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spoga horse TOP INNOVATIONS enters the 4th round in 2024

+++ International jury selects the best 30 equestrian industry innovations worldwide +++ 5 winners receive the distinction spoga horse TOP INNOVATION +++ Apply now - the entry deadline is 1 December 2023 +++

spoga horse is presenting the most famous innovation competition of the equestrian industry for the 4th time already. The applications can be submitted immediately via spoga horse's website. The entry deadline is 1 December 2023.

Special participation conditions

All registered spoga horse exhibitors and young start-ups that have not been on the market for longer than 5 years are eligible for participation. The participation fee is €255 per product. The further terms and conditions are available under the following <u>link</u>.

International jury

The internationally renowned jury will select the 30 strongest innovations from among all of the entries. The 30 nominees will be announced on 15 January 2024. The best 5 innovations will be awarded the title spoga horse TOP INNOVATION and the respective trophy at spoga horse 2024 on 3 February during the prestigious award ceremony on the STAGE.

The jury for 2024 comprises of experts from the sections Professionals, Retailers and Influencers:

Influencer:

- Hella Gabbert, Influencer from Germany
- Evan Donadt, Social Media Content Creator from the USA

Retailer:

- Andreas Manski, Specialised Dealer from Germany winner of the Reitsport BRANCHE Retailer Award 2023
- Beata Dahlén, Buyer/Product Developer of the company Hööks from Sweden

Professional:

- Malin Hansen, Eventer and Trainer from Germany
- Thibault Delattre, Project Manager & International Manager of Pole Hippolia from France

Evaluation criteria



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Headquarters and place of jurisdiction: Cologne District Court Cologne, HRB 952



The jury evaluates the innovations according to the following 8 criteria:

- Mini pitch for the product (possible as a video link)

- Innovation strategy & approach
- Sustainability
- Differentiation to rival products
- Durability & quality
- Functionality and operation
- Design
- Overall concept

About spoga horse

spoga horse is the leading B2B trade fair for the worldwide equestrian industry and takes place once a year in Cologne. With its high number of exhibitors and visitors and its in future significantly extensive digital offer, spoga horse is the B2B platform and the "place-to-be" with the most relevance and the highest reach within the industry.

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