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## Press Release

### 20 teams from 10 countries join the International Scientific Informatics Olympiad for School Teams IIOT 2024

Twenty teams from ten countries will be participating in the seventh International Scientific Informatics Olympiad for School Teams, IIOT 2024, held this year in Damascus, Syria from 10-12 May 2024. For the first time since its launch in 2017, the event is being held in Syria and organized by the Distinction and Creativity Agency.

Syria joined IIOT in 2022. As a host country, Syria will be represented by 5 teams whereas member countries can join with 3 teams and guest country is allowed 1 team only. This year's list of participants: Romania, Italy, Hungary, Egypt, and Syria. Guest countries are Iran, Slovakia, Pakistan, Bulgaria, and Armenia. Every team will be composed of 4 students and 1 team leader.

Each team is required to solve no less than 7 problems in 4 straight hours, using no more than two laptops and programming languages Pascal, C++, and C.

#### **Friday, 10 May 2024**

16:00 PM: Opening ceremony with welcome speeches by president of the Distinction and Creativity Agency, IIOT Syria National coordinator, and IIOT International Coordinator

17:30 – 19:30 PM: Practice tests.

#### **Saturday, 11 May 2024**

9:30 AM – 13:30 PM: The Competition

#### **Sunday, 12 May 2024**

Announcement of the final results for the first, second, and third places, and presenting them with gold, silver, and bronze medals respectively.

For live streaming in both Arabic and English, please visit [www.iiot2024.sy](http://www.iiot2024.sy) or follow us on Facebook.