

Terms & Conditions

Requirements and selection process:

1. The Alpine Convention Photo Contest 2021 is open to everyone.
2. A maximum of **five photos** per participant will be accepted.
3. The photos do not necessarily have to be taken during the course of the competition.
4. The photos **should be taken within the geographical perimeter of the [Alpine Convention](#)**.
5. To ensure good quality, only **pictures in landscape format with a minimum size of 8 megapixels will be accepted**.
6. Only applications **submitted through the [online form](#)** will be eligible for participation.
7. **The deadline** for the upload and submission of the online form and photos is **31st August 2021 at 23:59 (CET)**.
8. Members of the Permanent Secretariat of the Alpine Convention, the Swiss Delegation to the Alpine Convention and the jury, as well as their relatives, are excluded from participation.
9. The best photos will be selected by a jury chosen by the Permanent Secretariat and the Swiss Presidency of the Alpine Convention according to the voting procedure developed by the Permanent Secretariat. The decisions of the jury are final and not subject to any form of appeal.
10. The thirteen best photos will be published in the 2022 Alpine Convention calendar. The authors will be credited.

Personal data:

1. Participation in the 2021 Photo Contest requires the contestants to submit a minimum of personal data. These data will be used solely in the scope of the 2021 Photo Contest and will not be shared with third parties. In case the photo will be published on the calendar, the name of the author will be published to give the credit.
2. By submitting the photos, the participant claims the authorship of the picture and agrees to indemnify the Permanent Secretariat from any and all third-party claims arising from the use of the photo (such as copyright claims for showing works of art or for depicting people). If the photos show persons, the participant ensures that he/she received express authorisation for the publication of the photo by the person(s) shown.
3. By submitting the photos, the participant grants the Permanent Secretariat the non-exclusive right – without limitation as to territory, time and scope and including cropping or other modifications – to use the photos for communication and public relations purposes (publications, public events, newsletter, social media, etc.); the name of the photographer will always be indicated.
4. In case of travel, movement or any other restrictions still in place due to the Covid-19 pandemic, participants must commit to respecting and following the regulations of their national and local public health authorities in any activity that is related to their participation in the 2021 Photo Contest.