



PRINT TECHNOLOGY WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025

Note: In accordance with the principle of equality, all personal and functional designations, regardless of linguistic form, apply to all genders.

Regulations Print Technology World Championship 2025

ORGANIZER

Heidelberger Druckmaschinen AG.

OBJECTIVE

The World Professional Championship aims to enhance the attractiveness of the printing profession and motivate young people to pursue vocational training. Thus, the event serves to promote young talent and simultaneously aims to elevate the profession in the public eye. It offers young professionals the opportunity to measure their skills in fair competition.

PARTICIPATION CONDITIONS

The age limit in the competition year is 25 years. The determining factor for the nomination of the nation in the competition is the location of the participant's company, not their nationality. One participant per nation is allowed.

GUIDELINES

The guidelines for the competition form are part of these regulations. Representatives of the jury will collaboratively develop these. The guidelines will define the tasks and establish the basis for the jury's evaluation. The documents will be published exclusively in English.

ANNOUNCEMENT AND REGISTRATION

Where national championships take place, registration for the World Championships occurs via the conducting national organization. Alternatively, a company or school can also register a candidate. In the case of multiple candidates from the same nation, the registering bodies will coordinate among themselves who will be sent to the competition.

The announcement will be made via Heidelberger Druckmaschinen AG.

ADMISSION

To be admitted to the World Championship, one must:

- Meet the participation conditions.
- Accept the regulations.

TASKS

The following areas will be examined:

- Mixing two colors according to the template.
- Commercial Printing B2 5/2 Offset.
- Packaging Printing B1 5/0+L Offset.
- Maintenance.
- Troubleshooting and entifying errors based on print sheets.
- Digital printing mailing 4/4 with text/image personalization.
- Digital printing flyers, postcards, etc., exposing, color calibration.
- Cutting paper, 2 jobs.

EVALUATION

The evaluation will be conducted according to the guidelines of WorldSkills, led by experts, and will occur continuously during the championship. Based on this evaluation, an overall winner will be determined. It is important to ensure that no expert evaluates participants from the same nation.

Participants will make themselves available to sponsors and national organizations for communication activities and public appearances as needed.

AWARDS

Medals will be awarded for ranks 1 to 3, and a Medallion of Excellence will be given for other ranks based on the achieved score. All candidates will also receive a certificate of participation.

COMPLAINTS

Complaints against the decisions of the experts must be submitted with justification and by registered letter within 10 days after the announcement of the results to the chief expert.

Only arbitrariness and misuse of discretion can be asserted with the complaint. The jury's decision is final, and legal recourse is excluded.

APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

- Guidelines
- Registration form