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DARPA Virtual Robotics Challenge Winners

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Remember that big DARPA Robotics
Challenge for humanoid robots that we posted about in October 2012? The first phase, known as the Virtual Robotics
Challenge, is now complete. Tim Smith over at the Open Source Robotics
Foundation has got a new post up about the results. The quick version is that 26 teams from 8 countries qualified for the VRC and based on the result, DARPA has selected a total of 9 teams to move on to the the next phase which will involve physical robots. From the DARPA press release:

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the Open Source Robotics Foundation received funding from DARPA to develop a cloud based simulator for the Virtual Robotics Challenge, based on the free software 3D robot simulator Gazebo. For more see the OSRF post, or take a look at DARPA's news release and the official DARPA Robotics Challenge website. And, of course, we've got video too. Read on to see an overview and video of these virtual robots in action

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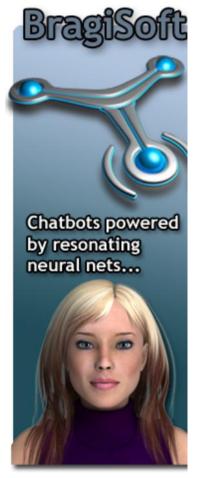
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