

# 5<sup>th</sup> Annual USITCC®

## Highlights, Winner Circle and Photo's!

*By Kevin Jetton, Foundation for IT Education VP & Event Planner (as of April 5, 2023)*

The Foundation for IT Education (FITE) held the 5<sup>th</sup> annual U.S. IT Collegiate Conference or USITCC March 30 - April 1, 2023 in Plano, Texas at the Dallas/Plano Marriott at Legacy Town Center. The event could not be successful without the support of our sponsors and more which included:

**Conference Sponsors:** College Raptor, Missouri State University, ICCP and COMMON  
**Exhibitors:** Missouri State University, Conoco-Phillips, myEducator, ICCP, Our Lady of the Lake University

**Attendance:**     **168** Student Attendees  
                      **33** Faculty Attendees  
                      **15** Sponsors, Speakers and Exhibitors, Judges, and IT Professionals  
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                      **216** Total Attendance from 20 Colleges & Universities

Event pictures are NOW available at via Missouri State University via this [Google Drive](#) link!

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 challenging yet students rose to the occasion giving it their all until the end for bragging rights to place at this national IT competition event. The highlights of the closing awards luncheon include the following awards and competition event winners:

### **Student Organization Award for Outstanding Chapter Growth**

- ACTS: Cameron University
- OSUIT-ITSA: Oklahoma State University Institute of Technology
- Information Technology Club: University of Pikeville

### **Student Organization Award for Model Student Organization**

- ITSA: Texas State University
- ITSA: Georgia Gwinnett College

### **Student Organization Award for Premier Student Organization**

- ITSA: Ball State University
- FITP: University of Houston

### **Student Organization Award for IT Student Organization of the Year**

- A-BITS: Missouri State University

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### ICCP George Eggert Memorial Award for top onsite student ICCP exam takers

1 <sup>st</sup>	Peter Okolocha	Georgia Ginnett College
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Edwin Boinillo-Sorto	Georgia Gwinnett College
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jacob Renkoski	Missouri State University

### Microsoft Office Solutions Contest (52 teams)

1 <sup>st</sup>	Colorado Mesa University	Myrisa Mitchell	Chelsie Roth
2 <sup>nd</sup>	University of Iowa	Jackson Kithcart	Maria Kircher
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Missouri State University	Patrick Sikes	Ian Brown
HM's	Missouri State University	Brad Davidson	Krista Alexander
	University of Iowa	Evan Devries	Charles Ahmer

### Systems Analysis & Design Contest (10 teams)

1 <sup>st</sup>	University of Houston	Paul Brzozowski	Kobe Mores
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Missouri State University	Sara Slayton	Alexandra Theis
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Missouri State University	Lyle Rich	Chris Burros

### Database Design Contest (37 teams)

1 <sup>st</sup>	University of Iowa	Ashton Stoelk	Isaac McSorley
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Georgia Gwinnett College	Faith Johnson	Samuel Downs
3 <sup>rd</sup>	University of Iowa	Jackson Kithcart	Maria Kircher
HM's	Georgia Gwinnett College	Peter Okolocha	ReAnn Hollins
	Eastern Connecticut State University	Drew Cavar	Jacob Cohen

### Network Design Contest (21 teams)

1 <sup>st</sup>	Texas State University	Andrew Ly	Jose Lopez III
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Missouri State University	Brad Davidson	Ian Brown
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Missouri State University	Gabriel Fox	Conner Wilkinson
HM's	Texas State University	Harsh Parmar	Sebastian Osuke
	Texas State University	Joseph Maynard	Marcus Block

### Application Development (22 teams)

1 <sup>st</sup>	Amarillo College	Andrew Gonzales	Daniel Guillen
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Missouri State University	Brianna Thompson	Alexandra Thies
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Missouri State University	Sara Slayton	Bach Xuan Nguyen
HM	Missouri State University	Jeffrey Mitchell	Jessica Snare

### PC Troubleshooting (90 contestants)

1 <sup>st</sup>	Missouri State University	Brad Davidson
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Northwestern State University of Louisiana	Brandon Jordan
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Oklahoma Panhandle State University	Hunter Harris
HM's	University of Houston	Sai Charan
	Missouri State University	Chris Burros
	Kalamazoo Valley Community College	Sirri Bearss
	Missouri State University	Gabriel Fox
	Gateway Technical College	Michael LaPointe
	Missouri State University	Conner Wilkinson
	Georgia Gwinnett College	Timothy Abeasi

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### **Business Analytics Contest** (21 teams) *sponsored by CollegeRaptor*

1 <sup>st</sup>	University of Iowa	Ashton Stoelk	Isaac McSorley
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Texas State University	Shahmeen Razzak	Nicholas Robertson
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Missouri State University	Rajan Shukla	Nicholas Loke
HM's	University of Iowa	Ben Shabaz	Alex Conrad
	Missouri State University	Ashish Sedai	Alexander Fuerst
	Georgia Gwinnett College	Sam Downs	

### **Security** (83 contestants)

1 <sup>st</sup>	Missouri State University	Ian Brown
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Missouri State University	Jacob Renkoski
3 <sup>rd</sup>	University of Houston	Haley Heyman
HM's	Missouri State University	Noah Lawson
	Georgia Gwinnett College	Timothy Abeasi
	University of Houston	Sai Charan
	Gateway Technical College	Angel Santiago
	Texas State University	Sam Serio
	Missouri State University	Conner Wilkinson
	Oklahoma Panhandle State University	Jayden Valdez

### **List of Attending Colleges and Universities (20)**

Amarillo College  
Ball State University  
Cameron University  
Colorado Mesa University  
Dallas College  
Eastern Connecticut State University  
Eastern Iowa Community Colleges  
Gateway Technical College  
Georgia Gwinnett College  
Kalamazoo Valley Community College  
Missouri State University-Springfield  
Northwestern State University of Louisiana  
Oklahoma Panhandle State University  
Oklahoma State University Institute of  
Technology  
Our Lady of the Lake University  
Sam Houston State University  
Texas State University  
University of Houston  
University of Iowa  
University of Pikeville