



Dear Program Director,

Once again, it is time to prepare for the OSRT annual Quiz Bowl Competition. This year, the competition will be held at the OSRT annual meeting being held in Cleveland, Ohio. The Competition is scheduled for all day on Saturday, April 18, 2009. Enclosed is the team application form. **Please note that there is one rule change for the competition.** During the September 2006 meeting, the OSRT Board approved to charge a \$20.00 participation fee for each quiz bowl team to be subsequently donated to the OSRT Educational Foundation. As you know, the OSRT Educational Foundation supports educational opportunities for students and technologist.

The completed **application form and \$20.00 application fee must be return to the quiz bowl committee by February 1, 2009** in order for your team and team members to participate. You may submit your application via email and postmark your money by the deadline. The rules for the team competition can be found on the OSRT web site at www.osrt.org under the *Cmpetitions* link. If you need a paper copy please contact me at (513) 936- 7133 and I will send you a copy through the mail.

Remember all team members ***must be an OSRT student member***. The student membership application can be found on the website at www.osrt.org under the student corner section. All participating team members ***must be pre-registered for the Annual Meeting*** in order to participate in the quiz bowl competition. ***The pre-registration deadline date to attend the meeting is March 30, 2009.*** If a student fails to become a member and/or fails to pre-register for the meeting by the deadline date, they will not be allowed to participate in the competition. You do NOT need to send student membership cards with the team application form. The OSRT secretary will be able to check for student membership and pre-registration status.

The committee is in **need of individuals who would like to help with judging, score keeping, and sergeant-at-arms during the quiz bowl competition. Please indicate your interest on the application.** We are asking the program directors and team advisors to submit questions in each category to build up our bank of questions. Please submit them to the email address below. Thank you in advance for your participation!

The quiz bowl competition is free to any guest. Their conduct is the responsibility of the OSRT member and must comply with all OSRT guidelines. Please feel free to contact either of us if you have any questions. We hope to see you in Columbus! We wish your team the best of luck in the competition!

Sincerely,

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