



一般社団法人電気自動車普及協会
Association for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles

To whom it may concern,

Minister Awards from METI and MLIT will be commended to outstanding teams

2017/6/5

Association for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles (APEV)
Chief Commissioner
Nobuhiro Tajima

Association for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles (APEV) is now holding 2017 EV Mobility Design Contest for International Students. We have the honor to inform you that Minister Awards from METI (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry) and MLIT (Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism) will be awarded to outstanding teams.

This contest aims to provide opportunities to learn and think about automated driving, traffic policies for depopulated areas, and issues that have been discussed in national research conferences. We hope that Minister Awards could encourage the participants, and expect developing sophisticated suggestions. There are also new jury members from METI and MLIT.

Same as previous time, MOE (Ministry of the Environment), METI, MLIT and The University of Tokyo are supporting this contest. Furthermore, because of the relationship with TOCOG (The Tokyo Organising Committee of the Olympic and Paralympic Games), we will receive support from the Tokyo Metropolitan Government this time.

We do not evaluate works only by styling. We look forward to far-sighted ideas considering the trend of whole society, and proposals including worldviews which are one step ahead of other design contests.

★The following are the awards of this contest.

- Grand Pix (1 team), with 200 thousand yen as a supplementary prize
- METI (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry) Minister Award (1 team), with 100 thousand yen as a supplementary prize
- MLIT (Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism) Minister Award (1 team), with 100 thousand yen as a supplementary prize
- Company Award (several teams), official names and supplementary prizes will be decided by supporting companies.

★Screening Committee

◎Head: Shiro Nakamura (Ex-Senior Vice President, CCO, Nissan Motor Co., Ltd.)

◎Members:

- Tadao Ando (Architect & Professor Emeritus, University of Tokyo)
- Akihiro Nagaya (Executive Officer, Chief General Manager, Design Center, Yamaha Motor Co., Ltd.)
- Ken Okuyama (Industrial Designer & CEO, Ken Okuyama Design)
- Patrick le Quément (Industrial designer & Ex-Senior Vice President of Corporate design, Renault)
- Zhang, Fan (Vice President, Head of Design Guangzhou Automobile Group Co., Ltd.)
- Noriyuki Mita (Deputy Director-General, Manufacturing Industries Bureau Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry)

- Masayuki Shima (Senior Deputy Director-General, Road Transport Bureau Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism)
- Nobuhiro Tajima (Chief Commissioner, Association for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles)

In addition, we have attached a revised list of “The participating schools for EV Mobility Design Contest for International Students 2017” which was announced before.

★Total:34 Schools / 96 Teams.

★ From Japan: 20 Schools / 45 Teams.

★From overseas: 15countries,14 Schools / 51 Teams.

Taiwan:5 Schools / 18 Teams, Italy: 2 Schools / 13 Teams, , India:1 School / 5 Teams,

China:4 Schools / 4 Teams

Below countries are 1 School / 1 Team :

Australia, Canada, Philippines, Qatar, Spain, Sri Lanka, Tunisia, UAE, Uganda, UK, USA

Please refer the List of participating schools in full detail.

From Japan

学校名	Name of Schools	Teams
産業技術大学院大学	Advanced Institute of Industrial Technology	2
麻生建築&デザイン専門学校	ASO Architecture and Design College	3
カーデザインアカデミー	Car Design Academy	1
千葉工業大学	Chiba Institute of Technology	1
千葉大学	Chiba University	7
HAL 名古屋	HAL Nagoya College of Technology & Design	1
HAL 大阪	HAL Osaka College of Technology & Design	2
HAL 東京	HAL Tokyo College of Technology & Design	1
金沢美術工芸大学	Kanazawa College of Art	2
慶應義塾大学	Keio University	1
神戸芸術工科大学	Kobe Design University	1
九州産業大学	Kyushu Sangyo University	3
九州大学	Kyushu University	6
長岡造形大学	Nagaoka Institute of Design	1
名古屋市立大学	Nagoya City University	3
名古屋芸術大学	Nagoya University of The Arts	1
日本工学院八王子専門学校	Nihon Kogakuin College	1
岡山県立大学	Okayama Prefectural University	2
東京コミュニケーションアート専門学校	Tokyo Communication Arts	4
首都大学東京	Tokyo Metropolitan University	2
Sub Total	20	45

From Overseas

Country	Name of Schools	Teams
Australia	Car Design Academy	1
Canada	Car Design Academy	1
China	Guangzhou Academy of Fine Arts	1
China	Jiangnan University	1
China	Southeast University	1
China	Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University	1
India	National Institute of Design	5
Italy	Car Design Academy	2
Italy	IAAD/Institute of Applied Art and Design	11
Philippines	Car Design Academy	1
Qatar	Car Design Academy	1
Spain	Car Design Academy	1
Sri Lanka	University of Moratuwa	1
Taiwan	Chang Gung University	10
Taiwan	Fo Guang University	1
Taiwan	Ming Chi University of Technology	4
Taiwan	National Taipei University of Technology	1
Taiwan	National Taiwan University of science and Technology	2
Tunisia	Car Design Academy	1
UAE	Car Design Academy	1
Uganda	Car Design Academy	1
UK	Royal College of Art	1
USA	Car Design Academy	1
	14	
15	Sub Total	51
Schools	Grand total	Teams
34		96

【Outline of the Contest】+++++

- Host: The Association for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles (APEV)
- Supporters: (in alphabetical order)
 - Graduate School of Interdisciplinary Information Studies, University of Tokyo
 - Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association, Inc. (JAMA)
 - Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry of Japan
 - Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism of Japan
 - Ministry of the Environment of Japan
 - Tokyo Metropolitan Government

➤ Sponsors:

- ✧ Companies confirmed for the first round

Benesse Holdings, Inc.
Honda R&D Co., Ltd.
IHI Transport Machinery Co., Ltd.
Nissan Motor Co., Ltd.
NTN Corporation
Renesas Electronics Corporation
Yamaha Motor Co., Ltd.

- ✧ Companies confirmed for the second round

Bosch Corporation
Car Design Academy
Marubeni Information Systems Co.,Ltd.
Mitsubishi Chemical Corporation
Tools International Corporation
(Companies for the second round are being wanted.)



Schedule (plan)

31st May 2017: Deadline for the work for the first screening
12th June 2017: Announcement of the first screening results
Early July 2017: Workshop 1 in Tokyo and Osaka
14th August 2017: Deadline for the work for the second screening
1st September 2017: Announcement of the second screening results
Mid- September 2017: Workshop 2 in Tokyo
End-October to Early-November 2017: Final screening and award ceremony in Tokyo
February to March 2018: Final report meeting

(The schedule is subject to change)

★Contact

Gen Yasujima EV Design Contest Secretary-General
Association for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles (APEV)
Address: FUKUTAKE HALL THE UNIVERSITY OF TOKYO
7-3-1 Hongo, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 113-0033 JAPAN
Tel: +81-50-3736-8325 FAX: +81-50-3153-2686
E-mail : contest@apev.jp Web site: <http://www.apev.jp/contest/en/>