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NJ Department of Education Announces Winners of Global Logistics and Supply Chain Management Competition

Trenton, NJ – The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to announce the winners of the third annual Global Logistics and Supply Chain Management competition.

The competition was open to the 40 school districts that have adopted the Supply Chain Management program created by the NJDOE and Rutgers Business School’s Supply Chain Management department.

A total of 18 teams entered: 11 for the advanced division and seven for the beginner’s division. The teams were given a role, a situation, and tasked to research and present in a video. This year’s competition tasked the competing teams to develop a global distribution plan for the COVID-19 vaccine.

“I would like to thank all the participants of the third annual Global Logistics and Supply Chain Management competition, and extend congratulations to our student winners,” said Dr. Angelica Allen-McMillan, Acting Commissioner of Education. “All of the teams demonstrated tremendous problem-solving skills and their solutions for developing a global distribution plan for a COVID-19 vaccination program really showcased some of our brightest young minds.”

Eight judges evaluated the videos based on authenticity, depth of research, and presentation. The total scores from the judges were used to determine the first, second, and third place winners in both the beginner and advanced divisions.

“This competition is yet another example of the incredible talent that exists within our New Jersey classrooms,” said Dr. Lisa J. Gleason, Assistant Commissioner of Division of Academics and Performance. “Industry experts who judged this competition were impressed by the quality of work presented by students and found their COVID-19 Distribution Plans to be well-researched, authentic solutions that will be an integral part of the foundation that helps New Jersey’s economy thrive and prosper.”

The winners are listed below:

Advanced Division
1st Place: Passaic County Technical Institute <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Gisselle Ambrosio○ Gisselle Hernandez○ Michele Gonzalez○ Samiyah Goodwin

<p>2nd Place: West Deptford High School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Brian Loughery ○ Ethan Nizzardi ○ Jack Haverson ○ Robert Smizer
<p>3rd Place: East Orange Campus High School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mary Jones ○ Oscary Mendoza ○ Sasha Miller

Beginners Division
<p>1st Place: Morris County School of Technology – Team 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Carter Hauge ○ Jay Patel ○ Matthew Martino ○ Sammie Dolce
<p>2nd Place: Union High School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ana Figueiredo ○ Ethan Deronet ○ Michele Torres ○ Ricardo Rodriguez ○ Sneha Mexon
<p>3rd Place: Morris County School of Technology – Team 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Caitlin Frey ○ Emma Fields ○ Jamie Hoberman ○ Sanya Mehta

