



2022 USITCC Regional Highlights & Winner Circle

The Department of Information Technology and Cybersecurity in the College of Business of Missouri State University held the US Information Technology Collegiate Conference (USITCC) Regional Student Competition October 20-22, 2022, in Springfield, MO at the Missouri State University campus. The event could not be successful without the following sponsors:

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Attendance:

76	Student Attendees
27	Faculty Attendees
11	Sponsors and Exhibitors
114	Total Attendance from 7 Colleges & Universities among 3 States

Merit Award: **Top “Performing School” Award**

Missouri State University win the **1st place overall** based on this weighted scale:

- 6 points: 1st place awards
- 4 points: 2nd place awards
- 3 points: 3rd place awards
- 1 point: Honorable Mentions

Texas State University and University of Houston placed 2nd and 3rd.

A total of eight (8) IT competition events were available for the student attendees to choose from, each of which was staffed with a volunteer contest coordinator and judging team. The problem statements were similar to the National USITCC events, but with a limited scope to reflect the shorter contest timeframe. Students competing in those contests gained valuable experience and the winners were presented with trophies, certificates, and a winner photo showcasing their IT skills among peers. **Congratulations to all the participants!**

Contests Results:

Application Development Contest (7 teams)

1 st	Missouri State University	Brianna Thompson	Gabriel Fox
2 nd	Missouri State University	Sara Slayton	Joshua Stiffler
3 rd	Missouri State University	Jacob Renkoski	Noah Lawson

Business Analytics Contest (6 teams)

1 st	Texas State University	Syed Hossain Shahil	Harsh Parmar
2 nd	Missouri State University	Jacob Renkoski	Noah Lawson
3 rd	Missouri State University	Austin Jackson	Patrick Sikes

Database Design Contest (13 teams)

1 st	Missouri State University	Roger Perry	Joshua Stiffler
2 nd	University of Houston	Kenneth Rodriguez	Kobe Mores
3 rd	Texas State University	Marcus Block	Sam Serio

Network Design Contest (7 teams)

1 st	Missouri State University	Irina Palenko	
2 nd	University of Houston	Kenneth Rodriguez	Paul Brzozowski
3 rd	Texas State University	Harsh Parmar	Sebastian Osuke

Office Solutions Contest (17 teams)

1 st	Texas State University	Abigail Grover	Lance Spivey
2 nd	Ozark Technical Community College	Angela McLaughlin	
3 rd	Texas State University	Leslie Morales	Samantha Rios

PC Troubleshooting Contest (52 contestants)

1 st	Missouri State University	Gabriel Fox
2 nd	Missouri State University	Bradley Davidson
3 rd	Missouri State University	Garret Giuliani
HM 's	Missouri State University	Jacob Renkoski
	Missouri State University	Zachary Frey
	Missouri State University	Patrick Sikes
	Oklahoma Panhandle State University	Hunter Harris
	Missouri State University	Conner Wilkins
	Missouri State University	Krista Alexander
	Missouri State University	Brianna Thompson

Security Contest (51 contestants)

1 st	Oklahoma Panhandle State University	Jayden Valdez
2 nd	Missouri State University	Garret Giuliani
3 rd	Missouri State University	Krista Alexander
HM's	Missouri State University	Joshua Stiffler
	Missouri State University	Irina Palenko
	Missouri State University	Bradley Davidson
	Texas State University	Andrew Ly
	Texas State University	Leslie Morales
	Missouri State University	Cole Mazeitis
	Missouri State University	Jackson Luu

System Analysis and Design Contest (15 teams)

1 st	University of Houston	Paul Brzozowski	Kobe Mores
2 nd	Missouri State University	Sara Slayton	Alexandra Thies
3 rd	Missouri State University	Jacob Renkoski	Noah Lawson

List of Attending Colleges and Universities (7)

Amarillo College	Ozark Technical Community College
Cameron University	Texas State University
Missouri State University	University of Houston
Oklahoma Panhandle State University	