



CALL FOR LUNAR MINI ROBOTS 2011

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**1. Who can apply?**

Any physical person; may he or she be student, engineer, professor or other - alone or representing a research group or a company - without citizen or country restrictions.

2. Do I have to pay any application fees to apply to this call?

No, there are no application fees.

3. Can the same applicant person present more than one proposal?

Yes, he or she can.

4. I am applying for more than one proposal, should I create one account for each one?

No, only one account has to be created for each applicant. All proposals submitted by the same applicant must be uploaded using the same account.

5. I am applying to the Call but my proposal may need to exceed the constraints (V_{max} , M) stated on the *BMT.LMR.2011-Guide for Applicants* document. Would my proposal still be eligible?

Yes, the proposals which exceed the indicative constraints will be taken into account through the selection process. However, they might have less possibilities of being selected.

6. Can I add graphs and annexes in order to make clearer my idea?

Yes, you can. They must be uploaded with the following label: *BMT.LMR.2011-CFP-Graphs_Acronym of the project* or *BMT.LMR.2011-CFP-Annexes_Acronym of the project*.

7. Who will evaluate the Proposals received?

The evaluation panel will be composed of international specialists and renowned professionals from the fields of Aerospace Science and Technology. The specific composition will remain as confidential during the process.

8. I am not satisfied with the evaluation outcome. Do I have the possibility of making allegations or to start a redress procedure?

No, tribunal decisions are not open to appeal and are considered definitive.

9. I have passed the Call for Proposals phase so I'm one of the Lunar Mini Robots Competition's participant, can I immediately receive the 15.000€ award?

Yes, since you have been selected as one of the five best proposals you can receive the 15.000€ award in order to prepare the Lunar Mini Robots Competition.

10. I am one of the Lunar Mini Robots Competition participant. Does my robot need to be certified to fly in a space mission in order to participate in the competition?

No, your robot does not have to be certified to fly in a space mission in order to participate in the Lunar Mini Robots Competition. Mini robots "earth versions" are allowed to compete.



11. I am the Lunar Mini Robots Competition winner and I need more than the 200.000€ first prize to develop and materialise my lunar mini robot version; can I ask the Barcelona Moon Team for more funds – if I justify them?

No, the maximum amount of the prize is not negotiable but you still can look for external partners and sponsors.

12. I am the Lunar Mini Robots Competition winner; will my mini robot be launched to the Moon without restrictions?

No, prior to the launch, your mini robot must be certified to fly in a space mission. If your mini robot is not certified to fly in a space mission, it will not be launched to the Moon with the main rover.

In case you have any other question, please don't hesitate to contact us via email: calls@barcelonamoonteam.com.