



Sponsorship 2017/18 Robot Competition

The NSERC Women in Science and Engineering - Atlantic Region Program (WISEatlantic) is offering funding to support a limited number of new teams that compete in the [High School Robot Programming Competitions \(HRC\) or FIRST LEGO League \(FLL\) \(http://robots.acadiau.ca\)](http://robots.acadiau.ca) competitions.

Teams from any part of Atlantic Canada can apply for funding support of up to \$300 to support the costs of registration, travel, and other associated expenses. This is a limited offer and funding will be provided on a first-come basis. *Please note that the funding cannot be provided up-front but instead through reimbursement with presentation of original receipt(s).*

TO BE ELIGIBLE:

Any community or school group that plans to participate in the upcoming HRC or FLL 2017/18 Robot Programming Competitions that meet the following criteria:

- The team must be comprised of 50% or more girls;
- 50% of the group must not have competed before in the *FIRST* LEGO League competition;
- The coach must ensure that the team knows who WISEatlantic is and be prepared to share materials we send you to the team members;
- The coach must direct team members to the WISEatlantic website and we encourage the coach to play for the team one or more of the role model videos we have featured at www.WISEatlantic.ca/videos.asp;
- WISEatlantic is to be acknowledged on t-shirts, on the team table and in competition presentations. (We will provide our logo).

DEADLINE:

Applications for 2017/18 will be accepted from May 1st, 2017 to September 28th, 2017. You will be notified by October 13th, 2017 whether or not your team will receive funding support.

Application 2017/18 Robot Competition

PLEASE complete and SUBMIT to WISEatlantic@msvu.ca or mail to:

Women in Science and Engineering - Atlantic Region

Mount Saint Vincent University

Halifax, Nova Scotia B3M 2J6

Name of Coach: _____

Coach Contact: _____

Coach Email: _____

Name of School/Community Group: _____

Name of Team: _____

Names of Team Members: *(if more than six members, please attach additional information)*

| Name | Age | Gender | Competed previously in FLL or HRC (Yes/No) |
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Location of Team: *(city/province)*: _____

Reason funding is requested: Attach a page with details to support your request (*maximum one page*)

For more information please contact Sally Marchand, Program Coordinator at 902-457-6294 or at: WISEatlantic@msvu.ca