

Sponsor the Vertical Flight Society's annual Design-Build-Vertical Flight Student Competition!



This electric vertical take-off and landing (eVTOL) competition encourages interest in unmanned aircraft technology and small air vehicle design and fabrication.

The competition will help students develop hands-on skills with eVTOL technology and prepare the next generation of leaders to advance this exciting field.



Competition Deliverables:



**Safety, Risk Mitigation
and Wiring Plan**
Jan. 7, 2026



Final Technical Report
Mar. 2, 2026



Final Presentation
Week of Mar. 16, 2026

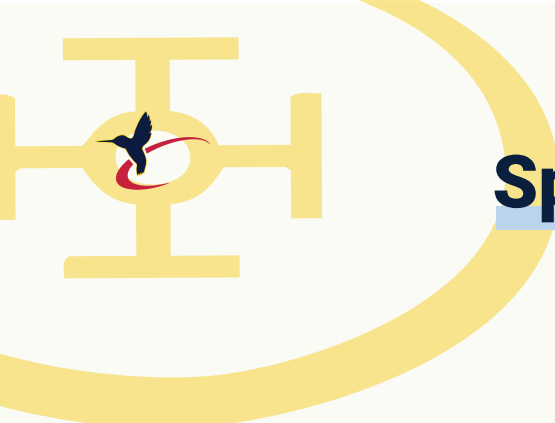


Fly-Off
Apr. 7-10, 2026

The Vertical Flight Society
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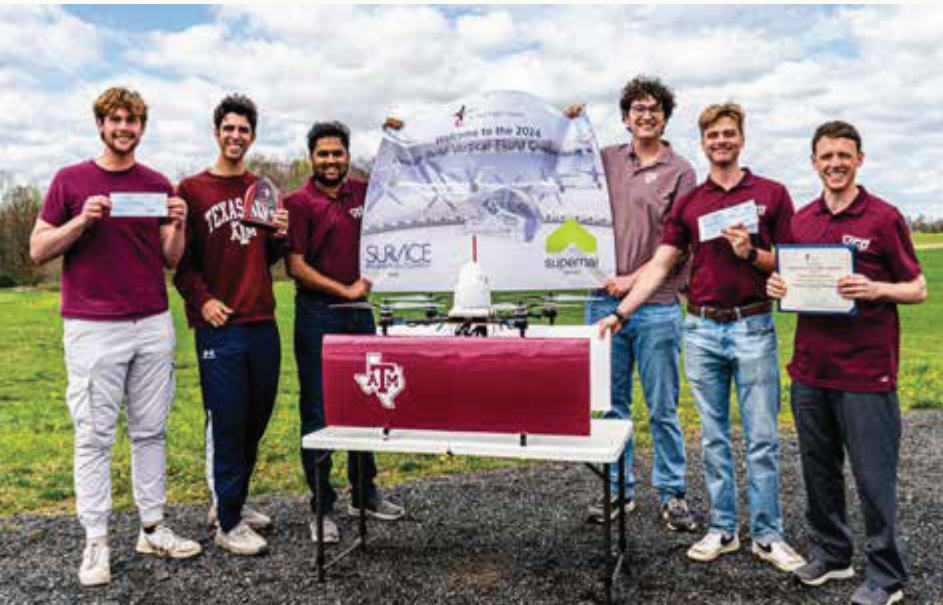
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Sponsorship Levels and Benefits

Design Build Vertical Flight Competition

	Flagship \$40,000	Premier \$15,000	Catalyst \$5,000
“Presented by” naming on materials	✕		
Top billing in media content	✕		
Keynote Speaker at fly-off	✕		
Special engagement opportunities at VFS's Forum and TVF events	✕		
Opportunities for sponsor to invite student teams to present at sponsor events and/or host a panel with winning DBVF teams	✕		
Special marketing in VFS' eVTOL Newsletter	✕		
End of Year Highlight Video recognition	✕	✕	
Resumes and contact from student participants for talent recruitment purposes	✕	✕	
Tabletop exhibit at fly-off event	✕	✕	
Logo and recognition in Vertiflite eVTOL Newsletter general marketing	✕	✕	
eVTOL.news website general marketing	✕	✕	
Logo recognition on VFS's DBVF website and/or VFS social media promotion	✕	✕	✕
Distribution opportunity of sponsor-provided labeled swag at the fly-off	✕	✕	✕
Complimentary attendance at fly-off	8	4	2



DBVF sponsors will be at the forefront of supporting UAS, eVTOL, STEM and the air mobility industry. Your sponsorship will promote your brand to event participants and supporters throughout the competition process.

For more information about sponsorship opportunities, please contact: fly@hq.vtol.org.

