Call for Submissions:
2026 GOLC International Online Laboratory Awards

Presented by the Global Online Laboratory Consortium (GOLC)

You are cordially invited to submit a proposal for the **2026 International Online Laboratory Awards**, presented by the Global Online Laboratory Consortium (GOLC) as part of the International Association of Online Engineering (IAOE). With this award, GOLC and IAOE search for stellar examples of Online Laboratories in educational settings from all STEM fields.

Awards will be given for outstanding online laboratories in three categories:

- **Remotely Controlled Experiments**

- **Simulated and Digitally Visualized Experiments,** and

- **Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality Experiments.**

GOLC is an international group of researchers and practitioners under the umbrella of IAOE that brings together researchers and practitioners in all forms of online experimentation. GOLC's involvement in international conferences and relevant journals and its strong membership base continue to advance the state of the art of the online laboratory field worldwide in all areas of education.

The awardees will be announced in 2026 during the 23rd International Conference on Smart Technologies & Education (STE) in Brasov, Romania (STE2026). It is not required to attend the conference to enter the competition. However, the award winners in each category will receive one free STE 2026 conference ticket for one person per category to accept the award in person. We are looking forward to meeting you at STE 2026!

Submissions deadline: 01 December 2025 (extended)

The entry submission page is part of the STE2026 ConfTool and will be made available in time through the STE2026 homepage. For more details regarding the award, please check the GOLC award homepage or reach out to us.

We look forward to your submissions!

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