

64th Georgia Science & Engineering Fair 2012

Judge Volunteer Application Form

Judging Date: Friday, March 30, 2012

The University of Georgia needs over 200 volunteer judges/evaluators for the state finals at the Georgia Science & Engineering Fair (GSEF) at the Classic Center in downtown Athens, GA, March 29-31, 2012.

Your help is critical to the success of the Fair! www.georgiacenter.uga.edu/gsef

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Institution/Company: _____

Major/Dept/Area of Expertise: _____

Phone _____ Phone #2 _____

Email _____

I have judged at previous GSEFs 8+ years 3-7 years 1-2 years I'm new at this
My education level is doctorate doctoral student master's bachelor's current student in _____

Please select three (3) categories that you are interested in judging:

<input type="checkbox"/> Animal Sciences **	<input type="checkbox"/> Energy & Transportation
<input type="checkbox"/> Behavioral & Social Sciences **	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Sciences **
<input type="checkbox"/> Biochemistry **	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Management
<input type="checkbox"/> Cellular & Molecular Biology	<input type="checkbox"/> Mathematical Sciences **
<input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry	<input type="checkbox"/> Medicine & Health Sciences
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Microbiology
<input type="checkbox"/> Earth & Planetary Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Physics & Astronomy **
<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering: Materials & Bioengineering **	<input type="checkbox"/> Plant Sciences
<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering: Electrical & Mechanical **	** These areas require a large number of judges.

Please select the Level you are best qualified for (and interested in) judging:

- Tier I Upper Division Category Judge 9AM – 5PM
- Tier II Upper Division Category Chair 9AM – 7PM (prefer 3-5 yrs Science Fair judging experience)
 - I will attend the judges' dinner
- Tier III Upper Division Grand Awards 9AM – 9PM (prefer 8+ yrs Science Fair judging experience)
 - I will attend the judges' dinner
- Junior Division Judge 10:30AM – 3PM
- Junior Division Leader 10:30AM – 5PM (prefer 3-5 yrs Science Fair judging exper.)
- In addition to my regular judging duties, I will serve as a Special Award Judge for organizations who sponsor special awards and cannot provide judges to determine their winners.

Qualifications

1. Senior Division (Grades 9-12) judge applicants should have either:
 - a. doctorate or other terminal degree (PhD, MD, DDS, DVM, etc.) or
 - b. current research and publication experience in a doctoral program in a scientific discipline, or
 - c. BA, BS or master's degree and a minimum of six years of professional experience in a scientific discipline related to one of the 17 project categories.
2. Junior Division (Grades 6-8) judge applicants should have either:
 - a. any of the Senior Division qualifications, or
 - b. significant research experience in a relevant professional or industrial setting, or
 - c. graduate standing in a discipline related to one of the 17 project categories, or
 - d. a master's degree and current graduate standing in a relevant education discipline, or
 - e. significant progress toward a degree in Science and/or Mathematics Education.

Additional forms available at www.georgiacenter.uga.edu/gsef. Return form by **Friday, January 6, 2012 via email attachment, mail, or fax to: Attn: GSEF Science Fair, Academic Special Programs, University of Georgia Center for Cont. Ed, 1197 S. Lumpkin St., Athens, GA 30602-3603 Tel. (706) 542-3554 Fax (706) 542-7537 Email: gsef@georgiacenter.uga.edu**