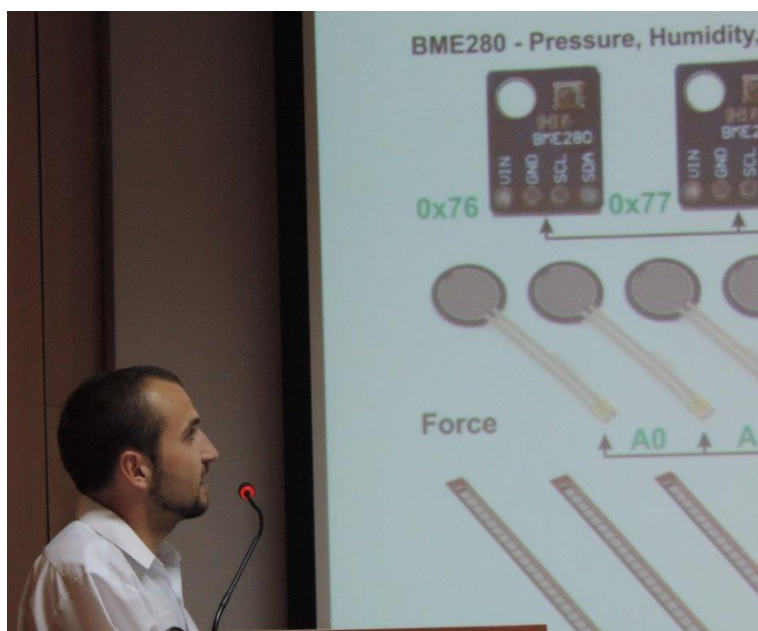


In 2017, the 'Startup-UzhNU' innovation idea competition took place for the second time. In the first stage of the competition, 17 participants were registered, and the finals included students, postgraduates, and young scientists from 8 faculties: physical, mathematical, biological, geographical, economic, chemical, engineering-technical, as well as the faculty of tourism and international communications. In the final stage of the competition, 7 finalist projects from young scientists of the physical, chemical, biological, and geographical faculties were evaluated.

The victory was claimed by students from the 4th year of the physical faculty, Tetiana Fedelesh, and Ivan Marushka, with the project 'Restorer 2017.'



Second place was awarded to students of the Ukrainian-Hungarian Educational and Scientific Institute, Davyd Hal, with the project 'Personal Telemetry System for Emergency Service Employees,' and Henrietta Ban, with 'Alternative Energy Sources for Mobile Systems.'

Third place went to a team of students from the physical faculty: Oleksandr Sych, Oleksandr Vasilyev, and Vasyl Bukovetsky with the project 'Investigation of the Effectiveness of Inorganic Sorbents in Purifying Wastewater, Cooling Water of Nuclear Power Plants, and Natural Waters from Strontium.' Also, the project by

the chemistry faculty's graduate student Mykola Kut and students Mariana Povidaychyk and Inesa Fales, titled 'Synthesis and Biological Activity of Tellurium-Containing Heterocycles,' shared the third place.

