



MTI Team Applications Open February 1, 2026

On Sunday, February 1st, team applications open for the tenth annual [Multinational Tech Invitational](#) (MTI) - formerly the [Maryland Tech Invitational](#) - a highly competitive, tech focused, international, off-season *FIRST*® Tech Challenge tournament.

Be part of the experience. Compete for team grants. Earn your place on the MTI field.

Event Dates: June 26-28, 2026

Location: [Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory](#) in Laurel, MD.

Invitations are earned through on-field performance during the DECODESM season and demonstrated capability in the required solo match video submission.

Application Deadline: Sunday, March 29, 2026

Registration Fee: \$800

Important

The MTI is **not** an FTC Premier Event. Teams **must apply** to be considered. Invitations are extended to top-performing robot game teams.

Additional MTI opportunities include

- [STEM Exposition](#)
- [Intern Networking Program](#).

See the [MTI website](#) to [APPLY](#) and for more details.

Questions? Direct them to info@mti.firstchesapeake.org

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