



# Expedition/Exploration Challenge



The Congressional Award Foundation and GoPro have partnered to give Congressional Award participants the chance to record their Expedition/Exploration portion of the Award.

The contest will give away 100 GoPros and accessories (Sportsman Gun/Rod/Bow Mount, Magenta Dive Filter, and Mic Stand Mount) to current Awardees who are pursuing the next level of the Award.

This contest is intended to challenge young people to travel to a new destination to learn about and engage in a new culture and/or environment while developing their leadership and critical thinking skills.

Selections will be made by the Congressional Award National Office based on individual contestant's Expedition/Exploration proposal.

Following review, two finalists will be selected to represent each state. In order to represent a specific state, medalists must reside in or travel to that state for their Expedition/Exploration. Finalists will be announced via email and mailed their GoPro and accessories. Those who are selected must provide a physical mailing address.

All video submissions must be uploaded to the GoPro and Congressional Award YouTube sites for review. One winner will be selected to receive round-trip airfare for two and a one-night stay in Washington, D.C. to attend the Congressional Award Youth & Technology Dinner, where the video will be showcased.

YouTube Links:

[Congressional Award](#)  
[GoPro](#)

Application Form and Contest Details:

[Congressional Award GoPro Expedition/Exploration Challenge](#)

## Challenge Schedule:

Expedition/Exploration Proposal Due By:	December 15, 2016
• The write up should include where you are traveling to and who you are traveling with, a detailed itinerary of what you plan to do, and how the trip is unlike anything you have ever done before. Do not plan a trip before February 1, 2017 or after August 1, 2017.	
Finalists are Named:	January 13, 2017
• Finalists will be notified via e.mail	
Cameras Sent Out:	January 20, 2017
• GoPros and Accessories will be mailed to Finalists to record their Expedition/Exploration.	
Videos Submitted Online:	August 15, 2017
• All finalists will submit their videos to both the Congressional Award and GoPro Youtube channels for review.	
Winner Selection:	August 31, 2017
• One video will be selected and the winner will be notified by the Congressional Award National Office via email.	
Video Showcased:	September 2017
• Winning video will be shown at the Congressional Award Youth and Technology Dinner.	