



## EO Data Challenge

# Privacy statement on the protection of personal data

## Introduction

FOSS4G EO Data Challenge Committee is committed to user privacy. The policy on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Community institutions is based on Regulation (EU) N° 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2018 and on the free movement of such data.

## Why do we collect, store and process your data?

We collect and process your personal information (name, email) for these purposes:

- Enable you to participate in the Challenge;
- Putting you in contact with the Mentors and Infrastructure Providers;
- Notifying you about the Challenge results;
- Solve the incidents you might experience while participating at the Challenge.

Collected personal data is treated according to the policy described in the above-mentioned regulation. No processing operations on personal data falling under article 27 "Prior-Checking by the EDPS" are applicable.

## Who is responsible for the processing of your data? (Controller)

Your data is processed under the responsibility of the FOSS4G EO Data Challenge Committee. The Committee ensures that the provisions of the above-mentioned regulation are applied within the Challenge.

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## What personal data do we collect?

FOSS4G EO Data Challenge Committee will process the personal data only for the purposes for which they were transmitted:

- Identity;
- E-mail address;
- Affiliation;
- The registration system uses:
  - Session "cookies" in order to ensure communication between the client and the server. Therefore, user's browser must be configured to accept "cookies". The cookies disappear once the session has been terminated.
  - Local storage to save copies of the inputs of a participant to the Challenge registration form;
  - Once a participant has submitted successfully the registration information to the server or has successfully saved a draft on the server, the data is removed from the local storage.

## To whom is your data disclosed?

Only FOSS4G EO Challenge team have access to your data (committee members, mentors and infrastructure providers).

The FOSS4G EO Challenge team does not transmit any data to parties which are outside these recipients and the legal framework mentioned, without prejudice to a possible transmission to the bodies in charge of an inspection task in accordance with Community legislation, e.g. OLAF, or an investigating magistrate. FOSS4G EO Data Challenge Committee will not share personal data with third parties for direct marketing.

## For how long is your data kept?

Contributors' personal data will remain in the database until the end of the Challenge or until the Participants have requested their removal.

The cookies disappear once the session has been terminated.

## How can you access your data, check their accuracy and, if needed, correct them?

You can contact the FOSS4G EO Data Challenge team. Contact by e-mail:

[challenge.foss4g2019@gmail.com](mailto:challenge.foss4g2019@gmail.com).

# What are the contact points for questions or complaints?

If you have concerns about the processing of your personal information in FOSS4G EO Data Challenge, feel free to contact the Committee Chair, Mr. Ion Nedelcu, for the processing of these data: Contact by e-mail: [ion.nedelcu@rosa.ro](mailto:ion.nedelcu@rosa.ro).

## Recourse

Complaints, in case of conflict, can be addressed:

- To the [data-protection-officer of the European Commission](#). Contact by e-mail: [DATA-PROTECTION-OFFICER@ec.europa.eu](mailto:DATA-PROTECTION-OFFICER@ec.europa.eu)
- To the [European Data Protection Supervisor](#). Contact: [https://edps.europa.eu/data-protection/our-role-supervisor/complaints\\_en](https://edps.europa.eu/data-protection/our-role-supervisor/complaints_en)

