

WORLDSKILLS LYON 2024

Statistics and official names

Name of event	WorldSkills Lyon 2024 WorldSkills Competition Lyon 2024 47th WorldSkills Competition
Dates	10 to 15 September 2024
Number of Competitors	1,500 Competitors
Number of skill competitions	59
Number of exhibition Skills	3
Number of participating countries and regions	Over 65
Visitors	250,000
Experts	1,400
Volunteers	2,500
City	Lyon, France
Competition Venue	Eurexpo Lyon, France
Opening Ceremony Venue	LDLC Arena, Décines-Charpieu, France
Closing Ceremony Venue	Groupama Stadium, Décines-Charpieu, France

Farewell Party Venue	LDLC Arena, Décines-Charpieu, France
Conference	WorldSkills Conference 2024
Try-a-Skill	Try-a-Skill
One School One Country	Over 5,000 students from 65 schools
Opening Ceremony	10 September time tbd
Closing Ceremony	15 September time tbd
WorldSkills Member Organizations	86 countries and regions

Official skill competitions

Construction and Building Technology			
Refrigeration and Air Conditioning	Bricklaying	Cabinetmaking	Carpentry
Digital Construction	Electrical Installations	Wall and Floor Tiling	Joinery
Landscape Gardening	Concrete Construction Work	Painting and Decorating	Plastering and Drywall Systems
Plumbing and Heating			

Creative Arts and Fashion			
Fashion and Technology	Floristry	Graphic Design Technology	Jewellery
3D Digital Game Art	Visual Merchandising		
Information and Communication Technology			
IT Network System Administration	Web Technologies	Information Network Cabling	Cloud Computing
Cyber Security	Mobile Applications Development	IT Software Solutions for Business	
Manufacturing and Engineering Technology			
CNC Milling	CNC Turning	Industrial Control	Mechanical Engineering CAD
Mechatronics	Robot Systems Integration	Welding	Manufacturing Team Challenge
Autonomous Mobile Robotics	Renewable Energy	Electronics	Industrial Mechanics
Construction Metal Work	Robot Systems Integration	Industry 4.0	Chemical Laboratory Technology
Water Technology	Additive Manufacturing	Optoelectronic Technology	

Social and Personal Services			
Bakery	Beauty Therapy	Restaurant Service	Cooking
Pâtisserie and Confectionery	Hairdressing	Health and Social Care	Hotel Reception
Transportation and Logistics			
Autobody Repair	Automobile Technology	Car Painting	Heavy Vehicle Technology
Aircraft Maintenance	Freight Forwarding		
Exhibition Skills			
Stonemasonry		Heavy Truck Maintenance	
Rail Vehicle Technology			

Event theme: Where There is A Skill, There is a Way

France is delighted and honored to welcome the 47th WorldSkills Competition, 29 years after organizing its very first edition in 1995. In the past few years, our country has made a lot of national effort to transform the vocational skills learning system. Hosting the WorldSkills Competition is a great opportunity to reinforce this energy and inspire young people to develop a passion for skills.

At WorldSkills Lyon 2024, this is our ambition: to make the world discover the power of skills, as a vector of passion and economic growth, as a way to connect societies and pass on knowledge.

Our Motto, **Where there is a skill, there is a way**, is a direct reference to Winston Churchill's famous saying: *"Where there is a will, there is a way"*. Playing with words, we associated « Skill » and « Will » to show that everyone can strive for excellence, grow and improve, both as a professional and an individual. Skills can definitely change people, and the world!

WorldSkills Lyon 2024 Competition will carry our core values onto the international stage:

EXCELLENCE

As a driver for success through personal development.

GENEROSITY

We want to make WorldSkills Lyon 2024 a shared experience of conviviality, bringing together Competitors, organizers, visitors, and all those building stronger Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) systems. WorldSkills Lyon 2024 is not just a Competition, it’s about sharing, it’s about friendship.

OPENNESS

As an inspiration to make WorldSkills Lyon 2024 a symbol of diversity and inclusion for all.

UNITY

As a tool to rally supporters and Competitors from all over the world around the same ambition: to promote the power of skills.

Digital and Social Media

WorldSkills Lyon 2024	https://worldskills2024.com/ Facebook: @WorldSkillsLyon2024 X: @WorldSkills2024 Instagram: @WorldSkillsLyon2024 TikTok: @worldskillslyon2024 LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/company/worldskills-lyon-2024/
WorldSkills	https://worldskills.org/ Facebook: @WorldSkills X: @WorldSkills Instagram: @WorldSkills TikTok: @WorldSkills LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/company/worldskills-international YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/user/WorldSkillsTV
Hashtags	#WSC2024

About WorldSkills

Since 1950, WorldSkills is the global hub of skills excellence, which promotes vocational education and training for young people. Today, 86 Member countries and regions are invested to help young people change their lives and the fortune of their communities and societies through skills. Our Members represents two-thirds of the world's population with all their diversities, all united by the power of skills.

WorldSkills is also a network as its Competitions bring together Ministers, leaders of international organizations, top civil servants, heads of Chambers of Commerce, and academics. This global and strategic position allows WorldSkills to keep a big picture on how vocational skills are taking care of in the world and gives it a very powerful voice in the skills debate as well as the experience to lead discussions on a range of global challenges.

About WorldSkills Competitions

The WorldSkills Competition is the biggest vocational education and skills excellence event in the world.

Every 2 years, young people under the age of 23 from the 5 continents, national Champions in their skill, gather to compete for the chance to become the WorldSkills Champion in their respective skills. More than sixty different skills are represented, in several economic sectors. Traditional skills, but also environmental and future-oriented skills, are divided into 6 sectors: Creative Arts and Fashion, Manufacturing and Engineering Technology, Transportation and Logistics, Construction and Building Technology, Social and Personal Services and Information and Communication Technology.

Competitors must demonstrate technical abilities both individually and collectively to execute specific tasks in their skills. They are challenged to complete a test project or a series of projects within strict timeframes. The projects demand complex technical knowledge and capabilities that the young people are learning and mastering through their studies and workplace training.

WorldSkills Competition takes place over six days, beginning with an Opening Ceremony, followed by four days of competitions, and concluding with a Closing Ceremony where awards, including Gold, Silver and Bronze medals, are given to Champions. Based on excellence, the demonstration of Competitors' skills attracts thousands of visitors at every edition. In addition to the Competitors' high level of skills, the value of excellence is illustrated because of the unique opportunity offered to all the countries that participate, to benchmark their vocational education and training systems, to challenge their traditional savoir-faire.

About WorldSkills Lyon 2024

WorldSkills Lyon 2024 is the Organizing Committee in charge of preparing and delivering the WorldSkills Competition in Lyon in September 2024. Key stakeholder within the French society when it comes to skills, it brings together all regional and national, private, public and civil society involved.

In 2024, the city of Lyon will be delighted to welcome 1,500 Competitors coming from 65 countries and regions who will compete in 62 skills, in front of 250,000 visitors, to demonstrate their excellence and savoir-faire.

More than just a Competition, WorldSkills Lyon 2024 is a portfolio of events designed to mobilize all skills and vocational training stakeholders in France and worldwide around our values of Openness, Generosity, Unity and Excellence.

WorldSkills commitment toward Education and young people

One of WorldSkills Lyon 2024 first goals, is to fight prejudice towards vocational training and skills, while inspiring the next generation of young talents. Thus, an ambitious programme had been designed towards young people in order to raise awareness when it comes to skills. Among the 250,000 visitors, half of them will be students and pupils.

Before the Competition, local school will be partnered with a Member country or region to learn about their culture, traditions, and customs, while highlighting the skills which will be represented at the Competition by the Competitors.

During the Competition, an immersive visitor experience and specific programme will be designed for them so they can have a fair, lively and dynamic image of today's professions.

WorldSkills Lyon 2024 commitment, towards an improved and more responsible competition model

WorldSkills Lyon 2024 also aims to leave behind a responsible and concrete legacy. Our goal is to come up with a new model of WorldSkills Competitions, that is viable, sustainable, scalable and can be replicated by the host countries and regions of the future competitions.

Our objectives

- Deliver the most environmentally responsible Competition and related events possible through concrete actions and commitments
- Be in line with local and territorial issues in terms of sustainability
- Lead the way for the organization of future competitions in terms of space utilization, ecological footprint, and social inclusion
- Leave a legacy and provide a new competition model for all future WorldSkills Competitions

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Compétition Mondiale des Métiers WorldSkills	Compétition internationale WorldSkills
Compétition WorldSkills Lyon 2024 = WSC2024	Compétition internationale des métiers WorldSkills
Comité d'Organisation WorldSkills Lyon 2024 = WSL2024	Championnat du monde des métiers
(Vice) Champion du Monde WorldSkills	47es Olympiades des Métiers
Médaillé(e) d'Or/ Argent/ Bronze à la Compétition Mondiale des Métiers WorldSkills Lyon 2024	Gagnant d'une médaille Worldskills