RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. PRESENTATION

The competition is organized by the Spain-Portugal Chapter of the Marie Curie Alumni Association (MCAA). The submitted photos to the competition must be related to the theme **"Art & Science".**

2. PARTICIPATION

Participation is free and open to any photographer living in Spain or Portugal. All those who wish to express their vision of the theme of the competition through photography (with camera or smartphone) are eligible to participate. Each participant may submit up to 5 works, provided that they are original and unpublished. Works submitted or awarded in other competitions will not be accepted, and works by professionals are not allowed.

3. TOPIC

The submitted photos must be related to the topic "**Art & Science**". All photos must be original work, taken by the participants. No third party may own or control any materials the photo contains, and the photo must not infringe upon the trademark, copyright, moral rights, intellectual rights, or rights of privacy of any entity or person. The MCAA Spain-Portugal Chapter reserves the right to disqualify any entry that is deemed inappropriate or does not conform to stated contest rules.

4. SUBMISSION OF PHOTOS

Each photograph must be submitted with a title. It is possible to submit a maximum of 5 photographs per participant, free-form, using any photographic technique, in color or black and white. Photos that have been published or awarded in other competitions will not be accepted. The following information must accompany the photos:

- Title
- Name and Surname
- Telephone number
- Address, City, Post code and country of residency

The photos must be sent by email to <u>spain-portugal.chapter@mariecuriealumni.eu</u> (Subject "**Art & Science**") in high resolution (jpg, jpeg, tiff, png), minimum of 300 dpi.

5. DEADLINE

The deadline for submission is Saturday, **April 30th**, **2022**. Submissions will not be accepted once the deadline lapses.

6. PRIZES

The prize for the winner photography will be an unforgettable experience box. In addition, a pair of Boodlife sunglasses will be raffled among all participants. The awards will be made public during the month of May. Winners will be notified by email. Any material prizes will be sent to the winners by post.

7. JURY

The jury will be formed by professionals and specialists from the world of communication and photography. The jury's decision is final.

8. RIGHTS

Participation in the competition entails:

The assignment to the MCAA Spain-Portugal Chapter by all participants of the rights of reproduction, distribution, public communication, transformation and any other right of exploitation that may arise on the photographic works used by the MCAA Spain-Portugal Chapter for purposes related to its activity without limitation of time or place. Authorship of the photos will be acknowledged only where possible.

It is the responsibility of the contestants to ensure that the submitted photographs are free of third party rights and that they have obtained the explicit permission and consent from anyone appearing in the photo used in this competition.

9. ACCEPTANCE

Participation in this competition implies acceptance of each and every rule of the competition and the final decision of the jury.

10. DATA PROTECTION

The participants understand and agree that the processing of personal data provided, undertaken by the MCAA Spain-Portugal Chapter, will take place in compliance with EU General Data Protection Regulation, as stated in details in MCAA Privacy Statement (https://www.mariecuriealumni.eu/legal-notice)

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