



DAISSy-HOU announces the Online Circular Business Plan Competition through the "RE-START" project

The [DAISSy Research Group of the Hellenic Open University \(HOU\)](#) announces the **Circular Business Plan Competition**, to be implemented through the [RE-START - Reinforcing the Circular Economy Model for START-Ups](#) european project.

In this context, DAISSy-HOU invites **students, graduates and young entrepreneurs** with an innovative business idea in the sector of **Circular Economy (CE)**, to participate in the competition, to be held **online on 30th October 2023 at 16.00 (EEST)**.

More precisely:

- The candidates are invited to submit their [application form](#) by **15th October 2023**.
- Participants will receive guidance in order to be thoroughly prepared for the competition.
- **Business consulting and mentoring, networking with investors and monetary prizes** await the **winning teams** after the completion of the competition.

👉 The [RE-START](#) is a two-year project co-funded by the European Commission's Erasmus+ programme, that aims at encouraging and guiding students in Higher Education Institutes (HEIs), recent graduates and potential startups to develop a circular start-up or transform their business idea into a circular one following the definition of the circular start-ups which characterizes them as business models based on implementing at least one out of the five (5) **CE strategies: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Recover and Regenerate**.

👉 The project is implemented by a consortium of six (6) partners representing five (5) European countries (Cyprus, Greece, Spain, Portugal, Portugal, Poland). The DAISSy Research Group of the Hellenic Open University, the Greek partner, participates in all deliverables of the RE-START project and is responsible for the development of the [Circular Business Plan Toolkit](#).

For more information about the **RE-START** project and other activities of DAISSy-HOU:

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Join & Win The Future!

Is your entrepreneurial idea the one that will conquer the world?

Are you a student, a graduate, or a young startupper in your first entrepreneurial steps?

Take part in our Online Circular Business Plan Competition
on October 30th, 2023 and find out!

APPLY NOW!

