

|4CHALLENGE | BASEL
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Innovative solutions for Industry 4.0 transformation



Now accepting applications

The i4Challenge is an acceleration program for SME, startups and new projects focused on innovative solutions, new approaches and next-generation products or services for Industry 4.0 transformation in:

- Customer-centered innovation
- Digital transformation
- Digital factory
- Smart factory
- Digital business transformation
- Robotics; IoT; AI; VR; AR
- Information technology
- 3D printing

The 4th edition of the i4Challenge is open for



SME

with sustainable Industry 4.0 solutions or services



Startups

with innovative new Industry 4.0 solutions or services



New Ideas

open to students, intrapreneurs, entrepreneurs and tech teams with great new ideas for Industry 4.0 innovations

Key dates:

Application 01.04.–15.07.2021

Jury evaluation 24.08.–25.08.2021

Winners announced 30.09.2021

BE 4.0 Mullhouse (SME and Startup)

30.11.–01.12.2021

Accelerator Program in Jura (New Ideas)

January–June 2022

Is your project next?

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i4Challenge benefits

Winning projects of the i4Challenge receive a number of benefits to help foster the successful commercial launch and business success of Industry 4.0 projects.

All categories benefit from

- Exposure through Basel Area Business & Innovation online channels
- Access to the Basel Area Business & Innovation Industry 4.0 network of experts, innovators, businesses, investors and more
- Mentoring from industry experts

Additionally for SME and Startups

- An exhibition space at the BE 4.0 trade fair in Mulhouse
- Option of appearing as a key note speaker at one of our events
- Access to a coworking space for six months in one of our Switzerland Innovation Park Basel Area sites
- Free one-year membership of the Société Industrielle de Mulhouse (SIM)
- Privileged access to the network and activities of the partners of the Interreg Titan-e project

Accelerator Program in the Canton of Jura for New Ideas

- Tailormade mentoring from industry experts
- Support for further development of the idea
- Access to a coworking space for six months at the Switzerland Innovation Park Basel Area Site Jura



About i4Challenge

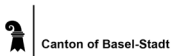
The ultimate goal of the program is to enable a thriving production technology and industrial innovation ecosystem. Focused on innovative solutions, new approaches and next-generation products or services for industrial transformation, the i4Challenge, in partnership with Titan-e (Transborder Innovation and Technology Advanced Networks of Enterprises), offers a platform to help SME, startups and Industry 4.0 projects promote their products or services.

Eligible are applications from Switzerland, Alsace France, and Baden-Württemberg Germany. Submissions for SME and Startup categories must be able to demonstrate a prototype or a product.

About Basel Area Business & Innovation

Basel Area Business & Innovation is your connection to professional resources and helps you find business success in the Basel Area. Within our vibrant ecosystem we build a community of innovators, thought leaders, experts and stakeholders. We develop collaborative projects and accelerators, and offer workspaces that support innovation and growth.

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