

2019 EVERGREEN INNOVATION CAMP - A 48-HOUR HACKATHON

What is a hackathon? A hackathon is a unique opportunity to get together with different people to work on exciting ideas. Supported by mentors and experts, a team develops a prototype, code, concept or business model for an innovative solution within a narrow time frame (in our case 48 hours).

Topic for 2019: traceability – finding solutions for tracing timber from the forest to the sawmill

Target group: students from different fields of study and young professionals who may apply to participate on their own or as a team.

At the end of the event, each team will have the chance to convince the high-profile jury of the value of their idea before the winning team is selected.

The winning project will be presented to the public and the prize awarded during an event at the BOKU (University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna), on **29 November 2019**.

For more information please also visit the website www.evergreen-innovationcamp.io

The name of the event, Evergreen Innovation Camp, reflects the change of the foundation's name – the Schweighofer Private Foundation, sponsor of the Schweighofer Prize – to the Evergreen Private Foundation.

The objective of the Evergreen Private Foundation – like that of the Schweighofer Private Foundation before it – is to encourage innovation in the forestry and timber industry and support other charitable and benevolent purposes.