

United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

# UNESCO King Hamad Bin Isa Al-Khalifa Prize for the Use of ICT in Education

## Call for nominations

### Deadline for submission: 31 October 2018

# 2018 theme: The use of innovative Information and Communication Technologies to ensure education for the most vulnerable groups

Funded by the Kingdom of Bahrain and established in 2005, the UNESCO King Hamad Bin Isa Al-Khalifa Prize rewards innovative approaches that leverage new technologies to expand educational opportunities.



## **UNESCO King Hamad Bin Isa**

## Al-Khalifa Prize for the Use of

## **ICT in Education**

The 2018 Prize will recognize the organizations and individuals who are implementing ICT projects to deliver quality education for the most vulnerable groups.

Projects that use integrated solutions that blend commonly used technology with frontier ICT applications to increase access to quality education and lifelong learning opportunities are particularly encouraged to apply.

Two awards will be granted, and each recipient will receive USD 25,000 during the Award Ceremony at UNESCO Headquarters in March 2019.

#### **Eligibility criteria**

- → Duration of projects/activities must be of at least a year to permit an assessment of results;
- $\rightarrow$  Innovation and openness of content and tool;
- → Evidence of sustainability for mid- to longterm application;
- → The project/activity should be a first time nomination for a Prize of this kind.



### How to apply?

The application process takes place via an online platform. If you do not have a UNESCO account, you can request to create one at: www.unesco.org/ict-ed-prize/register

All submission forms should be completed in English or French and endorsed by the National Commission or an NGO in official partnership with UNESCO.

#### Who can nominate?

Governments of the Member States of UNESCO, via their National Commissions, and Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) in official partnership with UNESCO, and active in the field covered by the Prize. Each National Commission for UNESCO or NGO can nominate up to 3 candidates.

Access online platform at: www.unesco.org/ict-ed-prize.

#### Calendar

31 October 2018 (Midnight, Paris time): Deadline for submission December 2018: International jury meeting March 2019: Award ceremony in Paris, France

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