

OPEN CALL: IHS SCIENCE SLAM

Your chance for a somewhat different scientific presentation

As part of its 60th anniversary, the Institute for Advanced Studies (IHS) invites young researchers from the Institute as well as students of economics and social sciences to apply for the first IHS Science Slam, which will take place on 7 September 2023. The total prize money is 450 Euros, submission deadline is June 18th.

Inspire the audience with your research work by presenting exciting results of your project, paper or thesis in a creative format on stage in the Brunnenhof of Palais Strozzi. There are no limits to your creativity, but standard classical powerpoint presentations aren't what we are looking for.

An IHS committee will select ten finalists from the submissions to compete in the Science Slam. On site, the audience decides who wins by voting. After the presentations and the award ceremony, we will enjoy drinks and snacks together.

We are looking forward to many creative submissions!

Facts & Figures

Send in your application by 18 June to mediarelations@ihs.ac. Please include the topic of your presentation, the framework (thesis, project, paper), your university and status (subject area, stage of study) and a short description of your presentation concept (maximum 2 pages A4).

- **Application deadline:** 18 June 2023
- **Event date:** 7 September 2023, 4 p.m.
- **Venue:** Brunnenhof IHS, Josefstädterstraße 39, 1080 Vienna
- **Target group:** Young researchers at IHS, students and PhDs in economics and the social sciences who would like to present their topic to an interested general public in an understandable way
- **Range of topics:** economics and social sciences
- **Format:** creative (from quiz show to performance), preferably interactive
- **Available technical equipment:** large screen, sound system with microphone
- **Duration:** 5 to 8 minutes per presentation
- **Procedure:** Pre-selection of the 10 finalists by the IHS committee, audience voting
- **Prize money:** 1st place – 200 €, 2nd place – 150 €, 3rd place – 100 €
- **Get together** with drinks and snacks after the contest
- **Questions and contact:** mediarelations@ihs.ac.at



Information on procedure & data protection

- By submitting their documents, participants agree that their data will be stored for the purpose of processing the competition and that their documents will be forwarded to the committee, Prof. em. Dr. DI. Klaus Neusser, Priv.-Doz. Dr. Klaus Weyerstraß, Dr.in Angela Wroblewski, Mag.a Melanie Gadringer and Elisabeth Laa, MSc.
- Applicants will be informed by the end of July 2023 at the latest whether they have been accepted or rejected for the presentation at the event.
- If accepted, participants agree that their names, affiliation and presentation title will be published in the event program as well as on the IHS website and other IHS communication channels. Photos will be taken and videos recorded at the event, which will also be used for IHS channels.
- Participants' contact details and documents will be deleted as soon as they are no longer needed for the competition, but no later than 31.12.2023.
- The [IHS Privacy Policy](#) can be found on the Institute's website.
- Prize money will be paid out in cash at the award ceremony.

About the Institute for Advanced Studies

IHS is an independent, non-profit, non-university research institute in Vienna with a focus on economics, sociology and political science. The institute has distinguished itself in Austria and internationally for 60 years through its diversity as well as the combination of academic and applied research. Following the motto "Research that matters", around 100 researchers create a sound basis for debates and economic decisions with their work. The Institute is characterised by its bridging function between science, society and politics.