

Innovation Project

Team #	Team Name	Judging Room
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Instructions

Teams should communicate to the judges their achievement in each of the following criteria. This rubric should be filled out according to the Innovation Project presentation.

Judges are **required** to tick one box on each separate row to indicate the level the team has achieved. If the team **EXCEEDS**, a short comment in the exceeds column is required.

BEGINNING 1		DEVELOPING 2		ACCOMPLISHED 3		EXCEEDS 4	
						How has the team exceeded?	
IDENTIFY – Team had a clearly defined problem that was well researched.							
☐ Unclear definition of the problem	☐ Partially clear definition of the problem	☐ Clear definition of the problem	☐				
 Minimal evidence of research	 Partial evidence of research from one or more sources	 Clear, detailed research from a variety of sources					
DESIGN – Team worked together while creating a project plan and developing their ideas.							
☐ Minimal evidence of an effective project plan	☐ Partial evidence of an effective project plan	☐ Clear evidence of an effective project plan	☐				
 Minimal evidence that development process involved all team members	 Partial evidence that development process involved all team members	 Clear evidence that development process involved all team members					
CREATE – Team developed an original idea or built on an existing one with a prototype model/drawing to represent their solution.							
 Minimal explanation of innovation in solution	 Simple explanation of innovation in solution	 Detailed explanation of innovation in solution					
☐ Unclear model/drawing that represents the solution	☐ Simple model/drawing that represents the solution	☐ Detailed model/drawing that represents the solution	☐				
ITERATE – Team shared their ideas with others, collected feedback, and included improvements to their solution.							
☐ Minimal sharing of their solution with others	☐ Solution shared with at least one person/group	☐ Solution shared with multiple people/groups	☐				
☐ Minimal evidence of improvements based on feedback	☐ Partial evidence of improvements based on feedback	☐ Clear evidence of improvements based on feedback	☐				
COMMUNICATE – Team shared an effective presentation of their solution, its impact on others, and celebrated their team's progress.							
 Unclear explanation of the solution and its potential impact on others	 Partially clear explanation of solution and its potential impact on others	 Clear explanation of solution and its potential impact on others					
 Presentation shows minimal pride or enthusiasm for their work	 Presentation shows partial pride or enthusiasm for their work	 Presentation clearly shows pride or enthusiasm for their work					

 Criteria on this page with this style of check box count dually toward Innovation Project and Core Values awards rankings. Core Values make up 25% of a team's Champion's score and should be demonstrated throughout their work and event experience.