register under KRS number 0000058058, share capital: 17,567,000.00 PLN, e-mail contact: biuro@kpt.krakow.pl,
2. The administrator has appointed a Data Protection Officer who can be contacted at the following e-mail address: iod@kpt.krakow.pl
3. Personal data will be processed in order to:

- a) facilitate participation in the "Indie Showcase" Competition, including registration through the application form, posting a list of Competition winners on the Facebook event page and administering the Competition. The basis for the processing of personal data is voluntary consent, i.e. art. 6 sec. 1 lit. and GDPR,
- b) receive marketing and promotional information regarding the Administrator's activities, only on the basis of a separate consent (legal basis: Article 6(1)(a) of the GDPR).
4. Providing personal data is voluntary, but necessary in order to participate in the Competition.
5. **At the same time, we would like to inform you that participation in the Competition means that you, as a participant, consent (legal basis: Article 6(1)(a) of the GDPR) to the dissemination of his image in the scope of placing photos and recordings from the course of the Competition on the Administrator's websites (media social networks and website), as part of information and promotional activities.** We assure you that your image will not be used for commercial purposes, therefore you are not entitled to any claims, in particular the right to remuneration.
6. Participants have the right to access data, the right to rectify data, the right to limit the processing of personal data, the right to request data deletion, to object to data processing, as well as the right to withdraw consent at any time without affecting the lawfulness of the processing that has been carried out on the basis of consent before its withdrawal - if the processing is based on the consent granted to us - in the cases and under the conditions set out in the GDPR. The rights listed above can be exercised by contacting the Administrator or the Data Protection Officer.
7. You have the right to lodge a complaint with the competent supervisory authority - the President of the Office for Personal Data Protection, when it is justified that your personal data is processed by the Administrator contrary to the provisions of the GDPR.
7. The recipients of your personal data will only be entities authorized under the law. Your data may also be transferred to entities processing them at the request of the Administrator, e.g. organizers and patrons of the Competition, IT service providers and other entities processing data for the purposes specified by the Administrator - such entities process data only on the basis of an agreement with the Administrator.

Personal data will be processed no longer than it is necessary for the proper organization of the Competition or until the consent to their processing is revoked or objections to processing are expressed. If you consent to receive marketing information, the data in our databases will be stored for a period of 10 years or until the consent to processing is withdrawn.

[COPYRIGHT]

1. All participants of the Competition must own the copyrights to the games they submit.
2. All participants of the Competition retain full copyrights to the indie games they have created.
3. The Organizer reserves the right to use all materials provided during the registration process for the purposes of the Digital Dragons promotion and the Competition.
4. The participant takes full responsibility for the presented game.

[OTHER PROVISIONS]

1. The Organizer reserves the right to amend these Regulations at any time without giving any reason, if it does not affect the acquired rights of the participants.
2. During the Competition, the content of the Competition Regulations will be available for viewing on the Digital Dragons website at <http://digitaldragons.pl/indie-showcase/>.