Terms & Conditions – CLP2020 Addendum

This addendum to the ClimateLaunchpad Terms & Conditions is produced in conjunction with the changes in the format of the ClimateLaunchpad 2020 programme.

The entire programme this year will be executed in a digital format, and hence the below sections have been amended. The other elements of the Terms & Conditions remain the same. We reserve the right to change any aspects of the competition indicated on our competition website.

4. What happens next – timeline
After initial entries have been submitted, the competition will be run in accordance with the following indicative timeline.

Step 1: Online course & Boot Camp
After you submit your application, our National juries will invite teams first for participation in the Online Course. That’s where you’ll learn everything to set you up for the next step. From there the top teams get chosen to take part in the ClimateLaunchpad National programme which kicks off with a 3-day digital Boot Camp. Our trainers will teach you all you need to know about jump-starting your business.

Step 2: Intensive coaching and National Finals (and if applicable Regional Finals)
The Boot Camp is followed by a period of intensive coaching. You’ll perfect your pitch, value proposition and business model. After that, you’re ready to rock your National Final where you’ll pitch digitally for a National Jury. The top teams may go on to Regional Finals, which then decides who gets to compete in the digital Global Grand Final.

Step 3: Global Grand Final
There is prize money to be won. The overall winner of the Global Grand Final receives € 10,000, the runner up gets € 5,000 and the idea that comes in third place wins € 2,500. The top 16 teams selected by the jury to perform in the Final Round of the Global Grand Final, will automatically get direct access to the Climate-KIC ClimateLaunchpad Accelerator, the renowned business school where great ideas grow into great businesses.

Important note: if your application is selected you will be asked to confirm your participation to claim your spot in the competition. Accepting means compulsory attendance of the full National Boot Camp by 2 (minimum) representatives of the start-up, a minimum of 5 of the 6 coaching sessions, as well as the National Final, Regional Final (if applicable) and Global Grand Final (if applicable). For last minute cancellation or no-show, you will be fined € 500 to cover some of the costs we invested.