Competition rules

1. A maximum of ten people may participate in the seventh Three Headed Monkey Awards video game competition, on an individual or collective basis. Studios established as legal entities (SL, SA, SLP, SLU, SCP, etc.) may also enter.

2. Entrants may submit as many video games as they wish, providing that they are in the final stages of development. Individuals can participate both individually and/or as part of a group, and/or as a member of a studio, entering one or more awards and categories with one or more different projects.

3. The means of presentation and deadlines are established in the call.

4. The members of the group must be the authors of the entire project, which must be original and may not have been developed, either partly or wholly, by any other person or institution that is not part of the group, and which must be the result of their knowledge and/or personal experiences.

5. This competition is amateur or indie in nature. The competition is aimed at students (higher secondary education, training cycles, bachelor’s degree courses, master’s degree courses, etc.) and/or young developers and small recently established indie studios. Projects by studios that have not published any games will be admitted, even if they already have a publisher and games subsequent to others published by the same studio on web portals (simple flash/html5 games). Projects published before 2017 and games that have generated financial gains or market positioning which may represent a disadvantage for other participants (students and young developers) will not be accepted.

   The jury reserves the right to request any information from the participant(s) of the project concerning these rules.

6. The subject matter of the project may be freely chosen, and may not have content considered to be illegal, defamatory, sexist, racist, xenophobic, discriminatory, pornographic, or which in any way infringes the rights of third parties or is contrary to morals, public order or decency.

7. The Fundació Politècnica de Catalunya cannot be held responsible for the content of the projects presented.

8. The Fundació Politècnica de Catalunya accepts no legal responsibility for the content of the candidatures submitted to the competition.

9. There will be four prizes: the prize for the Best Mobile Video Game, amounting to 3,000 €; the prize for the Best UPC Mobile Video Game, amounting to 1,500 €; the prize for the Best Mobile Video Game, amounting to 1,500 € and an honourable mention for the Best Video Game according to the Public, with a prize of 1,500 €.

10. The prizes awarded are pre-tax sums, which are subject to any deductions of any kind that are applicable when they are awarded.

11. To be eligible for the Best UPC Video Game, at least a majority of the members of the group must be students or former students at the Universitat Politècnica de
12. Anyone may vote in the honourable mention according to the public, regardless of gender, education or nationality. Voting will take place on the website www.upcvideogames.com

13. A project may be disqualified from the competition if the jury finds that there may have been a malicious use of the voting system for the Prize from the Public.

14. The jury will consist of several professionals from the video game industry and the Fundació Politècnica de Catalunya. The members of the Jury will be announced on the website http://www.upcvideogames.edu before 4th April 2019. The jury's decision is final.

15. The winners and finalists agree to their names being published and disseminated by the Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya and the Fundació Politècnica de Catalunya, and like those of all the participants, they will be added to the database of those institutions for the purposes of providing information about the activities that they undertake. If the competition is entered as a legal entity, the natural persons that constitute it must authorise the transfer of their personal data to the member of the entity responsible for registering for the competition, in accordance with current legislation. The consent of the legal representatives of minors participating in the competition will be necessary, and these representatives declare that they are aware of and accept the content, development and participation; signing any documents to that effect that are necessary to that end. They may be accessed, modified, cancelled or opposed by sending an email to info.dades@talent.upc.edu

16. The Fundació Politècnica de Catalunya reserves the right to request documentation accrediting the status of students or former students of the Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya.

17. The author(s) of the participating projects will only assign the public communication rights referring to the total or partial dissemination and image of the project to the Fundació Politècnica de Catalunya for a period of 10 years. Distribution rights and other exploitation rights will under no circumstances be included in this assignment.

18. The Fundació Politècnica de Catalunya reserves the right to change these rules without notice, in which case they will be published at www.upcvideogames.com.

19. Presentation of a candidature to the sixth Three Headed Monkey Award competition means that you have read and accepted these rules.

20. All matters not specifically covered in these rules shall be governed by the provisions of the call and on a secondary basis, by the decisions of the jury of the prize.

21. Acceptance of these rules entails compliance with them. If the information provided is deemed untrue, the candidature shall be automatically disqualified.

Barcelona, 19th December 2018