

Maritime RobotX Challenge Update

2020 Maritime RobotX Challenge

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1. Maritime RobotX Challenge Update – August 6, 2020

1.1. Email Details

SEND: Thursday, August 6, 2020
TO: 2020 Team Leads & Advisors
FROM: Hitesh Patel
SUBJECT: RobotX Challenge 2020 Status Update

1.2. Email Message

Hello Teams,

The health and safety of the RoboNation community remain our highest priority. As the effects of COVID-19 are spreading around the world, we know that many regions are continuing to face school and office closures, travel restrictions, and other challenges that affect each of our daily lives.

As a result, we have decided to make some major changes to RobotX 2020. They are as follows:

1. The physical competition scheduled for December 2020 in Hawaii has been cancelled.
2. We are working to create a second Virtual RobotX Challenge. The 2021 version of the Virtual RobotX Challenge will be designed to help your team better prepare for the RobotX Challenge 2022 and its new tasks.

Our intent with these changes, is to allow you to remain active and engaged no matter the status of your school's opening. We will make an announcement as soon as there are more details to share with you, we will announce those.

View the official announcement here: <https://robonation.org/2020/08/06/covid-19-response-2020-robotx-status-update/>

We recognize this year has been significantly different for everyone and we are disappointed to not see you all in what was supposed to be a RobotX year. However, we look forward to future virtual opportunities and encourage you and your team to download the Band App and stay engaged with the RobotX community. This will keep you informed through announcements, webinars, as well as other curated content. Follow this link to join: <https://band.us/n/a8ad325bo9e9x>

Please do not hesitate to reach out to us with any questions you may have. Thank you for your time and stay safe.