

Privacy policy

The following privacy policy informs you about the processing of personal data collected in connection with your participation in the "International Young Talent Program" of the Airbag Symposium in Karlsruhe (hereinafter referred to as the Symposium). Your personal data will be processed in compliance with the applicable data protection regulations.

1. Name and contact details of the person responsible for processing the data, and the institute's data protection officer

This privacy policy applies to data processing by:

Person responsible: Fraunhofer Institute for Chemical Technology ICT
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The data protection officer at Fraunhofer ICT can be contacted at the above address, Attn. Data Protection Department, or at datenschutz@ict.fraunhofer.de.

2. Processing of your personal data and the nature and purpose of its use

a) When registering for the Symposium

We will collect the following personal information when you register for the Symposium:

- title, first name, last name,
- a valid e-mail address,
- a curriculum vitae,
- details of your course of study (thematic field, specialization)

This data is collected,

- to be able to identify you as a participant and contractual partner;
- to check the data for plausibility;

- to reserve your place as a Symposium participant;
- to plan and ensure the smooth running of the Symposium and to inform you immediately of any changes.

The data is processed at your request and is necessary for the aforementioned purposes for the fulfillment of the contract and pre-contractual measures in accordance with Art. 6 para. 1 sentence 1 lit. b of the GDPR.

The personal data we collect for the Symposium will be stored until the expiry of the statutory warranty obligation and then automatically deleted, unless we are obliged to store it for a longer period of time in accordance with Article 6 para. 1 sentence 1 lit. c of the GDPR due to tax and commercial law storage and documentation obligations (from the HGB, StGB or AO), or you have consented to further storage in accordance with Art. 6 para. 1 sentence 1 lit. a of the GDPR.

b) Image and video recordings

Photos and videos will be taken to document the Symposium. It is possible that you can be directly or indirectly identified in the recordings, so this falls under the definition of personal data.

The recordings will be made for Fraunhofer and used for news items directly connected with the Symposium and for internal and external reporting by and through Fraunhofer.

In addition, the recordings will be published in the context of follow-up news items on our media platforms such as Facebook, X, LinkedIn or our website. This processing is necessary in particular to document our Symposium and to advertise future events.

Data processing will be carried out according to Art. 6 para. 1 sentence 1 lit. f of the GDPR. The aforementioned purposes are legitimate interests within the scope of this provision.

The recordings will be stored for 5 years.

3. Disclosure of data to third parties

Your personal data will not be disclosed to third parties for purposes other than those listed below.

a) For contract processing

Insofar as this is legally permissible and necessary for the completion and handling of a contract relationship with you in accordance with Art. 6 para. 1 sentence 1 lit. b GDPR, your personal data will be disclosed to third parties. This includes in particular disclosure to Symposium partners for the purpose of planning and implementing the event. The disclosed data may be used by the third party exclusively for the stated purposes.

b) Other purposes

In addition, we will only disclose your personal data to third parties if:

- You have given your express consent to this in accordance with Art. 6 para. 1 sentence 1 lit. a GDPR,
- in the event that there is a legal obligation for disclosure according to Art. 6 para. 1 sentence 1 lit. c GDPR, and
- the disclosure in accordance with Art. 6 para. 1 sentence 1 lit. f GDPR is necessary for the assertion, exercise or defense of legal claims and there is no reason to assume that you have an overriding interest worthy of protection in not disclosing your data.

4. Rights of data subjects

You have the right to:

- to revoke your consent to us at any time in accordance with Art. 7 para. 3 GDPR. If this occurs, we can no longer continue the data processing that was based on this consent in the future;
- to request information about your personal data processed by us in accordance with Art. 15 GDPR. In particular, you can obtain information about the purposes of processing; the category of personal data; the categories of recipients to whom your data has been or will be disclosed; the planned storage period; the existence of a right to rectification, erasure, restriction of processing or objection; the existence of a right to lodge a complaint; the origin of your data if it has not been collected by us; and the existence of an automated decision-making process including profiling and, where applicable, meaningful information on the details thereof;
- to request the immediate correction of incorrect or incomplete personal data stored by us, in accordance with Art. 16 GDPR;
- to demand the deletion of your personal data stored by us, in accordance with Art. 17 GDPR, unless its processing is necessary to exercise the right to freedom of expression and information, to fulfill a legal obligation, for reasons of public interest or to assert, exercise or defend legal claims;
- to demand the restriction of the processing of your personal data, in accordance with Art. 18 GDPR, if you dispute the accuracy of the data, or if the processing is unlawful but you refuse to delete it, and if we no longer need the data, but you need it to assert, exercise or defend legal claims, or you have lodged an objection to the processing in accordance with Art. 21 GDPR;
- to obtain your personal data that you have provided to us in a structured, commonly used and machine-readable format or to request that it be transmitted to another responsible person, in accordance with Art. 20 GDPR, and
- to lodge a complaint with a supervisory authority in accordance with Art. 77 GDPR. In general, you can contact the supervisory authority of your usual place of residence or workplace or our institute headquarters.

5. Right of objection

If your personal data is being processed on the basis of legitimate interests in accordance with Art. 6 para. 1 sentence 1 lit. f GDPR, you have the right to object to its processing in accordance with Art. 21 GDPR, provided that there are reasons for this arising from your particular situation, or the objection pertains to direct advertising. In the latter case, you have a general right to object, which will be recognized by us without specifying a particular situation.

If you wish to exercise your right to object, please send an e-mail to datenschutz@ict.fraunhofer.de.