BRITISH COUNCIL FAMELAB COMPETITION 2015 TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The competition is organised by the British Council (henceforth called the Organisers), based in Athens at 17 Kolonaki Square.

2. The aim of the International FameLab competition is to attract participants from the whole of Greece and identify the best new talent in science communication.

3. The deadline for the receipt of registration forms is 28 February 2015 (23.59). The Organisers have the right to extend or reduce the duration of the competition for a good reason or for force majeure.

4. Participants must be 18 years old or over, permanent residents of Greece, and pursuing studies or working in any scientific field. They will be given a maximum of three minutes (qualifying rounds) and three minutes (finals) in which to impress the judges with an entertaining, original and scientifically accurate presentation. Employees of the British Council and their next of kin are not allowed to participate in the competition.

5. Participants must complete and submit by 28 February 2015 (23.59) the registration form, which they can download from the British Council website or collect from our offices in Athens (17 Kolonaki Square) and Thessaloniki (4th Floor, 43 Tsimiski Street, Emporiko Kentro Plateia). Completed registration forms must be submitted to the British Council (Athens: 17 Kolonaki square, 106 73 Athens or Thessaloniki: PO Box 12004, 541 01 Thessaloniki) or via email.

6. Completed registration forms will be submitted to a panel of judges selected by the Organisers.

7. The competition winners will be announced on the British Council website www.britishcouncil.gr. The winners will also be notified in writing by registered mail at the address provided on their registration form.

8. The prize for the ten finalists who qualify for the final round is attendance at a weekend Masterclass in science communication, where they will have the opportunity to work with science communicators/media trainers and improve their media presentation skills. The winner of the Greek FameLab 2015 competition will attend the Cheltenham Science Festival in the UK from 2–7 June 2015, where he/she will be able to participate in FameLab International together with the other winners. The winner will also receive a tablet, the 2nd and 3rd prize will be a mobile phone. There will also be an audience award. The Organisers accept no responsibility in the event that prizes are not collected by 30 September 2015. After that, the Organisers have no obligation to award the prizes. The Organisers accept no responsibility if the address given is incorrect or if the post office and/or the email addresses are not functioning.

9. The prizes are personal and cannot be transferred to another person or exchanged for money.

10. The winner consents to appear in related promotional material and to have his/her name and photo or video used for the purposes of promotion by the Organisers without receiving any remuneration or indemnity.

11. Participation in the competition presupposes and entails unreserved acceptance of all the terms and conditions presented herewith.

12. Participation in the competition presupposes and entails explicit and unconditional consent to the Organisers to keep personal data as valid, according to Law 2472/1997, Law 2774/1999 and the decisions/instructions of the Data Protection Authority. The data that the Organisers collect in the framework of this particular competition will be used exclusively for the needs of this competition, for statistical purposes, as well as for communication with the winner, unless stated otherwise during registration. Participants have the right to ask for a copy of the information the Organisers hold on him/her, and the right to object to, modify or delete this personal information, and have temporary judicial protection, according to the specific provisions of the relevant legislation.