

## Safety Pledge

I, \_\_\_\_\_ understand that combat robots are inherently dangerous. Therefore, I pledge to follow the rules below for my own safety, the safety of my teammates, and others that may be in the vicinity. Furthermore, I will carefully consider my actions whenever I am working with my robot.

In particular:

1. I will design a positive lock of sufficient strength into my robot to prevent all weapon motion when installed.
2. I will keep the weapon lock installed at all times except when power is removed and it is necessary for robot maintenance.
3. I will only remove the weapon lock when the robot is under power if it is in the arena and will immediately close the door after I do so.
4. During testing I will keep the arena door closed at all times.
5. When removing my robot from the arena, my first action will be to replace the weapon lock.

I understand not adhering to this pledge may result in my privilege of participating in this contest getting revoked.

Signed by \_\_\_\_\_ on this, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
2024.