

## 2012 “AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN DESIGN” CONTEST SUBMISSION PROCESS

### 3D Animation Category Submission process:

1. Select one team member, mentor or parent to upload the animation file.
2. Register your team at <https://autodesk-firstanimation.skild.com>
3. Follow the instructions to submit your entry on the Skild Intelligent Competitions submission platform using the requirements listed above.
4. PLEASE NOTE: While we don't require teams to include a YouTube link, we strongly encourage teams to post their submissions on YouTube as well as uploading them through the Skild platform for optimal public viewing.

### 3D Design Category Submission process:

1. Create account on Autodesk Education Community ([students.autodesk.com](http://students.autodesk.com)) if one does not exist.
2. You'll need to create the following to complete the submission process:
  - a. A .jpg of screen capture showing design image that will be presented in the video.  
*A .mov file of your design to be judged. Please note that Autodesk Inventor Publisher 2012 output for video format is .avi. Please convert .avi to acceptable format (.mov) with any program or conversion process you are familiar with. Total video time must be a minimum of 30 seconds to a maximum of 2 minutes. The maximum file size that will be accepted is 200 Mb.*
3. Go to the “Design Showcase” tab on the Autodesk Education Community and “Share Your Designs” to create your own gallery.
  - a. The Gallery Name should be "FRC 2012 3D Design Award."
  - b. Under Description, insert the 140 character description of your design submission into the “Description” field. You must include your team number as "FRC xxxx .... " at the beginning. This description will be used to share your submission with peers within FRC as well as any friends, mentors, sponsors, or supporters of your team.  
*Select Autodesk Inventor Publisher as the software used to produce your design. If this option is not listed, please use the TEST selection at the bottom of the list.*
  - c. Upload your .jpg file which will represent your thumbnail image for your submission in your gallery.
  - d. Upload your .mov file which will represent your submission entry file in your gallery.
  - e. Confirm that both files were successfully uploaded and can be viewed. This process may take several minutes to a few hours to complete so please allow sufficient time for the upload to be completed and confirmed to ensure your submission can be received by Autodesk by the deadline of March 30, 2012 at 4:59 PM Pacific Daylight Time (PDT).

After confirmation that all items are uploaded and functioning properly, select the "Share" button and select "Email" to send the URL of the gallery submissions to "[first.award@autodesk.com](mailto:first.award@autodesk.com)". Place the 140 character description in the "Message" field.