

2017 Boat Design Competition

10th Annual

Presented By:

The Apprentice School Student Section of The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers (SNAME)

Competition Overview

The Boat Design Competition focuses on increasing awareness of the naval architecture profession and shipbuilding industry. The competition will engage students' math, science, and creative abilities, and introduce them to engineering, drafting, project planning, and leadership principles.

Participating high schools will form one or more student teams and work independently to design the fastest and most maneuverable boat. The designs will be critiqued by a panel of experienced members of the maritime industry.

Four designs will be selected as finalists and will be constructed by The Apprentice School. A head-to-head competition between the four constructed boats will take place at The Mariners' Museum in Newport News, Virginia on Lake Maury. A winner will be selected by a panel of judges evaluating the boat's hydrostatic characteristics, speed, and maneuverability.

Key Dates

Registration Opens: September 1, 2016

Registration Deadline: October 31, 2016

Final Design Deadline: December 21, 2016

Competition Day: May 6, 2017

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