2015 MATE International ROV Competition Award Winners			
CATEGORY	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	WINNER	
		EXPLORER	RANGER
Overall winners	Based on overall, total score		
o 1 st			
o 2 nd			
o 3rd			
Technical report	Based on report evaluation score; see the competition challenges and design specs document for the elements on which teams will be judged		
Poster display	Based on poster evaluation score; see the competition challenges and design specs document for the elements on which teams will be judged		

• Engineering*** evaluation	Based on engineering interview evaluation score; see the competition challenges and design specs document for the types of elements on which teams will be judged	
• Mission	Based on the mission performance; see the competition challenges for the mission tasks and scoring	
 Harry Bohm/Jill Zande "Sharkpedo" award 	Innovation and originality; thinking outside of the box	
Biggest Bang for the Buck	Spent the least amount of money on a vehicle that performed well	
Safety Conscious	For the team that exhibited exemplary safety practices	
Design Elegance	For the vehicle that incorporates aesthetics, simplicity, and functionality into its design	
Aloha Team Spirit	Enthusiasm, encouragement, best team t-shirts	

Guts & Glory	Overcame hardships with determination and resolve	
• gROVer Award	In honor of Crocket Wise, founder of the Team Orlando Robotic Club (TORC) and technical assistant at both the Florida Regional and the International ROV competitions. Awarded to a team or an individual who demonstrates courtesy, kindness, and professionalism and assists other teams, providing technical as well as moral support.	
Martin Bowen Memorial Inspiration for Future Engineers Award	In honor of Martin Bowen, underwater vehicle engineer and ROV pilot. Martin spent a good part of his career at the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (WHOI). He was the first to pilot an ROV down the grand staircase of the <i>Titanic</i> . Given to a team or an individual who demonstrates passion, creativeness, and ingenuity along with a sense of humor, professionalism, and kindness towards fellow competitors.	

Flying Fish Award	Established by underwater technology pioneer Chris Nicholson, this award recognizes one individual's innovation and ingenuity.	
Marty Klein MATE MARINER Award	Established by side scan sonar inventor Marty Klein, this award recognizes a team or individual's appreciation for the practical applications of their knowledge and skills as well as their passion for the field of marine science and technology. "Always ask how we can do this better"	
Judges' Choice	Special recognition award	
Oceaneering Health, Safety, and Environmental (HSE) Award	Sponsored by Oceaneering International, this award recognizes exemplary safety practices.	

***Engineering evaluation "MVP" awards ***

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Room 4	Room 4