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Announcement of participating schools
EV Super Micro Mobility Design Contest
for International Students 2015Nobuhiro Tajima, Chief Commissioner
Association for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles(Japan)

The recent various trials related to the development Super Micro Mobilities (SMMs) are being conducted in the private sector. APEV intends to promote related activities to contribute to society and to offer the students who will lead the next generation the opportunity to experience the excitement and joy of manufacturing. With these objectives in mind, we held the first EV Super Micro Mobility Design Contest in 2013, which enjoyed many participants.

This year, we plan to hold a second contest, coinciding with "SMART MOBILITY CITY 2015".

Now entries were closed and many teams of students have applied.

APEV proudly announce the result of application as follows.

★Total:44 Schools / 98 Teams.

★ From Japan: 30 Schools / 59 Teams.

★From overseas: 6 countries,14 Schools / 39 Teams.

(Taiwan:5 Schools / 15 Teams,Korea:3 Schools / 8 Teams,

China:2 Schools / 6 Teams, India:2 Schools / 4 Teams,

Italy:1 School / 4 Teams, Sri Lanka :1 School / 2 Teams)

Please refer next page the List of participating schools in full detail.

What is the“EV Super Micro Mobility Design Contest”?

- Exhibit: An EV SMM design that satisfies EV SMM standards set by the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism in Japan.
 - Participants: Teams consisting of students, 18 years old or older, representing a school in Japan or overseas (two or more members per team)
 - APEV intend to continue this contest after year 2016 in conjunction with Tokyo Motor Show to promote SMM and to encourage students' study for designing automobile.
- ★Please refer special web site in detail.<<http://www.ap-ev.jp/contest/en/>>

Schedule (plan)

Tue, June 2, 2015: Entry teams announced.

End of June 2015: Interim reports submitted by participants (SNS)

Fri, July 17, 2015: Deadline for first round work

Fri, July 24, 2015: First round results announced

Fri, Sept. 11, 2015: Deadline for final round work

Fri, Sept. 25, 2015: Final round results announced

Beginning of Nov. 2015: Award ceremony and exhibition of winning entries

(At "SMART MOBILITY CITY 2015" a project established by the organizers of the Tokyo Motor Show)

Feb. of 2016: Report on the Design Contest results and symposium on future plans

(The schedule is subject to change.)

Participating schools list 1/2 * As of May 29,2015

From Japan

#	Name of Schools (Japanese)	Teams	Name of Schools
1	麻生建築&デザイン専門学校	2	ASO Architecture and Design College
2	阿南工業高等専門学校	1	Anan National College of Technology
3	大阪芸術大学	1	Osaka University of Arts
4	岡山県立大学	1	Okayama Prefectural University
5	岡山大学	2	Okayama University
6	神奈川工科大学	1	Kanagawa Institute of Technology
7	金沢美術工芸大学	3	Kanazawa College of Art
8	九州工業大学	1	Kyushu Institute of Technology
9	九州産業大学	2	Kyushu Sangyo University
10	九州大学	3	Kyushu University
11	京都工芸繊維大学	2	Kyoto Institute of Technology
12	熊本大学	1	Kumamoto University
13	慶應義塾大学	1	Keio University
14	札幌市立大学	1	Sapporo City University
15	首都大学東京	1	Tokyo Metropolitan University
16	職業能力開発総合大学校	8	Japan Polytechnic University
17	女子美術大学	2	Joshi University of Art and Design
18	崇城大学	1	Sojo University
19	千葉大学	6	Chiba University
20	筑波大学	1	University of Tsukuba
21	東京コミュニケーションアート専門学校	2	Tokyo Communication Arts
22	東京造形大学	1	Tokyo Zokei University
23	富山県立大学	1	Toyama Prefectural University
24	長岡造形大学	2	Nagaoka Institute of Design
25	名古屋市立大学	2	Nagoya City University
26	名古屋デザイナー学院	1	Nagoya Designer Gakuin
27	専門学校HAL大阪	2	HAL Osaka College of Technology & Design
28	北陸先端科学技術大学院大学	1	Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology
29	武蔵野美術大学	4	Musashino Art University
30	立命館大学	2	Ritsumeikan University
	Japan sub total	59	

Participating schools list 2/2 * As of May 29,2015

From Overseas

#	Name of Schools (Japanese/Chinese)	Teams	Country	Name of Schools
1	長庚大學	1	Taiwan	Chang Gung University
2	広州美術学院	4	China	Guangzhou Academy of Fine Arts
3	ハンパツ大学校	2	Korea	Hanbat National University
4	韓東大學校	1	Korea	Handong Global University
5	華梵大學	10	Taiwan	Huafan University
6	IAAD	4	Italy	Istituto d'Arte Applicata e Design
7	済州大学校	5	Korea	Jeju National University
8	ナショナル・インスティテュート・オブ・デザイン	3	India	National Institute of Design
9	台灣科技大學	1	Taiwan	National Taiwan University of Science and Technology
10	リアル・キャド・エンジニアリング	1	India	Real Caad Engineering
11	實踐大學	2	Taiwan	Shih Chien University
12	大同大學	1	Taiwan	Tatung University
13	モラトゥワ大学	2	Sri Lanka	University of Moratuwa
14	湘潭大学	2	China	Xiangtan University
Overseas sub total		39		
44	Grand total	98		

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Chief Commissioner, APEV

Awards (plan)

- 1) Highest award 100,000 yen (One team)
- 2) Opportunity to present work at the Tokyo Motor Show
- 3) Special experiences involving EVs for the winning teams
 - Example 1: Meetings with well-known designers
 - Example 2: Invitation to events such as tours using EVs (Benesse Award)
 - Example 3: Other awards offered by sponsors
- 4) Miniature models of the winning entries fabricated using 3D printing
(Marubeni Information Systems Award)

Organizations

Host: Association for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles (APEV)

Supporters (in alphabetical order):

Interfaculty Initiative in Information Studies, The University of Tokyo

Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association, Inc. (JAMA)

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