

## **Aerosim Inter-School Aviation Tournament 2024**

# Terms & Conditions (As of 28th December 2023)

## 1. Copyrights and Plagiarism

- 1.1 All entries to the tournament must be the original work of the participating parties. Participant parties found to have committed copyright infringement in their work will be disqualified;
- 1.2 Participating teams found to have committed acts of plagiarism in their work will be disqualified;
- 1.3 All information or materials provided on the online education portal ("Moodle") are the property of Aerosim (HK) Limited, distribution and dissemination of the aforementioned information or materials are not permitted.

## 2. Use of Information

- 2.1 All information collected, including personal data of the participating teams, will be used by Aerosim (HK) Limited (the "Organiser") for purposes relating to the tournament. This includes but is not limited to:
  - Data collection
  - Sign up for an online learning platform
  - Disclosure and transfer of information to the judging panel
  - Consideration for eligibility for training
  - Publish on websites and social media in the future by both organisers and sponsoring companies
  - The information may also be used for the promotion and publicising of the events
- 2.2 Participating teams may be requested to attend publicity campaigns, e.g. promotional shooting at schools, venues where filming takes place or on any other occasions, promotion activities and media interviews;
- 2.3 For promotional purposes, the organiser reserves all rights of the photo and video recording at any social activities and events related to the tournament;
- 2.4 The organiser (Aerosim HK Limited) owns the right to use video footage submitted by participating teams as deemed fit, including but not limited to creating "behind-the-scenes" clips for promotional purposes and release on any possible platforms.



#### 3. Conflict of Interest

- 3.1 The Organiser shall ensure that it, its directors, partners, employees, judging panel and its authorised supporting organisations have no subjectivity or biases towards the outcome of the tournament.
  - 3.1.1 No preferential treatment during contests or in training materials/training shall occur towards teams sponsored by strategic partners or towards teams representing schools who have had prior involvement with Aerosim;
  - 3.1.2 No overlapping of "sponsored" / "affiliated" team and "sponsoring affiliated" panel members shall occur during judging or any form of evaluation.

## 4. General Rules and Regulations

- 4.1 The Organiser (Aerosim HK Limited) reserves the right to alter or modify the rules or schedule of the tournament where necessary depending on the circumstances;
- 4.2 Participating teams must agree, adhere to, and abide by the "Eligibility" and "Terms and conditions" of this tournament. The organiser reserves the right to disqualify participating teams who fail to conform to the rules or violate any of the above rules and regulations;
- 4.3 Application fee, once paid, will not be refunded under any circumstances;
- 4.4 All participants reserve the right to withdraw from this tournament at any time, but the application fee will not be refunded;
  - 4.4.1 To exercise the right of withdrawal, participants are required to comply with the process of withdrawal as follows,

Notify Organiser via email (aerosimtournament@gmail.com) containing the information listed below:

- School Name and Team Name
- Full name of the member
- Valid reason for Withdrawal
- 4.5 Application fee should be paid by the 31st of December 2023. Failure to do so would render the application void\*
  - 4.5.1 Early bird discount refers to written commitment on behalf of schools by 1<sup>st</sup> of December 2023
- 4.6 The decision of the judging panel on all results shall be final and conclusive. No appeals will be entertained;



- 4.7 The organiser will not be responsible for any failures of personal equipment during or after the Tournament;
- 4.8 If any stages are to be postponed or cancelled, emails will be sent out to all participants, and announcements will be made on the organiser's website: <a href="https://aerosim.com.hk/aiat2024/">https://aerosim.com.hk/aiat2024/</a>
- 4.9 AIAT2023 participants are allowed to participate in AIAT2024. Each group of AIAT2024 participants are allowed to include Max. 2 AIAT2023 participants.

## 5. Force Majeure

"Force Majeure" means circumstances which are beyond our reasonable control, and which are reasonably likely to affect the successful delivery of the tournament or would make it inadvisable, impracticable, illegal, or impossible for us to host the tournament, including circumstances which directly affect the participants resulting in a material percentage of the participants being reasonably likely to be prevented from attending the tournament;

- 5.1 If, as a result of Force Majeure, the Organiser needs to adjust the tournament, the Organiser shall use it reasonable endeavours to (a) switch the face-to-face Workshop/STEM training from Physical mode to Online mode; (b), postponement of the Workshop/STEM training is subject to the HKSAR government regulation;
- 5.2 If, as a result of Force Majeure, online tournament training will be held as scheduled and no make-up session will be offered.

### 6. Special Arrangements for Bad Weather

- 6.1 The rules specified by EDB are applicable to this tournament:
  - Workshop/STEM Training for the morning session will be cancelled when Typhoon Signal No.8 or above is hoisted or Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is issued at or after 6:30 a.m;
  - Consultation session/training for the afternoon session will be resumed when Typhoon Signal No.8 or above or Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is cancelled at or before 11:30 a.m. Otherwise, the Consultation session/training for the afternoon session will continue to be cancelled;
  - Participants will be notified for further arrangements in due course.

<sup>\*</sup>Subject to the discretion of the organiser (Aerosim HK Limited)