Hawai’i FIRST Robotics & Booz Allen Hamilton Grant Application

PURPOSE

Hawai’i FIRST Robotics (HFR) aims to advance the FIRST mission and vision of inspiring young people to become science and technology leaders. FIRST understands the broader societal context of economic, educational, and social factors historically leading to disproportionate access and outcomes. Leveraging cross-sector and industry collaborations, FIRST is actively engaged in developing and delivering strategies that remove barriers and ensure greater access to FIRST programs so that all youth can participate.

FROM OUR SPONSOR - BOOZ ALLEN HAMILTON

Booz Allen Hamilton is a proud Corporate Sponsor of Hawai’i FIRST Robotics to promote mutual goals of equity, diversity, and inclusion. As a Technology Consulting Firm, we believe collective ingenuity is grounded in the diverse perspectives and experiences of our employees and we’re committed to cultivating an environment that fosters respect, equity, and opportunity for everyone. At Booz Allen we love solving problems, engineering ideas, and building solutions, and are focused on creating opportunities for future science and technology leaders. Our mission is to empower people to change the world, and we look forward to you changing the world with us.

GRANT DETAILS

• Awarded team(s) will receive up to but not more than $5,000 USD to be used towards advancing Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion
• Teams must apply for and meet all criteria listed in the Eligibility Requirements section below to be eligible
• We ask that you review the FIRST Philosophies before applying

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

• Only Hawai’i FIRST teams are eligible to apply
• Only one application per team is allowed
• Teams who submit a grant application must plan to participate in the current or upcoming FIRST season

RULES

• Team must sign a photo and video release waiver (provided)
• Teams must submit an accounting of all expenses and associated amounts in USD that this grant funded as a Microsoft Word document or Excel spreadsheet
• Teams must submit a 3-5-minute video detailing the team’s 2020 journey, how the team advanced Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion and the impact that these initiatives had on the team and community
• Approved Booz Allen Hamilton logo must be included on the team shirts and robot, in the team pit, and on the team website and any social media page and will be provided.
• Teams must abide by Sponsor’s rules for use of Logo and branding (provided).
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Team Number:

Team Name:

Rookie Year:

Affiliated School/Organization:

Team Demographics (Number of students, males, females, minorities, mentors):

Primary Contact Name (First and Last):

Primary Contact Phone:

Primary Contact Email:

Mailing Address:

Please answer the below section in no longer than 350 words per question. Your gracious professionalism is appreciated.

1. What does diversity and inclusion mean to your team?

2. How does your team promote diversity and inclusion?

3. If you were to receive these funds, what specific initiatives will your team implement within this coming year to advance equity, diversity, and inclusion? How will these plans/projects advance equity, diversity and inclusion throughout your team and community? Please provide specific examples and details. Indicate if the initiatives are ongoing efforts or new ideas to be implemented in the future.

Deadline to Complete: Monday, April 6th, 2020

Email Completed Application To: info@hawaiifirstrobotics.org