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Engineering Education Service Center (EESC) - Poster Contest Fall 2009

"Engineers of America" is the theme for the Engineering Education Service Center's Fall 2009 poster contest. This year's winning entry can be found in a display of inspiration, excitement, wonder and curiosity. Posters should be fun, motivational and inspire students to pursue a degree in engineering, technology, math and/or science.

Engineers are responsible for designing the infrastructure of society. From buildings, to bridges, to tunnels and towers, engineering is humanitarian, caring and possibly the most effective, hands-on approach to make the world a better place. The engineering field can be very exciting. If you would like a career that allows you to help others on a grand scale or if you ever wanted to make the world a better place, then engineering has something for you!

Engineers strive to make our lives better, easier, cheaper, more efficient and more fun by solving problems in everyday life. Engineers are practical inventors. It is through the work of engineers that we are able to prevent devastation from hurricanes, explore other galaxies, and prevent illness from the worst diseases. The work of engineers also includes camera phones, wireless computers, satellite TV, airplanes, electric cars, digital music, underwater robots, air conditioning, indoor plumbing, cosmetics, titanium knee and hip replacements, and the list goes on and on. Almost everything you touch has been influenced or designed by an engineer directly or indirectly. It is impossible to think of a major technical development that hasn't included the work of engineers.

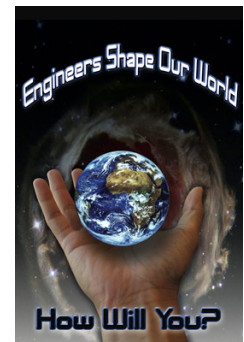
Contest ends on November 6, 2009.

Grand Prize: \$200.00 Cash

2nd place: \$100 Cash, **3rd place:** \$50 Cash, **Honorable mentions to be awarded at judges' discretion. All winners will also receive a certificate.**

Official Rules:

1. The theme of the contest is "Engineers of America." Winning entries are those that best reflect the theme. Winners are selected based on creativity, imagination, and the ability to inspire from among qualified entries.
2. All qualified entries received by 11:59pm PST on November 6, 2009 are eligible for the prizes.
3. No purchase is necessary, Must be 18 or older to enter. If under 18, a parent or guardian must submit your poster on your behalf.
4. This offer void where prohibited and is subject to all federal, state and local laws.
5. Previously published posters are not acceptable.
6. Odds of winning depend on the number of entries submitted.
7. Contestants must know the names and addresses of all identifiable people in their posters. In addition, all people in the poster must know that the poster is being submitted in this contest.
8. All personal expenses incurred while producing the poster are the responsibility of the contestant.
9. Prizes must be claimed within 30 days of notification. If not claimed, the prizes will be forfeited.
10. Each winner must agree that his or her name, likeness, city, and winning poster may be used by the EESC for promotional and publication purposes without additional compensation. Prior to receiving prizes, each winner will be required to sign a release provided by the EESC to this effect and obtain a release or permission from anyone with proprietary rights in the winning poster. Refusal or inability to provide such releases will result in disqualification and all prizes will be forfeited.
11. The EESC reserves the right to cancel or suspend the contest should any cause beyond the control of the EESC affect the security, administration, fairness, integrity of the contest, or for any reason it deems appropriate, at its sole discretion.
12. All posters must be submitted electronically at www.engineeringedu.com/contest.htm
13. Each contestant may enter up to three posters.



2005 winning poster

Judges: Celeste Baine, Director, EESC and Amy Siddon, Graphic Artist, EESC. Winners will be notified by November 12, 2009. For more information regarding this contest, or to submit your poster electronically, visit: www.engineeringedu.com/contest.htm