

The SPACE PROPULSION Conference, organized by the Association Aéronautique et Astronautique de France in close collaboration with ESA, UKSA, CNES, DLR and industries, is the international forum supporting the preparation of future activities and roadmaps in all the fields of Space Propulsion. The program of the event highlights programmatic and technical issues and promotes exchange of views and information in the two main areas of propulsion for Spacecraft and for Space Transportation.

For this 9th edition, more than 600 professionals from over 30 countries are expected, gathering engineers and scientists from government, university and industry. Plenary roundtables will bring a specific focus on **How to speed up innovative propulsion release to market**. This event is a unique opportunity to discover innovative solutions and implement fruitful exchanges between colleagues of different countries and disciplines.

TAKE PART IN THE START-UP CONTEST !

This « Start-Up Contest » organized with the support of accelerators and investors, **Expansion and SpaceFounders**, is aiming to promote new talents and shed light on innovative solutions and technological breakthroughs.



- **Before March 29th, 2024** : Apply to participate in the contest at sp2024@3af.fr
→ Ask for your application file, fill out the information and send back with a presentation document and/or a 3min presentation video.
- **On April 15th, 2024** : a jury composed of sponsors and partners issued from **SPACE PROPULSION 2024 Technical Committees, Venture Capital Companies and Accelerators** will select **8 finalist candidates**.
- **From May 20th to 23rd in Glasgow (Scotland) for the entire conference** : the 8 start-up finalists will benefit of **1 high desk on the Start-up zone of exhibition** + 1 complementary participant badge.
(Exhibition + one participant badge free of charge representing a total amount of 2280 euros net. Additional badges and extras to be purchased online).
- **On May 22nd, 2024** : during the plenary session, the 8 start-up finalists will **present their 3-minute pitch** and participate in a Q&A session with the jury. **Presence to this session in Glasgow is required**.
- **On May 22nd, 2024**: At the Gala Dinner, the **3 best start-up candidates** will be announced, as well as the #1 prize winner.

Apply for the Start-up Pitch Contest to be one of the 8 finalists company to obtain:

PRIZE

- Your participation to the conference: **1 desk in the exhibition + 1 participant badge**
- **A 3-minute pitch in front of decision makers in the industry**
- **Many networking opportunities during the conference**
- **And for the prize winner : # A 6sqm Exhibition booth on Space Propulsion 2026**
1 year membership to 3AF association

Information and applications before March 29th, on www.3af-spacepropulsion.com & sp2024@3af.fr