



Statics Judging Procedure Update

Engineering Design & Cost and Manufacturing

Optimizing our judging process for even greater efficiency and fairness.

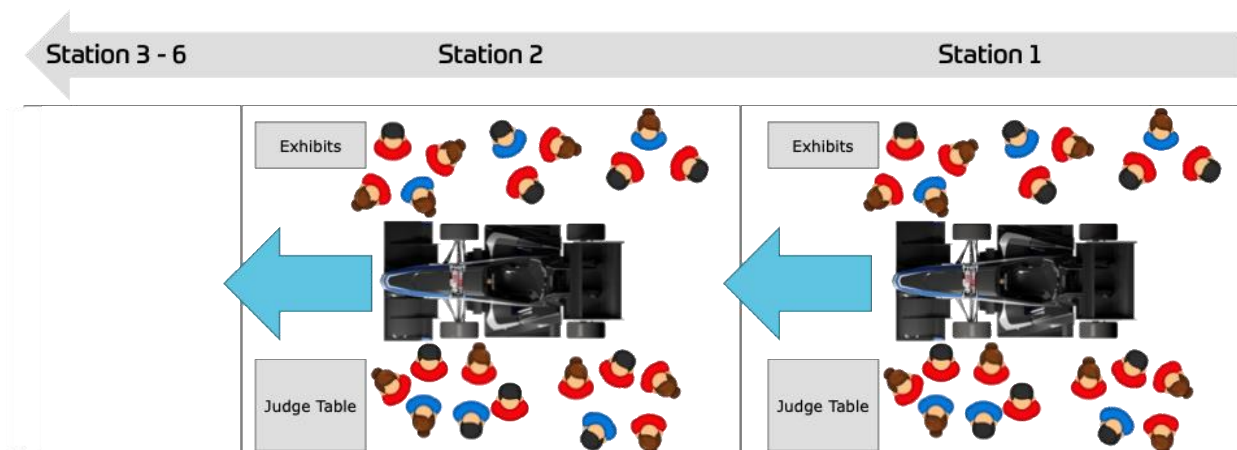
We're excited to share an important update to the statics judging procedure for the Engineering Design and Cost and Manufacturing events at FSG!

Our Goal: completing Engineering Design & Cost and Manufacturing judging in a single day

This year, we are setting ourselves an ambitious target: completing all statics judging for Engineering Design and Cost and Manufacturing within a single day. To achieve this, we are moving from the previous bay setup to a newly designed vehicle production line format, optimized for fairness, minimal idle time, and efficient use of available judging resources.

From Bay Setup to Vehicle Production Line

In previous years, statics judging followed a bay setup, where judges switched between the left and right bay to cover Engineering Design and Cost and Manufacturing separately. Under the new format, teams will move together with their vehicle from station to station, while judges remain at their dedicated station throughout. Each station covers 2 judging categories, as defined in S 4.5.3 for Engineering Design and S 3.8.2 for Cost & Manufacturing.



Please note: The judging categories and areas to be covered remain completely unchanged. Only the procedure of how judging is conducted has changed, not what is being evaluated.



Team Composition

The number of students accompanying the vehicle during judging is limited to 15. These students must collectively be able to cover all Engineering Design and Cost and Manufacturing categories, so choose your team representatives carefully.

Timing & Scheduling

Each team will receive an individual schedule ahead of the event. Teams are expected to follow their assigned timing to ensure a smooth flow for everyone. More detailed information on the scheduling process will be provided in the Event Handbook.

Exhibits & Materials

Teams are still welcome to bring exhibits or other supporting materials to their stations. Please keep in mind that the permitted materials differ between the two disciplines:

Engineering Design: A table will be provided at each station. During judging, only the vehicle itself, items which fit on the provided table, and your presentation (carried in your hands as a printed version or in digital form) may be used. Posters and flipcharts are not permitted.

Cost & Manufacturing: In addition to the above, flipcharts and posters are permitted at the station. Flipcharts up to size A1 are allowed; however, only two can be displayed side by side. Additional flipcharts may be stacked and flipped through.

Please note that display stands are not permitted at any station for either discipline, so plan your materials accordingly and make the most of what you bring!

We're looking forward to exciting statics judging this year. See you at FSG 2026!

Your FSG Org Team