

## **Blasting Video Contest / Blasting Video Contest and Participation Specifications**

**The Blasting Video Contest is organized by the Istanbul Branch of the Chamber of Mining Engineers of Turkiye. The first edition of this contest will be held in conjunction with the FRAGBLAST 14 Symposium and Exhibition.** The goal of the contest is to foster solidarity among professionals in the drilling and blasting, and mining industries, and to showcase their work through video recordings of blasting operations.

Videos selected from those submitted by individuals currently or previously working in blasting operations and demolitions will be showcased during the **FRAGBLAST 14 Symposium and Exhibition**, which will take place from **April 7-10, 2025**, in Antalya, Turkey. Participants are encouraged to submit any videos related to blasting operations.

**Contest Theme:** Blasting, underground blasting, surface mine blasting, construction excavation blasting, demolition involved blasting, underwater blasting and other specialized blasting operations.

**Contest Prize:** The top three videos, as judged by the Selection Committee, will receive complimentary registration and accommodation for the FRAGBLAST 14 Symposium and Exhibition.

**Submission Deadline:** December 31, 2024.

### **Video Contest Participation Rules:**

- Videos submitted to the contest that are observed to have violated occupational health and safety regulations during filming will not be considered for evaluation.
- Only videos related to the specified contest themes will be evaluated. Submissions that do not meet these criteria will be disregarded.
- Videos must be of high resolution and quality, with a minimum resolution of 1920x1080 pixels (HD), and should not exceed 60 seconds.
- The video must not contain any personal identifiers such as names, signatures, logos, etc., of the participant.
- Videos should be recorded in horizontal (16:9) format.

- Submitted videos may be used by the Chamber of Mining Engineers of Turkey in any manner and location, free of charge.
- Members of the Selection Committee and the National and International Committees of FRAGBLAST-14 are not eligible to participate to the contest.
- Submitted videos must not have been previously entered in any other competition.
- Participants may submit a maximum of three videos.
- By submitting a video, the participant confirms that the work is entirely their own or that of their company, and that all necessary permissions have been obtained. Videos found to be in violation of these terms will not be evaluated. The video owner is responsible for any legal issues that may arise after submission.

**c) Identity Information:**

Participants will fill out the "Blasting Video Contest Participation Form" completely and make a "Personal Statement". The participation form will include the row number, company, project, location and date information for each video.

**d) Sending Videos:**

Videos can be send by registering through "[www.fragblast.org.tr/video](http://www.fragblast.org.tr/video)" section and receiving a download link, or by emailing the registration form and download link to "[video@fragblast.org.tr](mailto:video@fragblast.org.tr)"

*Videos can also be send via file-sharing sites such as Google Drive, WeTransfer, or TransferXL*

**e) Competition Schedule:**

Announcement and Announcement : August 1, 2024

Last Participation Date : December 31, 2025

Evaluation of the Selected Board : January 10, 2025

Announcement of Results : January 15, 2025

Publication of Videos : April 7, 2025

Publication Venue : FRAGBLAST 14 Symposium and Exhibition & Social Media

**f) Selection Committee:**

- Dr. Abdulkadir Karadođan, Mining Engineer (MSc), Academician
- Selçuk ŐimŐek, Mining Engineer, Tunnel Engineer
- Dr. Meriç Can Özyurt, Mining Engineer (MSc), Academician
- Mehmet Makar, Mining Engineer, Occupational Safety Specialist
- Dr. Zeynep Sertabipođlu, Mining Engineer (MSc), Academician
- Emre Nam, Mining Engineer, Work Inspector
- Dr. Ülkü Kalaycıođlu, Mining Engineer (MSc), Academician
- BüŐra Genç, Mining Engineer, Open Pit Engineer
- Mahmut Sezgin MemiŐ, Mining Engineer, Video Maker

**g) Evaluation and Video Selection:**

The Selection Committee will evaluate the videos participating in the competition in terms of suitability for the theme and vote for screening and awards.

**Copyright:**

Selected videos will be shown at the Fragblast 14 Symposium and Exhibition in April 2025. The selected videos can be used free of charge by TMMOB Chamber of Mining Engineers without any income/commercial purpose. Other videos will be deleted from the digital environment and storage.

**Return of Videos**

All recordings except the selected videos will be deleted from the digital environment and storage.

**Competition Secretariat and Application**

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## **Blasting Video Contest**

### **Participation Form**

#### **Participant**

**Name and Surname** :

**Job** :

**Company** :

**Country** :

**Tel** :

**E-mail** :

**Adress** :

<b>Row Number</b>	<b>Video Name</b>	<b>Filming Location/Project/ etc.</b>	<b>Filming Date</b>	<b>Number of Blastholes</b>	<b>Category (Underground, Open Pit, Demolition, Other Special Blasting)</b>
<b>1</b>					
<b>2</b>					
<b>3</b>					

I accept all the conditions of the competition specifications.

Date – Signature: