

#WHAT: [BEST Courses](#) in Autumn
 #DEADLINE TO APPLY: **26th of May, 2019, 23:00 CEST**
 #FEE: 0 EUR for co-organisers // fee mentioned in table for participants
 #LIST OF COURSES: Table in mail
 #EXAMPLE MOTIVATION LETTERS: [Here](#)
 #APPLY THROUGH:
 This [link](#) for participants
 This [link](#) for co-organisers

Dear Canadian students,

The **Board of European Students of Technology (BEST)** would like to invite the CFES members to apply to attend a BEST course as a participant or take on the role of co-organiser and help with the organisation of the event. You will have the opportunity to explore a European city with students of technology from all over Europe, to learn how complementary education courses are organised in BEST and of course to have fun.

What happens at a course:

- Courses cover a technical topic;
- Courses are usually 1 – 2 weeks long with approximately 20 hours of technical instruction per week;
- In addition to technical instruction, courses include sightseeing activities, experiencing the local culture and an international evening to share traditions from all over Europe.

Your responsibilities on the course will usually include:

- If you apply as a **co-organiser**: Helping course organizers with minor tasks related to the hospitality, social and cultural components of the course as well as technicalities;
- If you apply as a **participant**: Attending lectures and experience the academic component of the course;
- Participating in team building activities and games with other participants;
- Sharing your experience at the BEST Course with the CFES and your Engineering Society upon your return;
- Having a good time and bringing your NGO's spirit!

List of events you can apply to:

LBG	Event name	City	Dates	Fee	Coorganizers	Participants
Barcelona	Barcelona 3D printing HPerience	Barcelona, Spain	29 August - 8 September 2019	55.0€	0	2
Valladolid	Wall-e-dolid: to BOT or not to BOT	Valladolid, Spain	2 - 10 September 2019	0.0€	1	2
Warsaw	Every move you make, Every code you break	Warsaw, Poland	16 - 25 September 2019	50.0€	1	1
Helsinki	It's My Life Science!	Espoo, Finland	6 - 14 October 2019	45.0€	1	1

Application procedure:

- Apply through the form found on top of this mail;

- If you want to apply to more than one course, simply fill the form more than once. You can apply to up to **three courses per season**;
- Application deadline: 26th of May, 2019;
- You should get the information if you were accepted to a course (and which ones) by the end of June.

This procedure is very important. Failure to apply or answer within the deadline automatically means the rejection of your application.

A good application:

- Tells the organizers about yourself (e.g. home city, University and program, hobbies, etc). The organisers want to get to know you and make sure they can trust that you will be making the effort to help them with technical side of the course;
- Explains why you wish to attend the specific course (i.e. Why should the local organisers pick you?);
- Showcases your personality and not only describes your organisational and leadership involvement;
- Should be concise;
- Targeted to a specific course (e.g. the same motivation letter should not be sent to a course in Brussels and one in Istanbul);
- Be creative!
- Make your application stand out :) Creative forms such as videos, poems and funny letters are more than welcome!
- Remember, the application will be read by students like you! Formalities are not necessary;
- See the example motivation letters attached above for inspiration. :)

Technicalities:

- Meals, accommodation, and activities are provided by the organizing city during the course;
- You are responsible for arranging and financing your return travel to the host city.

If you have any questions, contact us through ambassador.courses@BEST.eu.org.
To learn more about BEST, visit our website www.BEST.eu.org.

Good luck with your applications! :)

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