

RCSEF Intel International Science and Engineering Fair Application Information

The Riverside County Science and Engineering Fair (RCSEF) is pleased to announce affiliation to the Intel International Science and Engineering Fair (Intel ISEF). A maximum of three (3) high school projects may be chosen at the RCSEF that will go on to compete at the Intel ISEF in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania on May 13-18, 2018. Eligibility will be based on project quality as determined by RCSEF Intel ISEF judges.

The Intel ISEF rules and forms required for students to complete prior after experimentation are available at http://www.societyforscience.org/isef/document. Additionally, the home page for Intel ISEF is at http://www.societyforscience.org/isef.

For projects to be considered for advancement to the Intel ISEF at our Riverside County SEF, the following forms must be completed by **Friday**, **December 15**, **2017**:

- 1 Checklist for Adult Sponsor
- 1A Student Checklist and Research Plan
- 1B Approval Form

The following form(s) must also be completed if applicable to the project:

- 2 Qualified Scientist Form3 Risk Assessment Form
- 4 Human Participants Form/Human Informed Consent Form
- 5A/5B Vertebrate Animal Form
- 6A Potentially Hazardous Biological Agents Risk Assessment Form
- 6B Human and Vertebrate Animal Tissue Form

In addition, the following forms must also be completed by Tuesday, February 27, 2018:

- 1C Regulated Research Institutional/Industrial Setting Form
- 7 Continuation Projects Form

All research involving humans, vertebrates or potentially hazardous biological agents must be reviewed and approved by the Scientific Review Committee (SRC) prior to experimentation. All research involving human participants must be reviewed and approved by the Institutional Review Board (IRB) prior to experimentation. This includes review of any surveys or questionnaires used in the research. To obtain SRC or IRB approval and to be considered as an Intel ISEF finalist, students must submit their Research Plan and copies of all relevant forms by email, fax or mail to:

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