

## 5 TRADITIONAL SUBMITTED AWARDS

### 5.1 Overview

Teams may compete for the following traditional Submitted Awards:

- [Chairman's Award](#)
- [FIRST Dean's List Award](#)
- [Woodie Flowers Finalists Award](#)

To be eligible, teams must submit for these awards through the [FIRST Dashboard](#). The Chairman's Award and Woodie Flower's Finalist Award submissions must be entered by a designated [Award Submitter](#). The FIRST Dean's List Award must be submitted by Lead Mentor 1 or 2 or a designated Dean's List Award Submitter. See the exact details for these awards on the [Submitted Awards](#) webpage.

### 5.2 Awards & Judging Logistics

For the Traditional Submitted Awards, teams are grouped into regions based on their geographic location. Each region awards a specific number of Chairman's, Dean's List, and Woodie Flowers Finalist Awards based on the number of teams participating in that region during the 2021 season.

Table 5-1 Regions for Submitted Awards

Region Name	States/Countries included in the Region
<b>Caribbean + South American Region</b>	Brazil, Colombia, Dominican Republic, and Panama
<b>Central Asia, Africa, and Europe Region</b>	Afghanistan, Croatia, Germany, France, India, Libya, Lesotho, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, South Africa, Ukraine, and United Kingdoms
<b>China Region</b>	China
<b>FIRST Chesapeake District</b>	D.C., Maryland, and Virginia
<b>FIRST Indiana District</b>	Indiana
<b>FIRST Israel District</b>	Israel
<b>FIRST in Michigan District</b>	Michigan
<b>FIRST in Texas District</b>	Texas and New Mexico
<b>FIRST Mid-Atlantic District</b>	Delaware, New Jersey, and Eastern Pennsylvania
<b>FIRST North Carolina District</b>	North Carolina
<b>Florida Region</b>	Florida
<b>Greater Central Valley Region</b>	California - Central Valley/Northern Central California
<b>Greater Los Angeles Region</b>	California - Orange/Los Angeles/Inland Empire
<b>Greater San Diego Region</b>	California - San Diego
<b>Greater San Francisco Bay Region</b>	California - Greater San Francisco Bay Area/Northern CA Coast
<b>Illinois Region</b>	Illinois
<b>Mexico Region</b>	Mexico
<b>Midwestern Plains Region</b>	Iowa, Nebraska, and Oklahoma
<b>MoKan Region</b>	Kansas and Missouri
<b>NE FIRST District</b>	Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont

Region Name	States/Countries included in the Region
<b>New York &amp; Quebec Region</b>	New York and Quebec
<b>Ontario District</b>	Canada - Ontario
<b>Pacific Northwest District</b>	Alaska, Oregon, and Washington
<b>Pacific Region</b>	Australia, Chinese Taipei, Hawaii, Indonesia, Japan, New Zealand, Singapore, and Vietnam
<b>Peachtree District</b>	Georgia
<b>Rocky Mountain Region</b>	Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Utah, Western Canada, and Wyoming
<b>Southeastern Region</b>	Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, and Mississippi
<b>Southern Appalachian Region</b>	Kentucky, South Carolina, and Tennessee
<b>Southwestern Region</b>	Arizona and Nevada
<b>Turkish Region</b>	Turkey
<b>Upper Midwest Region</b>	Minnesota, North Dakota, and South Dakota
<b>Upper Ohio River Region</b>	Ohio, West Virginia, and Western PA
<b>Wisconsin Region</b>	Wisconsin

Table 5-2 # of Awards per Region

Region	# of Chairman's Award Winners	#of Dean's List Finalists	# of Woodie Flower Finalists
<b>Caribbean + South American Region</b>	1	2	1
<b>Central Asia, Africa, and Europe Region</b>	1	2	1
<b>China Region</b>	2	4	1
<b>Florida Region</b>	3	6	1
<b>Greater Central Valley Region</b>	1	2	1
<b>Greater Los Angeles Region</b>	4	8	1
<b>Greater San Diego Region</b>	2	4	1
<b>Greater San Francisco Bay Region</b>	3	6	1
<b>Illinois Region</b>	2	4	1
<b>Mexico Region</b>	3	6	1
<b>Midwestern Plains Region</b>	2	4	1
<b>MoKan Region</b>	3	6	1
<b>New York &amp; Quebec Region</b>	4	8	1
<b>Pacific Region</b>	3	6	1
<b>Rocky Mountain Region</b>	4	8	1
<b>Southeastern Region</b>	2	4	1
<b>Southern Appalachian Region</b>	2	4	1
<b>Southwestern Region</b>	2	4	1
<b>Turkish Region</b>	3	6	1
<b>Upper Midwest Region</b>	6	12	1
<b>Upper Ohio River Region</b>	3	6	1
<b>Wisconsin Region</b>	2	4	1



Table 5-3 # of Awards per District

Region	District Level Chairman's Awards	Max # of District Championship level Dean's List Semi-Finalists	District Championship level Chairman's Awards	District Championship level Dean's List Finalists	# of Woodie Flower Finalists
<b>FIRST Chesapeake District</b>	6	12	2	3	1
<b>FIRST Indiana District</b>	4	8	1	2	1
<b>FIRST Israel District</b>	4	8	1	2	1
<b>FIRST in Michigan District</b>	25	48	7	12	1
<b>FIRST in Texas District</b>	9	18	3	5	1
<b>FIRST Mid-Atlantic District</b>	7	14	2	4	1
<b>FIRST North Carolina District</b>	4	8	1	2	1
<b>NE FIRST District</b>	10	20	3	5	1
<b>Ontario District</b>	5	10	2	3	1
<b>Pacific Northwest District</b>	7	14	2	4	1
<b>Peachtree District</b>	4	8	1	2	1

### 5.2.1 Interview Process

Teams who have submitted for the Chairman's Award and/or the *FIRST* Dean's List Award receive a remote interview with a panel of *FIRST* Robotics Competition judges. The default format is a video conference, but a call-in number can be provided if needed for team members.

A Judge Advisor will contact the team's mentor(s) (Lead Mentors 1 and 2 for Chairman's Award submissions and the submitting Mentor for Dean's List submissions) with the team's assigned time slot. If that slot doesn't work for the team, they should inform the Judge Advisor as soon as possible.

The first round of District interviews occur as follows:

- Dean's List Award interviews are between March 5<sup>th</sup> and April 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Chairman's Award interviews are between March 12<sup>th</sup> and April 1<sup>st</sup>.

The second round of District interviews occur between April 11<sup>th</sup> and Apr 25<sup>th</sup>.

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- Dean's List interviews are between March 5<sup>th</sup> and April 11<sup>th</sup>.

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- Chairman's Award interviews are between March 12<sup>th</sup> and April 11<sup>th</sup>.

Additional details are described on the [submitted awards](#) webpage.