

Oregon Future City competition needs Engineers as Mentors and Judges.

Please consider this wonderful opportunity to promote engineering as a career for young people.

The [Oregon Engineering Challenge](#) is pleased to host the First Annual Oregon Regional [Future City Competition](#)! Schools from throughout the state of Oregon are working hard on their cities. Teams made up of 7th and 8th graders are working with their teachers to:

- Design a city of the future using Maxis SimCity 3000TM software.
- Build a working model of a portion of their city using recycled products.
- Write an essay about city planning and design issues.

Verbally present their city to a panel of judges from the engineering, planning, and architecture communities.

In order for the competition to be successful, we need many volunteers for the following opportunities. Please click the link below to register to help with this competition

Individuals

You as an Individual Can Help Us

1. Become a mentor to help the teams (Individuals, Engineer parents).
2. Become a judge (Individuals -needed to judge on competition day and to read and judges essays for the regional contest.)

Companies and Professional Organizations

Companies Can Support Us with Their Employees

- We need companies and professional societies to sponsor the competition and its special awards. Awards will be named after the sponsor. (example: Company ABCD Best Transportation Award) . Special Award Sponsorships (\$250) will be assigned on a first come, first served basis.

Oregon Region Special Awards

Best Essay
Best Manufacturing Zone
Most Environmentally Friendly
Peoples Choice
Best Use of Material
Most Creative Use of Material
Best Transportation System

Oregon Region Special Awards (continued)

Best Futuristic Design
Best Residential Zone
Best City Infrastructure Layout
Best Engineered Project
Best Space-Based Design
Best Computer Model
Best Physical Model
Best Oral Presentation
Most Outstanding Team Effort
Best City-Human engineering Design
Architectural Excellence Award
Most Community Awareness Award

[Register to help in Oregon Future City Competition>](#)

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