

## 6.2 KEY DEADLINES – UPDATED

Below is an updated summary of key dates and deadlines for the 2021 MATE competition season. Note that regional competitions will have their own set of key dates and deadlines. For companies attending regionals, contact [your regional coordinator or visit your regional contest's website](#) for more information.

- December 1, 2020: Registration opens (note that registration for the World Championship and individual regional competitions will open as locations and dates are secured).
- April 26, 2021: Last day to register for the fluid power quiz.
- May 15, 2021: Last day to submit laser specifications, hydraulic fluid information, and pressure release valve specifications. Companies with regional competitions earlier than May 15 should plan to submit specifications early to allow at least 1 week for approval.
- June 13, 2021: [EXPLORER](#) / [RANGER](#) class video demonstration submission deadline.
- *New this year!!!* June 24, 2021: Deadline for companies that qualify to register for the World Championship in either the In-Person or Telepresence category.

Companies competing in both the In-Person and Telepresence categories of the World Championship have the additional deadlines of:

- July 1, 2021:
  - Technical documentation
  - Company spec sheet
  - SIDs (including electrical, fluid, Non-ROV Device)
  - Non-ROV device design document
  - Company safety review
  - Job site safety analysis (optional)
  - Corporate responsibility documentation (optional)
  - Assets for MATE ROV COMPETITION VR WORLD workstations.\*\*\*
    - Company name, organization/school name, home state and/or country, and tagline
    - Company logo
    - 3 number of photos for the photo wall
    - Slideshow of images
    - 3D CAD or photo of ROV
    - Marketing display “commercial” submitted as a video, slideshow, or GIF

*NOTE: Details on the VR World workstations assets will be provided in a separate document and are coming soon!*

\*\*\* **IMPORTANT!!!** Regional competition winners will have 10 days after their regional event to submit their VR WORLD assets; companies progressing through either the [EXPLORER](#) or [RANGER](#) class video demonstration submission pathway will have until July 1 to submit their assets for the VR space, but are highly encouraged to submit their assets early in order to best “promote” their company products and services to the VR World!

Companies competing in the Telepresence category of the World Championship have the additional deadlines of:

- July 1, 2021: Submission deadline for Marketing Display
- July 1, 2021: Deadline to register for a scheduled time slot for the company's Engineering Presentation, which will take place between July 16-22, 2021
- July 15, 2021: Submission deadline for the company's Product Demonstration and Safety Inspection videos (*additional details coming soon!*)