

2018 CPANS local EC competition

Details

This competition is designed to prepare students to think like environmental consultants. Work together in a small group of 3-5 students to solve a real-world problem! The competition is suitable for all CPANS student members, regardless of discipline. **Only CPANS student members may enter the competition (please contact your local chapter for membership details (<http://cpans.org/students/>)).** For any questions regarding eligibility, membership, deadlines, or details please contact Travis Tokarek (twtokarek@gmail.com).

The Challenge

Please note: This challenge was designed by AWMA, but team details and entry for THIS competition (2018 CPANS local EC competition) should NOT be forwarded to AWMA. As such, you will NOT be required to present your solution to a panel OR attend the conference.

The challenge can be found here:

<https://www.awma.org/files/ACE2018/ACE%202018%20ECi%20Problem.pdf>

Prizes

1st place: \$1000 + up to \$2000 reimbursement if at least 3 team members compete at the international level in Hartford, Connecticut (international details available [here](#))

2nd place: \$500

3rd place: \$250

*Note: Prizes are divided evenly among the team members

Winners will be contacted between May 1st and May 9th, prior to the annual CPANS conference and AGM

Written Proposal

Each team will submit a proposal by email to Sunny Cho (sunhee.cho@gov.ab.ca). The proposal must be received by 5:00 p.m. MST on Tuesday, May 1, 2018. The written proposal should provide an outline of the approach that your team is going to take, the issues that you will be discussing, include the names and roles of each team member, and cannot exceed 3 pages.

The written proposal will contain a cover page with the team name, name of academic institution that the team represents, each team member's name and email address. The cover page is not counted as part of the proposal's 3-page limit. Additionally, references and appendices may be included but make sure these are clearly identified as such. If included, these are not counted in the proposal's 3-page limit and please keep in mind the judges will only be scoring based on the 3-page proposal.

The written proposal should be 1.5-spaced, 12 point Times New Roman, with 1" margins.