



## Press release

### INNEO SPACE PHD PROJECT SUCCESSFULLY CONCLUDED, EMPOWERING THE EMPLOYABILITY OF YOUNG GRADUATES IN THE SPACE INDUSTRY



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***InnEO Space activities were attended by no fewer than 200 people, who had the opportunity to benefit from the project's various services, such as the StarTech program, the Summer School and the "Space Academy" SPOC platform.***

InnEO Space PhD, the groundbreaking European project aimed at empowering doctoral candidates and early-career researchers with the knowledge and skills needed to excel in the space industry, proudly announces the successful conclusion of its objectives. Through its highly acclaimed summer schools, transformative StarTech program, and the establishment of the Space Academy platform, InnEO Space PhD has revolutionized doctoral education and fostered a thriving community of research-driven innovators.

Throughout its journey, InnEO Space PhD has made significant strides in empowering doctoral candidates and cultivating a culture of innovation. The summer schools, attended by a diverse array of participants, provided invaluable opportunities for knowledge exchange, networking, and hands-on skill development. These events attracted a wide range of applicants, demonstrating the project's extensive reach and impact.

The StarTech program, a cornerstone of InnEO Space PhD, has proven to be a resounding success. Specifically tailored to the unique needs of doctoral candidates, the program equipped participants with the necessary knowledge and resources to think and act as innovators in the space industry. The remarkable statistics speak for themselves, with a significant number of doctoral candidates showcasing their motivation, skills (via videos), and consent to participate in this transformative experience.

The establishment of [the Space Academy platform](#) further contributed to the growth and cohesion of the InnEO Space community. Regular updates on the website, effective communication strategies, and a strategic partnership with ActInSpace ensured the dissemination of knowledge, collaboration, and exchange of ideas among project participants. The project's commitment to fostering a dynamic and inclusive environment for innovation has led to a flourishing community of research-driven aspiring innovators.

With its successful implementation and remarkable outcomes, InnEO Space PhD has set a new standard for doctoral education in Europe. The project's achievements bear witness to its dedication to promoting innovation and empowering the next generation of leaders in the space industry. As the project looks towards the future, it remains committed to nurturing talent, fostering collaboration, and shaping the leaders of tomorrow.

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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.*

