

Global Accessibility Awareness Day Hackathon

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About the FINOS Global Accessibility Awareness Day (GAAD) Hackathon

How long will the hackathon span?

It will start officially on 24 April 2023 and end on 18 May 2023. For more information, you can refer to our Timeline.

What is the format of the hackathon?

It is 100% virtual. More details on the platforms that will be used will be provided to participants after registration.

Is attendance compulsory for all hackathon programs?

Attendance for each program is strongly encouraged. These events are designed to help you build and submit quality projects - so we are confident that they would not be a waste of your time!

Can my team submit more than 1 project?

No, each team is only allowed to submit 1 project.

What currency would the prizes be ?

USD.



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Eligibility

Is there any age limit for participation?

Participants must be above 18 years old to participate.

Who is eligible to participate?

The FINOS GAAD Hackathon is open to the public.

Do I need a team to participate?

No, you may participate and submit a project solo for the hackathon.

Can my team comprise of members from different locations?

There is no geographical restriction but we would recommend all team members to belong in similar timezones.

Are there any requirements for team formation?

Teams are to have a maximum of 4 members.

How are teams formed?

When you are registering to participate, you can also denote that you are submitting as a part of a team, and list your team members and team captain. If you submit with a team of 4 or less, you can also denote if you are open to others joining your team, and we can help you find/create a team.

Can I belong in more than 1 team?

No, you can only belong to 1 team.



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Can non-developers participate?

We welcome anyone with ideas and the passion to innovate to participate! For every challenge, there are two tracks : a non-technical Design Challenge and a technical Hack-The-Code challenge.

What if I manage to find people to help me with my project but they are not registered participants of the hackathon?

Only registered individuals are eligible to participate and collect the prizes. Hence, do make sure all your team members register before the deadline of 21 April 2023.

