Blue Lobster Bowl 2013: Team Intent Form

Preparations are underway for the Blue Lobster Bowl on February 9, 2013.

To apply to participate in this year’s bowl, please complete this Team Intent Form. Indicate how many teams you’d like to bring to the competition by filling in the “Coach of Record” for your A, B, and/or C teams.

One form per High School is due via e-mail (BLB@mit.edu) no later than November 2, 2012.

This information is critical for our planning process. Team Rosters and Consent Forms will be requested at a later date.

Up to 24 student teams can compete in the Blue Lobster Bowl each year. In the event that we have more teams than we can accommodate, we will accept one team (the "A Team") from every school that has applied. If sufficient space is available, we will then accept all secondary teams ("B Teams") and then tertiary teams ("C Teams"). If we cannot accommodate all of the teams in a class (A, B, or C) we will determine accepted schools from that class according to a random lottery.

Teams will be notified of the status (competing vs. non-competing) by November 16, 2012. If you have questions please contact Gayle Sherman: gsherman@mit.edu; 617-252-1617.

About the Blue Lobster Bowl
The Blue Lobster Bowl is an annual academic competition that encourages high school students to learn about the ocean. Each year, in early February, students from high schools throughout Massachusetts come to compete and test their knowledge at the MIT Campus as part of a fun, national quiz bowl program.

The Blue Lobster Bowl hosts teams from up to 24 schools. Multiple teams from each school will be allowed to compete, as space permits.

Mentorship Opportunity
If you’re an experienced coach and are interested in being a mentor, or a newer coach, and interested in getting guidance from either a mentor or an MIT Graduate Student Volunteer, please indicate this on your Intent Form.
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High School Name: ____________________________

**Team A** Coach Name: ______________________
Number of Years Coaching: ______
Email Address: _______________
Phone Number: _______________

*Optional:*
I would like to: _____Serve as a Mentor or _____Be Mentored

**Team B** Coach Name: ______________________
Number of Years Coaching: ______
Email Address: _______________
Phone Number: _______________

*Optional:*
I would like to: _____Serve as a Mentor or _____Be Mentored

**Team C** Coach Name: ______________________
Number of Years Coaching: ______
Email Address: _______________
Phone Number: _______________

*Optional:*
I would like to: _____Serve as a Mentor or _____Be Mentored