

14th Annual Schlesinger Global Family Enterprise Case Competition

January 13-16, 2027

**Hosted by the University of Vermont
Grossman School of Business, SG-FECC**
prepares participants to understand the critical issues unique to family enterprise by applying the knowledge and expertise developed in the classroom towards solving complex family business cases.



Fast Facts (Est. 2013)

- Coaches & Competitors - 1,139
- Teams - 288
- Judges - 746
- Student Organizers - 358
- Institutions (6 continents) - 80

“When you come to a case competition at this level, these young people are here from all over the world. Many speak three, four, or five languages, often competing in a language that isn’t their native tongue. They are so positive, vibrant, and smart—it gives you great hope.”

- **Adam Ifshin**, 2026 Judge, DLC, USA



2026 Undergraduate Winners

1st place - Bishop's University, CANADA

2nd place - Grand Valley State University, USA

3rd place - Universidad Panamericana, Guadalajara, MEXICO

2026 Graduate Winners

1st place - Sasin School of Management, THAILAND

2nd place - ESADE, SPAIN

3rd place - Heilbronn University of Applied Sciences, GERMANY



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for the 2027
SG-FECC**

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2026 Competing Teams

Undergraduate

- Babson College
- **Bishops University**
- Grand Valley State University
- Loyola University Chicago
- Mississippi State University
- University of Alabama, Culverhouse College of Business
- University of Alberta
- Universidad de los Andes
- Universidad Internacional del Ecuador
- Universidad Panamericana, Guadalajara
- University of Prince Edward Island
- University of Vermont, Grossman School of Business

Graduate

- Auburn University
- Babes-Bolyai University
- ESADE
- Heilbronn University of Applied Sciences
- HKUST Business School
- National Sun Yat-Sen University
- **Sasin School of Management**
- University of Manitoba, Asper School of Business
- University of Vermont, Grossman School of Business

2026 SG-FECC Selected Cases

DAY 1 (PRE-ARRIVAL): LOBMEYR 200 YEARS OF RELEVANT DESIGN IN GLASS

- **Authors:** Marta Widz, Joao Pedro Bastos Castilho
- **Publisher:** The Henokiens: International Association of Bicentenary Family Companies
- **Case Setting:** AUSTRIA

DAY 2: BAILEY TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS: FAMILY BUSINESS, INSTITUTIONAL TRUST AND COUNTERFACTUAL THINKING IN A SMALL BUSINESS

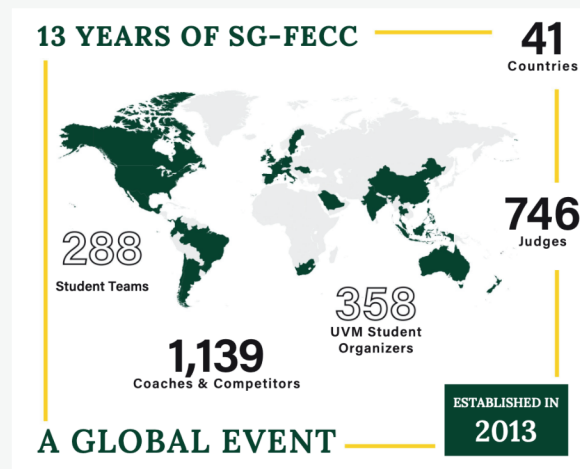
- **Authors:** Rob Mitchell, Trevor Israelsen
- **Publisher:** Edward Elgar: Trust in Family Enterprise: How to Build, Nurture and Restore it.
- **Case Setting:** USA

DAY 3: MIC FOOD: SHAPING THE RIGHT DECISION-MAKING PROCESS FOR THE FUTURE

- **Authors:** Jennifer Pendergast and Sachin Waikar
- **Publisher:** Kellogg School of Management
- **Case Setting:** USA

DAY 4 (FINALS): EVOVACS ROBOTICS: GROWING PAINS

- **Authors:** Katherine Xin, Jin Zhong
- **Publisher:** The Global Platform of China Cases
- **Case Setting:** CHINA



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