Award Categories

U.S. Nationals 2020

K-12 Awards

- 1st Place
- 2nd Place
- 3rd Place

Industry Innovation Awards

- Agriculture and Food
- Animal Care and Pets
- Consumer Goods and Fashion
- Environmental and Sustainability (formerly Earth and Geosciences)
- Education
- Energy
- Government and Financial
- Health and Medical
- Household Organization and Appliances
- Manufacturing and Tools
- Safety
- Sports, Games and Toys
- Transportation

Specialty Awards

- Aerospace Award: Presented by United Technologies Corporation
- Innovation in Electronics Award: Presented by Arrow Electronics
- Innovation in Energy Award: Presented by Chevron Corporation
- Innovation in Automotive Award: Presented by Maxim Integrated
- Connectivity Award: Presented by United Technologies Corporation
- Community and Societal Benefit Award: Presented by The Lemelson Foundation
- Those Who Make the World Award: Presented by Stanley Black & Decker
Award Categories
U.S. Nationals 2020
(Continued)

Patent Application Awards

President’s Choice Award

Invention Process Awards
• Best Video Presentation Award
• Best Logbook Award
• Best Display Board Award
• Best Prototype Award

Global Change Awards
• Accessibility Award
• Community/Societal Benefit Award: Sponsored by Lemelson
• Jules Verne Award for Forward Thinking Inventiveness Award

Global Impact Awards
• Market Potential
• Value Proposition
• Social Value
• Originality

Best of Show Awards
• Model i Youth Inventor Award: Sponsored by The Henry Ford
• Zero Hunger | Zero Waste Award: Presented by the Kroger Zero Hunger | Zero Waste Foundation
• Most Energy Sustainable Award: Presented by Avangrid Foundation
• Best Engineering Award: Presented by Maxim Integrated
• Young Visioneers Award: Presented by Koch Industries
• Most Innovative Award: Presented by United Technologies Corporation