



Skills USA ITS 2019



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- Adam Pryor - Judge
- Brian Hogan - Judge
- David Crafts - Judge
- Bryan Andrews - Judge
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- Jerry Taylor - National Education Team



Goals for the Contest

- Direct alignment to current industry trends
- Competing in real-world scenarios
- Knowledge that serves any career path or next steps
- Emphasis on customer service, professionalism, and soft-skills

While there's only one 1st place winner, by competing here this week everyone will gain valuable industry experience that will set you apart in your career



General Notes

- Cell Phones - don't bring them (or surrender them)
- Contestant number - your ONLY method of identification
- Software/Tools - everything is provided for you
- Cheating/Screen-looking - don't do it
- Be professional - no games
- Virtualized - most modules remote desktop in



Prizes

1st prize: \$1,150 Amazon Gift Card

2nd prize: \$850 Amazon Gift Card

3rd prize: \$500 Amazon Gift Card

Furnished by Total Seminars





Contest Day

- Arrive at 8:00 AM; will likely get rolling around 8:30 AM
- Follow Official Clothing Requirements found in Technical Standards

Testing A+ Day

- Arrive at assigned time
- Business casual
- Be cognizant of the bus schedule



Specific Notes

IT Consulting/SOW

- 30 minutes to collaborate and edit, 15 minutes to present to customer
- 0 points awarded to written SOW - all points awarded for interaction

SOMS

- Briefing and “getting familiar” time will be available before the module
- If you want to practice; download the software from the ITS website




Debriefing

- **Thursday** at 4:30
- We'll break down the contest, then debrief after
- Incorrectly listed in the handbook
- Don't show up Friday
- Please stop by during the contest to say hi



A+ Testing

- **** DIFFERENT THAN LAST YEAR**
- Come to the contest area at your scheduled Time
- Pick up Miller Bus at Stop 15 to Sullivan
- ID policy in full effect
 - 1 photo ID with signature
 - 1 additional ID with matching signature
 - 17 years old or younger: 1 photo ID with signature and adult with government issued ID



Following Contestants **MUST** stay after briefing

- 507
- 509
- 514
- 517
- 101
- 103
- 104
- 105
- 107
- 109
- 110
- 118
- 120
- 128
- 129
- 131
- 132
- 136



Contestant Groupings

Contest Wed / Test Thurs

A - 105, 114, 123, 132
B - 106, 115, 124, 133
C - 107, 116, 125, 134
D - 108, 117, 126, 135
E - 109, 118, 127, 136
F - 110, 119, 128
G - 111, 120, 129
H - 112, 121, 130
I - 113, 122, 131

Test Wed / Contest Thurs

Q - 501, 511
R - 502, 512
S - 503, 513
T - 504, 514
U - 505, 515
V - 506, 516
W - 507, 517
X - 508, 518
Y - 509, 519
Z - 101, 102, 103, 104

WED AM - ARRIVE AT 8AM

501	507
502	508
503	509
504	510
505	511
506	

THU AM - ARRIVE AT 8AM

105	111	116
106	112	117
107	113	118
108	114	119
109	115	120
110		

TESTING

WED PM - ARRIVE AT 1PM

512	517
513	518
514	101
515	102
516	103
	104

THU PM - ARRIVE AT 1PM

121	127	
122	128	
123	129	133
124	130	134
125	131	135
126	132	136