Student Competition: Towards an Ethically Sensitive Society

The Neely Center for Ethical Leadership and Decision Making is pleased to announce our inaugural annual student competition:

Towards an Ethically Sensitive Society

The competition is open to all USC students. Submissions are invited in all areas of ethics and decision making including, but not limited to:

1.   The intersection of technology and society
2.   Business ethics
3.   Public policy ethics
4.   Personal and societal ethics

Submissions can be in the form of a written article, a presentation, or video. Submission themes include:

1.   A case study exhibiting a real life decision that involves trade-offs and an ethical dilemma,
2.   Reflections on what comprises an ethically sensitive decision culture and the impediments/ inducers of ethical behavior
3.   Fairness and equity issues with ethical implications
4.   Unanticipated ethical considerations revolving around the future of technology

A distinguished panel of judges from USC and industry will evaluate the submissions and select the finalists and the winners. Finalists will present in our annual **Next Generation Ethics Conference Scheduled for March 15, 2018 in Town and Gown.**
The conference will include several world-renowned speakers from industry and academia.

First prize $3000 , Second Prize $2000, Third Prize $1000

Important Dates:
September 30, 2017: Intent to participate. Please e-mail decide@usc.edu with your intent to participate so we may forward you follow up e-mails about USC resources to help you with the submissions. The intent to participate should include a title and a brief abstract/description of the work.
November 15, 2017: Initial draft – So we may offer feedback from experts on your submission.
February 15, 2018: Submission of final draft.
March 1, 2018: Announcement of finalists.
March 15, 2018: Next Generation Ethics Conference – Announcement of Winners.

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