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**SMART-SPACE Explosion of technologies of TopTech community**

**Ljubljana, 29th of November 2019 - The event was organized in Technology Park Ljubljana, Slovenia on 29th of November 2019. The community event, that showed Slovenian technologies from different SMEs. The event was organized for SMART-SPACE project in order to combine synergy effects among participants and with presenters.**

At the beginning of the event we presented the strong traditional manufacturing activities, best practices in Slovenia, that are the mechanical sectors with a high rate of highly digitalized SMEs. We also showed, how we support SME to become more competitive in their products, processes and services by using digital technologies.

We also presented best practices and the Alpine Space Digital Innovation HUB that provides to each Alpine SME an effective and sustainable ecosystem for digital transformation with access to the best capacities and infrastructures available in the Alpine area. We delivered SMART-SPACE Alpine DIH brochures.

We organized Show of technologies of some companies from our tech community:

* [Sensum](https://www.sensum.eu/)
* [Elaphe Propulsion Technologies](http://in-wheel.com/en/),
* [Qlector](https://qlector.com/),
* [Datalab Slovenija](https://www.datalab.eu/)
* [Ektimo.ai](https://ektimo.ai/).

The next part of the event was the Challenge of AI bot programming between companies [CDE](https://www.cde.si/), [Ektimo.ai](https://ektimo.ai/), [Danfoss](https://www.danfoss.com/en/).

Another part of the event was called »Ring of fire«, a talk, where we showed biggest mistakes of companies [Intra Lighting](https://www.intra-lighting.com/), [DEWESoft](https://dewesoft.com/sl/about-us).

In the last part, before matchmaking, we showed HR video battle between two high technology companies: [Cosylab](https://www.cosylab.com/) and [Httpool](https://www.httpool.si/).

Our goal was to present SMART-SPACE digital Innovation hub and to inspire young people to study technologies and to show the world we are a high-tech nation.

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