

## 2025 FLATE Most Innovative Manufacturing Student Event Award

### Purpose

This award recognizes outstanding and innovative ways to promote manufacturing career awareness and technology education through innovative student outreach events during the previous year (2024 event). In-person or virtual events include student tours of manufacturing facilities, student project competitions, American Teach-in Day with topics related to manufacturing, or other events that engage students in innovative ways directly with manufacturers.

Awardees will have demonstrated an impact on student perception and knowledge about manufacturing careers at the local, state, and/or national levels. The award represents FLATE's commitment to recognizing organizations or companies who have made significant contributions to manufacturing or engineering technology outreach or educational programs in our public or private educational institutions.

### Eligibility

A Manufacturing student event was held in the previous year (2024) that included manufacturers and students.

Each applicant shall submit the online form consisting of the following:

- Applicant Information
  - Name of Organization (Company or School)
  - Contact Name
  - Email
  - Phone
- List Participating Community Partners
- Location of Manufacturing Month Student Event
- Event Description (Maximum 300 words).
  - Manufacturer Involvement
  - Number of Participating Manufacturers
  - Manufacturer Information (Name, Number of participating employees, website)
  - Student Involvement
  - Approximate Number of Students
  - Grade level(s)
  - Approximate Number of Educators and/or Advisors
  - Number of Participating Schools
  - Name of School(s)
  - Location of Schools (City, State, County)
- Description of Impact on Student Perception and Knowledge of Manufacturing Careers such as event survey data, participant comments, etc. (Maximum 300 words)
- Event Images (Minimum 2). \*NOTE - total file size must be less than 16 MB\*