

Grand Awards Policy - Draft

Individual and team projects will compete against each other in one of the 12 categories for the following awards. Cash awards are given per project (team winners will split the award) and all non-cash awards are given per student (each team member will receive a medal, certificate, plaque or ribbon). A category judging team may decide not to award all 4 places or any honorable mentions in a category, but they may not skip over any award places (i.e.: if they want to give a 2nd place award, they must also award a 1st place; if they want to award any honorable mentions, they must award a 4th place, etc.).

- First place junior and senior division Category Award winners will receive \$200, a blue ribbon medal, a certificate and be eligible for the Best CSEF Project Award.
- Second place junior and senior division Category Award winners will receive \$100, a red ribbon medal and a certificate.
- Third place junior and senior division Category Award winners will receive \$50, a white ribbon medal and a certificate.
- Fourth place junior and senior division Category Award winners will receive \$25, a yellow ribbon and a certificate.
- Honorable Mention Awards may be awarded to 20% of the number of entrants (individual and team projects) in each category. The number of honorable mention awards is left to the discretion of the grand awards judging teams. Honorable Mention Award winners will receive an Honorable Mention ribbon and certificate.
- First place junior division Best CSEF Project Award is \$200 and a plaque.
- Second place junior division Best CSEF Project Award is \$100 and a plaque.
- Third place junior division Best CSEF Project Award is \$50 and a plaque.
- All senior division Best CSEF Project Award winners (number based on allocations provided by Intel ISEF affiliation) receive an expense paid trip to compete at the Intel International Science and Engineering Fair and a plaque. (Expenses covered are airfare, hotel, ground transportation as needed, meal costs of \$150, registration, and trading pins.)