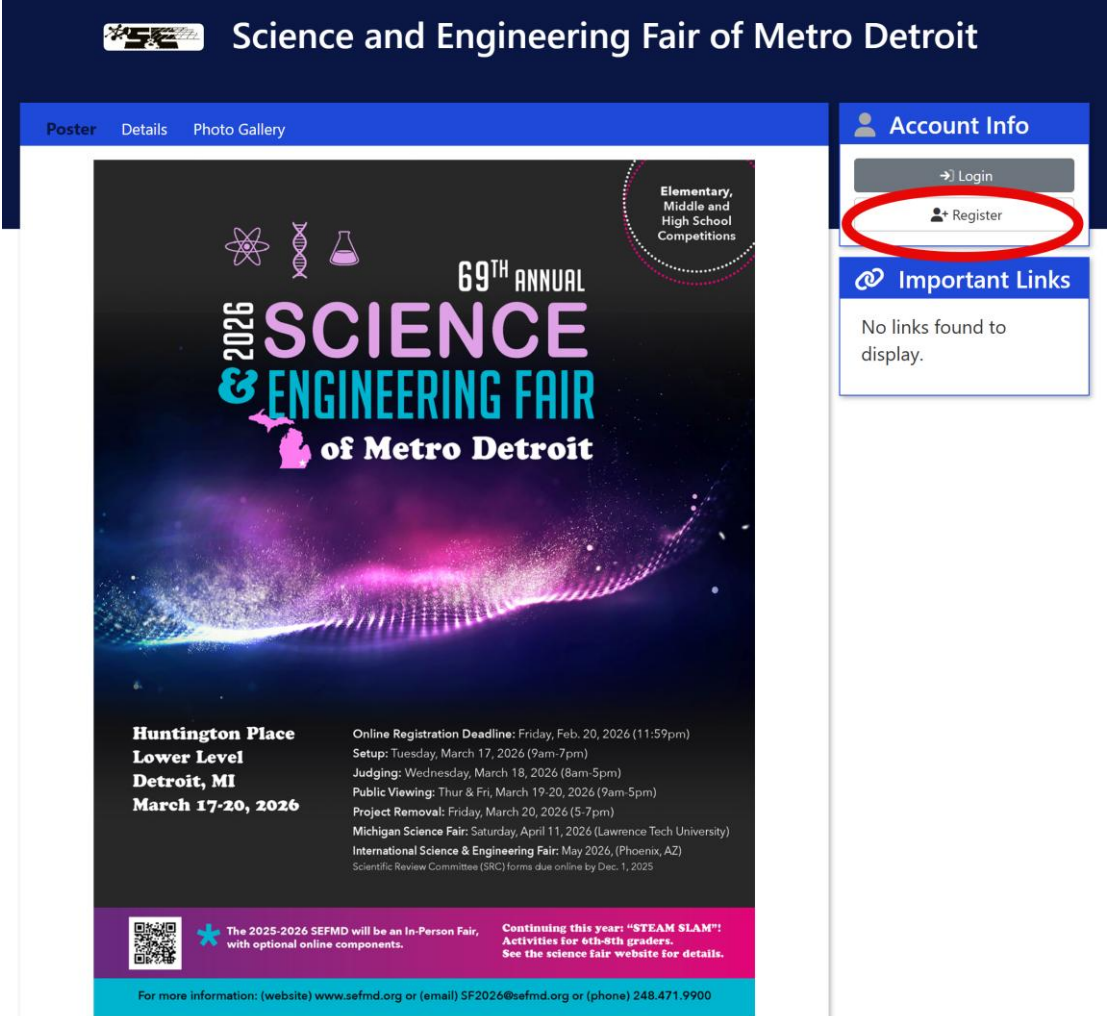
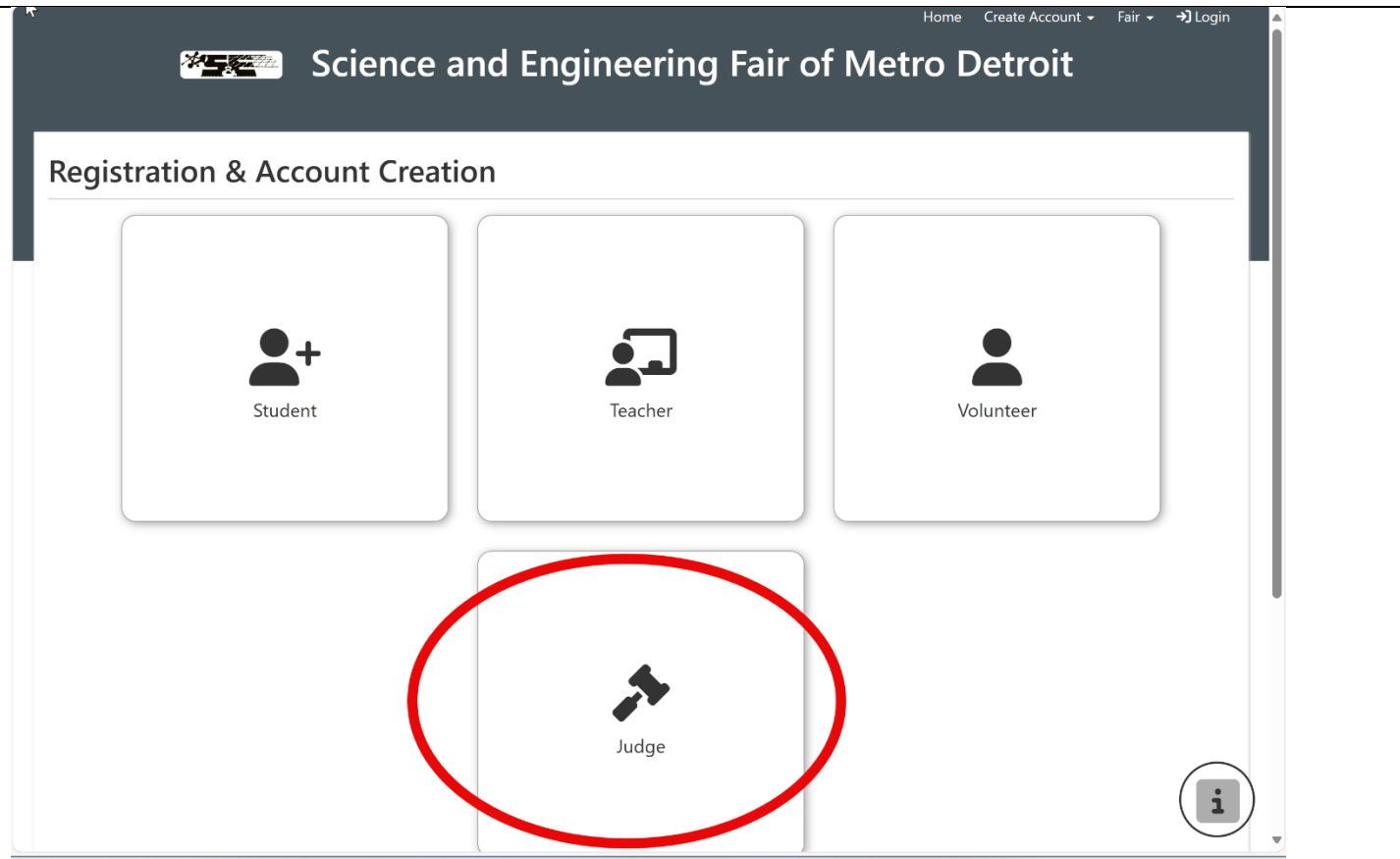


## 10 steps to register as a judge for Science Fair (revised 10/7/25)

#	Description	Screen Shot
1	<p>Start the process by going to:  <a href="https://zfairs.sefmd.org">https://zfairs.sefmd.org</a></p> <p>To register for the first time, select 'Register'</p> <p>To update information after you are registered, select 'Login'</p>	 <p>The screenshot shows the homepage of the Science and Engineering Fair of Metro Detroit. The main banner is dark with a glowing pink and blue wave pattern. It includes the text '69th ANNUAL SCIENCE &amp; ENGINEERING FAIR of Metro Detroit'. Below this, it specifies the location and dates: 'Huntington Place Lower Level Detroit, MI March 17-20, 2026'. A list of key dates is provided: Online Registration Deadline (Friday, Feb. 20, 2026), Setup (Tuesday, March 17, 2026), Judging (Wednesday, March 18, 2026), Public Viewing (Thursday and Friday, March 19-20, 2026), Project Removal (Friday, March 20, 2026), Michigan Science Fair (Saturday, April 11, 2026), and International Science &amp; Engineering Fair (May 2026). A QR code is located in the bottom left corner. On the right side, a sidebar contains 'Account Info' with 'Login' and 'Register' buttons, and 'Important Links' which currently shows 'No links found to display.' The 'Register' button is highlighted with a red circle.</p>

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After you select  
'Register', be  
sure to select  
Judge (to register  
as a judge)



3

Initial information is captured, namely:

- Desired Username
- First/Last Name
- eMail

Then a confirmation email is sent to the email address supplied. You must open that email and click on the hyperlink to continue registration.

The screenshot shows the registration page for the Science and Engineering Fair of Metro Detroit. The page has a dark blue header with the title and navigation links. Below the header is a white registration form with a blue border. The form contains five input fields: Username, First Name, Last Name, E-Mail, and Confirm E-Mail. A 'Save & Continue' button is at the bottom of the form. The footer is dark grey and contains the zFairs logo, copyright information, and a privacy policy link.

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## Science and Engineering Fair of Metro Detroit

Register, tell us more.

Username\* Username

First Name\* First Name

Last Name\* Last Name

E-Mail\* E-Mail

Confirm E-Mail\* E-Mail

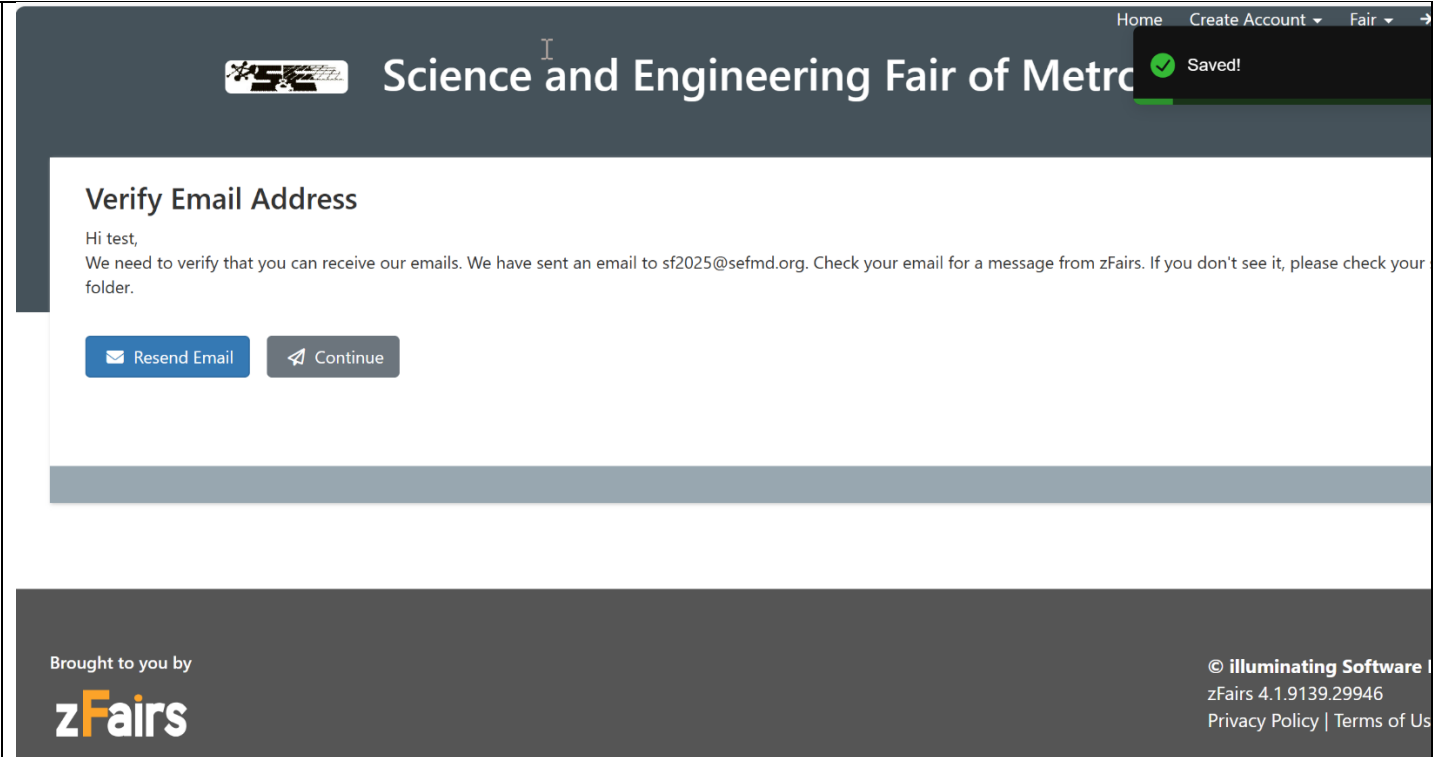
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<p>4</p> <p>You will receive notification to verify the email address entered. Do NOT try to do the verification step (via your email) on a cell phone. The system will automatically continue the registration process. The verification step should be done on a real computer.</p>	 <p>Science and Engineering Fair of Metro DFW</p> <h3>Verify Email Address</h3> <p>Hi test, We need to verify that you can receive our emails. We have sent an email to sf2025@sefmd.org. Check your email for a message from zFairs. If you don't see it, please check your folder.</p> <p><a href="#">Resend Email</a> <a href="#">Continue</a></p> <p>Brought to you by <b>zFairs</b></p> <p>© illuminating Software Inc. zFairs 4.1.9139.29946 <a href="#">Privacy Policy</a>   <a href="#">Terms of Us</a></p>
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Sample email verification that is sent. eMail will be from 'hello@zfairs.com' and contain a personalized hyperlink to continue

The screenshot displays an email client interface. The top bar is dark blue with a grid icon, the word "Mail", and notification, settings, and help icons. Below this is a light blue toolbar with "Search Mail and People", "New", "Delete", "Archive", "Junk", "Sweep", "Move to", "Categories", and a menu icon. The left sidebar shows "Favorites" with "Inbox" (174) and "Deleted Items" (204), and a folder "SF2025". The main content area shows an email from "hello@zfairs.com" with the subject "Confirm Email Address". The email body includes a "Blocked content" warning, an "Action Items" section, and a large "Confirm Email Address" heading. Below this, it says "Dear test," followed by "We need to confirm your email address, please click/go to the link below." and a blue hyperlink "https://zfairs.com/s/rtyjrt" which is partially redacted with a red oval. The email concludes with "Thank you!" and a signature "Science and Engineering Fair of Metro Detroit" with a logo.

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Enter the information requested. This is screen 1 of 2.

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# Science and Engineering Fair of Metro Detroit

## Profile

**Username\***

testjudge3

**First Name\***

test

**Last Name\***

judge

**E-Mail\***

sf2026@sefmd.org

**Confirm E-Mail\***

sf2026@sefmd.org

**Phone**

Phone

**Cell Phone\***

Cell Phone

**Gender\***

select

## Sign-in

**Username\***

testjudge3

**Password\***

Password

**Confirm Password\***

Password

## Address

**Address\***

Address

**Address 2**

Address 2

**City State, Zip\***

City

select

Zip

## Work & Education

**Employer**

Employer

**Job Title**

Job Title

**Work Phone**

Work Phone

**Highest Level of Education\***


Highest Level of Education

[Save & Continue](#)

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Continue entering judge information. Be sure to select 'I want to be a category judge' and/or 'I want to be a professional society judge (and then pick the society that you will represent). It is possible for you to be a category judge AND a professional society judge.

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# Science and Engineering Fair of Metro Detroit

Profile

Judge

### Categorical Judge

☐ I want to be a Category Judge

First Choice 

select

Second Choice\* 

select

Third Choice\* 

select

### Professional Society Judge

☐ I want to be a Professional Society Judge

Professional Society 

select

### Judge

☐ I am available for judging the whole time

☐ I have been a judge for this contest before

☐ I am interested in being a roaming judge


☐ I am interested in being a Judge Captain

Please tell us more about you

### Conflict of Interest

☐ I agree to the below statement: I agree to let a Fair judging coordinator know if a conflict of interest exists in judging a student, or category with several students, in which I have mentored a participant, personally know a participant or have previously judged a participant this year.

Save & Continue



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Answer the additional judging questions. The first three questions are needed to complete a background check with the Michigan State Police.



## Science and Engineering Fair of Metro Detroit

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### Judge Custom Questions

**Background Check (REQUIRED for Mi State Police Background Check) -Full Legal Name\***

**Background Check (REQUIRED) -Date of Birth\***

**Background Check (REQUIRED) -Race\***




**MSEF-Are you also interested in judging for the Michigan Science Fair on Saturday, April 11 (8AM to 5 PM) at LTU in Southfield?\***




**Time Commitment @ Huntington Place on Wed, 3/18/26\***

**Additional Comments?**

 Save



9	Read and acknowledge the conflict of interest policy statement.	<div><div>Home</div><div>Create Account</div></div> <div><h1>Science and Engineering Fair of Metro</h1></div> <div><div><input type="checkbox"/></div><div><p>I affirm that I am eligible to judge in this contest.</p><p>I promise to judge without any preconceived notions and in a manner that is fair for everyone regardless of their ethnicity, race, religion, political affiliation, or any other factor.</p><p>I promise to conduct myself ethically, with integrity, responsibly, respectfully and kindly throughout the duration of the contest and understand that any violation of these rules will result in immediate removal from the contest, without refund, and potential civil repercussions depending on the severity of the action.</p></div></div> <div><div> Save &amp; continue</div></div> <div><div>Brought to you by</div><div></div></div> <div><div>© illur</div><div>zFairs</div><div>Privacy</div></div>
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10	Judge registration is completed!	<div><div>HomeMy StudentsReviewFairGo To Online Judging</div><div> Science and Engineering Fair of Metro Detroit</div><div><div> <b>Account Created for: test</b></div><div>Congratulations test, your account has been created. Please read this page as additional items or tasks may be required.</div><div><b>Account Information</b><div><b>Name:</b> test judge <b>Email:</b> sf2025@sefmd.org <b>Username:</b> testjudge2</div></div></div><div><div>Brought to you by </div><div>© illu zFairs Privac</div></div></div>
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