

The Higher Education Sprout Project

【2026 STUST ESP Presentation Competition】

May 13th, 2026

Competition Guidelines

- Purpose:** This contest aims to arouse students' interest in English learning by encouraging undergraduates to practice their English speaking and presentation skills and perform a presentation on topics that are innovative, creative, and, most importantly, interdisciplinary.
- Organizer:** The Center for Bilingual Education, STUST
- Participants :** Undergraduate students (Year 1 to Year 4) enrolled in the university's daytime program. The competition will be conducted on an individual basis.
- Important Date**

Date	Time	Event	Venue
April 10 th , 2026	8:30 am	Deadline for registration & Preliminary Document Submission	Google Form-Registration
April 15 th , 2026	by 17:30	Announce the Shortlist for the Final	Website and Email
May 6 th or 8 th	14:00-17:00	Files and microphones Testing	T0004
May 11 th , 2026	by 12:00 pm	Deadline for PPT files Submission	Google Form-決賽簡報
May 13 th , 2026	14:00-16:30	The ESP Presentation Competition Final	T0004

5. Rules

	Individual Category
PPT Slides Limit	Presentations may consist of one to several slides that can be completed within the allotted time, plus one cover slide.
Presentation Length	2-4 minutes
Topic	Topics should cover innovative, creative and interdisciplinary subjects of modern trends in technology, science or some other current issues
Registration & Preliminary Submission	Participants need to register and submit their presentation script for preliminary screening by April 10th, 2026. Please apply the template. Download the template at our webpage " Registration & Preliminary "
Google Form for Registration and Preliminary Submission	Registration & Preliminary Submission Form https://forms.gle/JnVWBnTmEAdCNkTW6
Preliminary Results & Finalist Announcement	The result will be announced by April 15th, 2026 at our webpage " Shortlist " and Email to the participants. Your topic and script can be revised or modified based on your presentation framework or outline. However, do not change your presentation into a brand new one after you pass the preliminary.
Number of Finalists	10 -16 contestants
Rehearsal	The finalists can test the microphone and PPT in the contest hall on the afternoon of May 6 th or 8 th , 2026. Please make an appointment with The Center for Bilingual Education if you want to rehearse at the contest hall. If there's any change in the time and the date, the finalists will get a notice. Please check your STUST email regularly.

	Individual Category
Final PPT slides Submission	<p>Finalists are required to upload the final version of the presentation file to the designated Google Form (https://forms.gle/vywGBrsKYsj7uh2e8) by 12:00 p.m. on Monday, May 11, 2026. Only .pptx files will be accepted.</p> <p>To ensure smooth competition procedures, no time will be provided on the final competition day for file review or testing.</p> <p>If revisions are needed after submission, finalists must bring the updated final presentation file on the competition day. Otherwise, the version submitted by May 11 will be used.</p>
Final Presentation Time	14:00~16:30
Venue for Final	T0004 (provisional)
Contestants Check-in & Draw Lots	13:45~14:00, May 13 th , 2026 (provisional)
Notes for Check-in	<p>The finalists should check in with their Student ID cards and draw lots 15 minutes before the contest. Those who fail to complete the registration within the deadline will be regarded as withdrawn.</p>
Penalty Conditions	<p>The presentation should be within 4 minutes. A bell will ring once at 3 minutes, and three times when reaching 4 minutes. The presenters must conclude the presentation immediately and leave the stage at the 4-minute ring. Exceeding the 4-minute time limit or falling below the 2-minute threshold will result in a deduction of 5 points from the overall score.</p>
	<p>Finalists must be in the contest hall during the whole contest. 10 points will be deducted from the total score if the contestant brings mobile phones or reads notes on the stage.</p>
9 Judging Criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● PPT content 40% (creativity, visual design, organization, ESP terminology, etc.) ● Stage performance 50% (pronunciation, intonation, fluency, accuracy, presenting skills, etc.) ● Body language and Demeanor 10% (eye contact, gesture, costume and demeanor)
Awards & Prizes	<p>Outstanding Award: NT\$5,000</p> <p>Distinguished Award: NT\$4,000</p> <p>First place: NT\$3,000</p> <p>Second place: NT\$2,000</p> <p>Third place: NT\$1,000</p> <p>Honorable Mention Awards (3 awards): NT\$500</p>
Task Rewards	<p>1 point for those who finish the registration process and submit a qualified preliminary document</p> <p>1 point for those who are listed on the shortlist</p> <p>1 point for those who attend and present on the final competition day</p>

6. Should there be any modification of the guidelines, the Center for Bilingual Education will inform each contestant at once by STUST email.
7. For further questions, please contact Meg Wang at The Center for Bilingual Education (T0101) megwang0613@stust.edu.tw
8. Website: <https://sites.google.com/stust.edu.tw/esp-presentation-contest>