

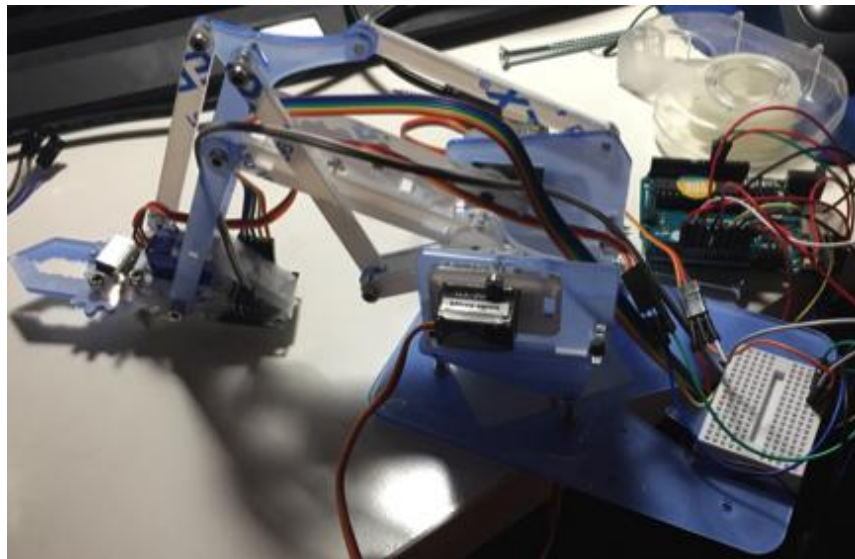


## IEEE Ottawa Robotics Competition Compétition de robotique d'Ottawa d'IEEE

# Robotic Arm Challenge Contest

As part of the IEEE Ottawa Robotics Competition's (ORC) 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary, we will be giving away **ten** robotic arms so teams can join the ORC and compete in our latest [Green Arm Challenge](#).

The objective of the Green Arm Challenge is to place bins of recyclable materials from a loading dock onto the appropriate conveyor, quickly and accurately, by using a robotic arm.



The arm will not be assembled for the team.

### **When can we enter the contest?**

The contest is open January 25<sup>th</sup> to February 10<sup>th</sup>.

### **What will I receive?**

If you win, you will receive the parts that are required for the robotic arm in the Green Arm Challenge (\$120 value). A payment of \$50 will be due upon receipt of the arm. However, you will get a credit of up to \$50 on your registration fees for ORC 2017 if you have at least one team registered in the Green Arm Challenge.

## **Who is eligible and how do I enter?**

- 7 robotic arms will be awarded to schools who have not participated in the ORC before or in recent years
- 3 robotic arms will be awarded to schools and/or community groups who have participated in the ORC in recent years

All entrants must be at least 18 years of age and have a valid Ontario billing address.

### New Schools (7 arms available)

Your school must:

- not have been registered for the ORC since 2016
- have a valid school board email address
- have a billing address that corresponds to the school listed on the contest entry form
- prove they teach at that school upon request

To enter, simply fill out the contest entry form. If a colleague or friend has referred you, please indicate it as you fill out the contest entry form.

### Existing and recent team supervisors (3 arms available)

Refer your colleagues to join the contest and you will be entered automatically. You do **not** need to fill out the contest entry form, but your colleagues must enter your information on the contest entry form.

## **If I win, when will I receive the arm?**

We will email you once they are ready, but they should be available for pick-up starting March 4<sup>th</sup>.

## **I am new to the ORC, what do I need to do? Tell me more.**

Please visit our "[Getting Started with ORC](#)" guide to learn more.

## **If I bought an arm already and win one from this contest, can you just issue me a refund?**

No, we are unable to issue refunds.

## **Is there anything else I should know?**

Full contest details are on the next 2 pages.

## Contest Rules, Terms, and Conditions

1. There will be a total of 10 robotic arms available for this contest.
  - a. 7 robotic arms will be awarded to schools who have not participated in the ORC in recent years.
  - b. 3 robotic arms will be awarded to teams who refer new schools to join the contest.
  - c. The odds of winning depend on the number of entries received.
2. The contest period is from January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017 until February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2017, inclusively. We reserve to change or cancel the contest without notice.
3. The value of the robotic arm is approximately \$120. For this contest, upon receipt of the arm, a \$50 payment will be due.
  - a. A maximum credit of \$50 will be applied towards registration fees if you register a team for the ORC on your registration fee invoice in May.
    - i. At least one team must participate in the Green Arm Challenge to be eligible for this credit.
    - ii. The minimum balance on your registration fee invoice in May must be \$0. Negative balances are not permitted.
    - iii. Any remaining credit after applying towards the registration fee invoice will be considered forfeited.
  - b. Regular competition fees will apply otherwise (i.e. registration fees and lunch fees).
4. To be eligible:
  - a. All entrants must have a valid Ontario billing address and be at least 18 years of age at time of contest entry.
  - b. A school that has not participated in the ORC in recent years must fulfill the following criteria:
    - i. The entrant's school must not have participated in the ORC 2016.
    - ii. The entrant must have a valid school board email address.
    - iii. The entrant must have a billing address that corresponds to the school listed on the contest entry form.
    - iv. The entrant must provide proof they teach at the school listed on the contest entry form upon request.
  - c. Teams who refer new schools to join the contest must fulfill the following criteria:
    - i. The entrant who fulfills the criteria in section 4b must list your email address for you to be entered in the contest.
5. The entrant and/or the entrant's team will be responsible for assembly of the robotic arm.
6. Limit one entry per school/community group during the contest period.
7. No purchase is necessary to enter the contest.

8. A skill testing question must be answered correctly within 1 attempt and 72 hours of being contacted. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of the prize and a redraw for a new winner.
9. The IEEE Ottawa Section and the IEEE Ottawa Robotics Competition are not responsible for any of the entrant's losses for any reason.
10. If you have questions, please contact us at [orcinfo@ieeeottawa.ca](mailto:orcinfo@ieeeottawa.ca).