

# POLYMER VIDEO COMPETITION

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The Subcommittee on Polymer Education (SPEd) invites YOU to be part of our the Polymer educational series on the IUPAC's YouTube Channel!

You can take part by creating and submitting a short (3 min) video where you EXPLAIN or DISCUSS one of the topics from the list provided. Anyone can submit a video, however you must follow certain rules:



You are a currently a:

- highschool student
- undergraduate student
- postgraduate (Master, PhD)
- Early career researcher\*

The video content is based on the list of concepts and themes provided in the competition guidelines.

*\*see below*

Depending on the age/group category, you can submit either as an individual or in groups.

For certain categories, an IUPAC document must be the main reference used.



## 01 CATEGORIES & TEAM COMPOSITION



**MONOMER** **HIGHSCHOOL** students (groups up to 3 people and a tutor/teacher to supervise)

**MACROMOLECULE** **UNDERGRADUATE** students (up to 2 people, 2 students or a student and a tutor/teacher)

**POLYMER** **POSTGRADUATE** students (masters, PhDs) and ECRs\* (up to 2 people, 2 students or a student and a tutor/teacher).

*\*ECR = less than ten years after receiving a PhD*

## 02 VIDEO CONTENT & TOPICS



Examples :

Tell us about an interesting polymer-discovery or an application or what your polymer-related research project is about!

OR

Explain through a video a polymer-related concept or some nomenclature rules from the list provided.



The videos can be in any language but **MUST** include english subtitles.

## 03 JUDGING CRITERIA & PRIZES



**Electronic certificates** of participation will be given to all individuals who partake in the competition.

A panel of 4 judges from **IUPAC's Polymer division** and the **subcommittee on polymer education** will be evaluating the videos; taking into account :

**scientific content, artistic/technical quality, creativity & originality and impact**

A final selection of **9 videos** (3 from each age group) will be made from the best noted. These videos will be showcased in the next IUPAC meeting or MACRO conference and will be uploaded on the IUPAC Youtube Channel. Other prizes (depending on entry group) will receive:

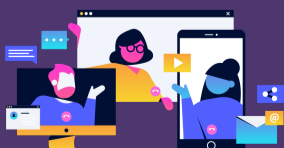
### MONOMER

- **Certificate** & set of IUPAC goodies for each team member
- **1 invitation** for a virtual presentation at the next IUPAC World chemistry or MACRO conference

### MACROMOLECULE

- **Certificate** & set of IUPAC goodies for each team member
- **1 invitation** as IUPAC Young observer to the next IUPAC World chemistry or MACRO conference
- **1 travel fund** (1000 USD)

### POLYMER



To ensure equal opportunities, we have prepared a list of useful links to licence-free materials to help you make the best videos you can!

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE: 31 MARCH 2024**

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For more info go to: <https://iupac.org/project/2022-003-2-400/>

Submit your video here: [bit.ly/polymervids](https://bit.ly/polymervids)