

## **THE ACADEMY General Conditions of Participation (GTC) TE Connectivity Germany GmbH (TE), Germany**

### **1. General**

1.1. The following GTC apply to the contractual relationship between the seminar participants and TE Connectivity Germany GmbH.

1.2. Side agreements, changes, and additions to the contract and the GTC are only valid if they have been agreed between the parties in writing.

### **2. Event organizer and event location**

2.1. Event Organizer is:  
TE Connectivity Germany GmbH  
Ampèrestrasse 12-14  
64625 Bensheim  
Germany  
Tel.: +49 6251 1330  
Fax: +49 6251 133-1600  
The-Academy(at)te.com  
<http://www.te.com/the-academy>

2.2. The event location is shown in the respective seminar program.

### **3. Registration/Conditions of Participation**

3.1. Registration for the seminars can be made directly via the registration link on the following website: <http://www.te.com/the-academy>. Registrations are binding. Upon receipt and verification of registration, confirmation of registration and an invoice will be sent. Upon receipt of the confirmation of registration, the contract for participation in the seminar is considered concluded.

3.2. The remuneration is due upon receipt of the invoice. The invoice must be settled before the seminar begins. The indicated prices are net prices. In addition to the net price, statutory VAT is charged.

3.3. Registrations will be considered according to the date of receipt. A general right for participation does not exist; the organizer reserves the right to grant permission to participate in individual cases.

### **4. Participation/Cancellation**

4.1 A free cancellation of a seminar is possible up to 14 days before the event. If it is canceled later or in case of no-show, the full registration fee will be charged. The eligibility may in any case be transferred at any time in writing to a substitute participant who needs to be named. Any cancellations must be made in writing and will only be valid with written confirmation from the organizer. For the deadline, the cancellation must arrive in time at the organizer.

4.2 The organizer reserves the right to move the entire event geographically and / or temporally or to cancel it at short notice. In the event of a complete cancellation, except for cancellations due to force majeure, any fees already paid will be refunded or a credit will be issued for future seminars. Further claims, e.g., for the reimbursement of traveling expenses, cost of overnight accommodation and non-productive time, are excluded, that is unless they stem from willful or grossly negligent actions on the part of employees of the organizer or other persons assisting in the performance of their obligations.

4.3 The organizer reserves the right to slightly change the seminar program or change the speaker for cause.

4.1. Further claims are excluded unless they are based on intentional or gross negligent behavior of employees of TE Connectivity Germany GmbH or other vicarious agents.

## 5. Arrival-Overnight stay-hotel

Arrivals and overnight stays are to be self-organized / self-bookable and payable. In case of timely room booking in the hotels specified in the seminar program, reference may be made to preferential rates. Further details on the accommodation options are given in the seminar program.

## 6. Limitations of liability

6.1. Insofar as seminars take place in rooms and on third-party property, the organizer shall not be liable to the participants in the event of accidents and loss or damage to their property, unless the damage is due to intentional or grossly negligent conduct by employees of TE Connectivity Germany GmbH or other vicarious agents.

6.2. If the seminars take place in the business premises of TE Connectivity Germany GmbH, the respective safety regulations must be observed.

6.3. The organizer assumes no responsibility or liability for any content-related inaccuracy of the lectures and documentation.

## 7. Copyrights

The event-related lectures and documentations are copyrighted and remain the property of TE Connectivity. They may not be reproduced, distributed, or used commercially in any form (including extracts) without the consent of the organizer or the respective speakers. All film and sound recordings during the duration of the events must be approved in advance from the organizer. Photographs are permitted in the appropriate scope for private purposes, considering third parties' rights. The organizer assumes no responsibility or liability of any kind for any incorrectness in the content of papers, presentations, or documentation.

## 8. Data privacy

The organizer and, if applicable, explicitly named co-organizers will process your data for fulfillment of the contract, customer service, market research and, if you have given your consent or we are legally entitled to do so, for advertising purposes. We also inform you, independently of express consent, about our own and similar offers or services by e-mail. You may object to the commercial use of your data at any time in writing at TE Connectivity Germany GmbH, Ampèrestrasse 12-14, 64625 Bensheim, Germany or by e-mail to The-Academy(at)te.com (indicate the e-mail address and name under which you are registered / logged in). Your data can also be forwarded to service providers for the purposes mentioned. Detailed information on data protection and information requirements can be found at: <https://www.te.com/usa-en/policies-agreements/privacy-policy.html>. As a participant of an event, I agree that my given data (first and last name, title, and company) will be published on the participant list of the event for which I have registered. The list of participants is not publicly available, it is only available in printed form to other participants of the event. The consent given may be revoked at any time with effect for the future by letter to TE Connectivity Germany GmbH, Ampèrestrasse 12-14, 64625 Bensheim, Germany or by e-mail to The-Academy(at)te.com.

## 9. Place of fulfillment, applicable law, and place of jurisdiction

9.1. The terms and conditions and the entire legal relationships of the parties are subject to the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany to the exclusion of the UN Sales Convention (CISG) and the choice of law principles. To the extent permitted by law, the place of performance and jurisdiction is Cologne.

9.2. Changes and additions to this contract must be in writing. This also applies to changes to this written form clause.

9.3. Verbal collateral agreements were not met.

## **10. Platform for online dispute resolution**

The European Commission has set up a platform for online dispute resolution. These can be reached at: <https://ec.europa.eu/consumers/odr/>. Consumers can use the platform to resolve their disputes. We are neither willing nor obliged to participate in a dispute settlement procedure before a consumer dispute resolution body unless there is a legal obligation to participate

### **Special Conditions for Participation in Online webinars**

Deviating from Article 4.1 a free cancellation is possible up to 5 days in advance. If it is canceled later or in case of no-show, the full registration fee will be charged. All other regulations of 4.1 remain valid.

### **Special Conditions for Participation in Tailor Made seminars**

Deviating from Article 3.1, the contract for the participation in the seminar is concluded once THE ACADEMY team sends an official offer for the tailor-made seminar and this is accepted by the customer. Following this, THE ACADEMY team will send a final confirmation to the customer.

Deviating from Article 4.1 a free cancellation is not possible due to the customized nature of the seminar type. In case the seminar is cancelled more than 14 days in advance 30% of the registration fee will be due. If it is cancelled between 14 and 7 days in advance, 70% of the registration fee will be due. If the seminar is cancelled less than 7 days in advance the full cancellation fee is due.