

Team Advancement Criteria 2017-2018

Teams advance to the next level of Competition in the order indicated below according to the number of spots available. Teams outside North America should contact their FTC partner for information about advancement criteria. The advancement criteria will be applied to Teams in North America as follows:

- 1. Optional Qualifier Host Team (NOTE: Each region's Affiliate Partner decides if this advancement opportunity will be offered, and if so, when the host Team must be identified. The Team MUST compete at one other Tournament within the region and must meet the criteria set forth by the Affiliate Partner in the agreement. This advancement applies to Qualifying Tournament hosts only, and does NOT apply to host Teams of Meets, League Championships or Championship Tournaments).
- 2. Inspire Award Winner
- 3. Winning Alliance Captain
- 4. Inspire Award 2nd place
- 5. Winning Alliance, 1st Team selected
- 6. Inspire Award 3rd place
- 7. Winning Alliance, 2nd Team selected
- 8. Think Award Winner
- 9. Finalist Alliance Captain
- 10. Connect Award Winner
- 11. Finalist Alliance, 1st Team selected
- 12. Rockwell Collins Innovate Award Winner
- 13. Finalist Alliance, 2nd Team selected
- 14. Design Award Winner
- 15. Motivate Award Winner
- 16. Control Award Winner
- 17. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
- 18. Think Award 2nd Place
- 19. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
- 20. Connect Award 2nd Place
- 21. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.

- 22. Rockwell Collins Innovate Award 2nd Place
- 23. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
- 24. Design Award 2nd Place
- 25. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
- 26. Motivate Award Winner 2nd Place
- 27. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
- 28. Control Award Winner 2nd Place
- 29. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
- 30. Think Award 3rd Place
- 31. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
- 32. Connect Award 3rd Place
- 33. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
- 34. Rockwell Collins Innovate Award 3rd Place
- 35. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
- 36. Design Award 3rd Place
- 37. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
- 38. Motivate Award 3rd Place
- 39. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.
- 40. Control Award 3rd Place
- 41. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.
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- 51. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Winning Division.

52. Highest Ranked Team** not previously advanced, from the Finalist Division.

**refers to Qualification Match Ranking. These advancements are in order. There is no normalizing of rank between divisions.