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- Only one team member takes the stage as Reporter, Opponent or Reviewer. Other team members are allowed to:
 - Post concrete questions and give concrete answers (also to questions from Jury).
 - Provide language support during the whole fight.
 - Help with the presentation of experiment and help technically (e.g. with computer presentation).
 - Pass written notes to Reporter, Opponent or Reviewer.
 - Give statements on specific issues during to discussion (only one team member at time).