

# CENTRAL OHIO



## MINIATURE BRIDGE BUILDING COMPETITION

December 12, 2019

Re: Central Ohio Miniature Bridge Building Competition - Sponsorship Opportunity

Dear Friend,

This year marks the first, hopefully to be annual, **Central Ohio Miniature Bridge Building Competition (COhMBBC)**. The event is being hosted by the Central Ohio Association of Bridge Construction and Design (ABCD), The Franklin County Engineer (FCEO), The Ohio State University (OSU), the OSU ASCE Student Chapter, the OSU AISC Student Chapter and the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) District 6. The event will take place on **Saturday, April 11, 2020 (please note this is Easter weekend), at the Ohio Union.**

The roots of civil engineering are likely the oldest form of engineering and may be traced back to the first time a tree trunk was laid across a river to access the other side. The built environment created by civil engineers encompasses much of what defines modern civilization. As leaders in our industry and community we want to not only support and promote the importance of this field, but also want to encourage our children to explore the possibility of a promising career in civil engineering.

Our goal with the COhMBBC is to **provide our local students an opportunity to learn hands on** while also providing a day full of fun. This type of learning experience carries great value that cannot be measured. **To successfully foster the future of our industry, we are asking for your help.** We respectfully request your consideration to help sponsor this event through volunteering to assist with judging on the day of the event, assisting with school visits to discuss this event and introduce students to civil engineering, and through monetary support. **Eliminating fiscal burdens on schools and participants of all socioeconomic status is crucial to providing a fair competition to all future engineers. Therefore, we are attempting to provide all materials necessary. Monetary donations are greatly appreciated as they contribute to the purchase of all bridge building supplies and prizes, as well as T-shirts and food and drinks for participating students. Your donation of time and/or money will give your company positive exposure and you will also be influencing the future of our students and our community. Our children are the future and deserve every advantage possible to grow into successful adults.**

The individuals or companies making the 4 highest monetary donations to this year's event will have the awards named after them for this competition year. A picture of the sponsor representative (if in attendance at the event) with the associated award winner will be provided to the sponsor. The awards consist of **1st Place in Structural Efficiency, 2nd Place in Structural Efficiency, 3rd Place in Structural Efficiency, and Aesthetics Award.**

# Central Ohio Miniature Bridge Building Competition - Specifications

## Sponsorship Tiers:

<b>Tier 1 - \$50</b>	<b>Bronze Sponsor</b>	Name recognition in event literature & website (individual name or company logo displayed on event website)
<b>Tier 2 - \$200</b>	<b>Silver Sponsor</b>	Tier 1 recognition & company logo on general Sponsorship Display Display at event
<b>Tier 3 - \$500</b>	<b>Gold Sponsor</b>	Tier 2 recognition & company name on T-shirt
<b>Tier 4 - \$750</b>	<b>Platinum Sponsor</b>	Tier 3 recognition & recognition as your choice of Breakfast, Lunch, or T-shirt sponsor
<b>Tier 5 - \$1000+</b>	<b>Diamond Sponsor</b>	Tier 2 recognition, Large Logo Display at Loading Stage, & Top four Sponsors' names assigned to Award

Please send your contact information to [Cohmbbc@gmail.com](mailto:Cohmbbc@gmail.com) if you are interested in volunteering the day of the event.

Thank you for your support!

## The COhMBBC Committee

**Julia A. Hart, PE, Event Coordinator**

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Please make all checks payable to **ABCD Central Ohio** and indicated COhMBBC in the memo line of your check. Please provide a copy of the information below with your check. Your checks can be mailed to **Julia Hart at 2475 Sugar Grove Road, Lancaster, Ohio 43130**. If you would prefer to make a donation by credit card, please click on the **CLICK HERE TO REGISTER OR DONATE** button on the event website <https://www.abcdco.org/cohmbbc.html> and then on the **REGISTER** button to see the available donation tiers.

<b>Individual or Company Name:</b>		<b>Donation Amount:</b>	
<b>Contact Person:</b>		<b>Phone Number:</b>	
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