



Press release

InnEO'Space PhD project ran successfully its 2nd Summer School from 25 to 29 July 2022

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InnEO'Space PhD project is preparing young researchers for a **successful career** by developing modernized and transferable PhD courses and learning resources based on innovation skills and employers' needs as well as in-depth knowledge of high stakes and approaches of Earth Observation in any application domains.

One of the tools developed to achieve these objectives is the **InnEO summer schools** focused on **open science innovation through Earth Observation**.

The point of the InnEO summer schools is to equip PhD students with skills and resources to help them in developing their career at any level of it. The summer school is composed of two complementary parts:

- High-level scientific lectures in the latest artificial intelligence models: machine learning, deep learning and EO applications
- soft and transferable skills development that foster employability and innovation:
 - o Open Science skills research project management skills, research integrity and ethics skills, IPR and IP, and legal skills
 - o Soft Skills development class: communication, management, problem-solving approach.

From July 25 to 29, the partners involved in InnEO'Space part ran the 2nd Summer School of the project. This edition entirely done in remote **welcomed 48 PhD Students** (30 young gentlemen and 18 young ladies).

They came from 9 different countries: Croatia (1), France (13), Germany (2), Hungary (1), Italy (25), Nigeria (1), Poland (1), Republic of Moldova (1) and Romania (3).

During the InnEO Summer School, attendees have developed new skills both in excellence (modern EO applications using machine and deep learning techniques) and soft skills that are useful for employability out of academics, while it can also be useful in academic jobs.

Brice, one of the participants said "I really liked the good balance between theory and practical work, also between technical and soft skills. It was a very interesting time".

The activities recordings, contents and feedback made for both InnEO Schools will be reused in the future InnEO platform. Stay tuned, dedicated communication about that topic will be done shortly.

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More Information: Supported for 30 months by the European Commission within the agreement number 1010062275, InnEO'Space_PhD has started on 1st December 2020. This project is coordinated by Josiane MOTHE, researcher at IRIT laboratory for the INSPE, University Jean Jaurés in Toulouse (FR) and, followed with two additional universities, Universitatea Transilvania Din Brasov (RO) and Università Degli Studi Di Roma Tor Vergata (IT) along with Aerospace Valley (FR), the biggest european cluster for aeronautics, space and drones and finally Remedia Italia (IT), an international company expert in communication and e-learning products specialized in earth observation.

