
ISR 15 AWARDS

The Booz Allen Hamilton Overall Performance Award. A trophy and \$1000 award are given to the submarine team from any design category that displays the best overall performance. The ranking of Overall Performance is determined by quantifying the Figure of Merit (FOM) for each team and submarine. Seventeen weighted parameters are ranked to determine the FOM. The analysis includes aspects of other awards and the team's attitude, persistence, and resourcefulness. *This award is sponsored by Booz Allen Hamilton.* The runner up team in this category will receive a plaque and \$500.

Absolute Speed Award. A plaque is given to the submarine team with the fastest speed of the race from any of the design categories. If the speed sets a new speed record, \$500 will be awarded in addition to the plaque.

Fastest Speed by Category. Certificates are given to first place and runner up speed finishers in each design category.

Innovation Award. A plaque is given to recognize the submarine team from any design category that incorporates the most innovative design, construction and/or performance attribute. (Please note: This award may not be awarded if the judges determine that the level of innovation is insufficient to be recognized).

The American Systems Best Use of Technology Award. A plaque and \$1000 award are given to the team in any design category that exhibits the best and most successful use of technology to support their vessel's design, construction, and/or performance. *This award is sponsored by American Systems.*

Best Design Outline. A plaque is given to the team that submits the best design outline report on their submarine.

Smooth Operator Award. A plaque is given to a team in recognition of their efficiency in staging for the race course, racing the course, troubleshooting as necessary, and preparing for their next run.

Best Spirit of the Races. A plaque is given to the submarine team that displays the best gusto, fortitude, support for the other teams, and overall best spirit. The winner will be selected by the submarine teams themselves. The Best Spirit of the Races is awarded in memory of the late ISR contestant, Steve Barton of team Sublime.

Team photo plaques will be presented to each team.