

Hackathon Terms and Conditions

These Terms and Conditions ("T&Cs") outline the rules and guidelines for participation in the South Indian Bank's (hereinafter referred to as "Organizer") Hackathon (the "Hackathon") event. . By participating in the Hackathon, you agree to comply with these T&Cs.

1. Disqualification and Misconduct

The Organizer reserves the right to disqualify any participant or team found to have violated these T&Cs or engaged in any misconduct during the Hackathon. Such violations may result in immediate disqualification without prior notice.

2. Modification of T&Cs

The Organizer retains the right to modify any of these T&Cs or any other rules related to the Hackathon at any time. prior to the event. Participants will be notified of any such changes via the official communication channels.

3. Use of Submissions

The Organizer reserves the right to use any submissions, including code, graphics, and other materials submitted as part of a solution, in any manner it sees fit. This includes, but is not limited to, showcasing entries on the Hackathon website, social media, promotional materials, and public presentations.

4. Hardware and Software

Participants are responsible for providing and maintaining their own hardware and software necessary for participating in the Hackathon. The Organizer will not provide technical support or equipment.

5. Intellectual Property and Originality

Participants represent and warrant that the code and any other materials submitted as part of their solution do not infringe upon the intellectual property rights of any third party. All submitted work must be original and created solely by the participants or with proper authorization for any third-party components used.

6. Indemnification

Participants agree to indemnify and hold the Organizer, its affiliates, officers, directors, employees, and partners harmless from any claims, damages, liabilities, or expenses (including legal fees) that may be raised against the Organizer as a consequence of any activity of the participants in the event or related to the event or from the use of the code, graphics, or other materials submitted as part of their solution. This indemnification extends to any third-party claims of intellectual property infringement or other disputes related to the submitted work.

7. Confidentiality

Participants must respect the confidentiality of any non-public information or data shared by the Organizer or any other participant during the Hackathon. Sharing such information without proper authorization may result in disqualification. Participant acknowledges and agrees that monetary damages may not be a sufficient remedy for unauthorized use or disclosure of the Confidential Information, or for violation of this term and that the Organizer shall be entitled to seek injunctive or equitable relief as may be deemed proper by a court or forum that has jurisdiction, without having to waive any other rights or remedies that may also be available to it.

8. Code of Conduct

Participants must adhere to a high standard of ethical conduct throughout the Hackathon. Disruptive or disrespectful behavior towards other participants, judges, or event staff will not be tolerated.

9. Resource Sharing and Originality

Participants must not misuse or share resources provided for working on the problem statement. Any such misuse may result in disqualification. All ideas and solutions submitted must be original and not copied from any external source.

10. Jury Discretion

The final decision on all matters related to the Hackathon, including but not limited to judging, scoring, and disqualification, lies with the discretion of the Hackathon jury and the decision of the jury shall be final and binding.

11. Prize Distribution

Prizes distributed during the Hackathon are subject to the availability of the announced prizes. The Organizer reserves the right to substitute prize(s) of an equivalent value should the Hackathon prizes become unavailable for any reason. If any winner is not able, for any reason, to accept their prize, the Organizer reserves the right to award the prize to another winner. The Organizer may reduce the number of prizes if there are not sufficient entries to qualify for the prize. Any prize(s) that remain unclaimed at the end of 30 days from the announcement of the final results will become canceled. The Organizer reserves the right to award this prize to the next winner or even revoke that prize.

12. False Information

Any false information provided by a participant within the context of the Hackathon concerning identity, mailing address, telephone number, email address, ownership of rights, or non-compliance with these Rules, may result in the immediate elimination of the Participant.

13. Data Collection and Privacy

Data collection and use, including the collection and use of personal information, are governed by Privacy Policy, which is incorporated into and is a part of this Agreement.

By participating in the Hackathon, you acknowledge and agree to these Terms and Conditions. The Organizer reserves the right to disqualify any participant who fails to comply with these rules or engages in any behavior deemed inconsistent with the spirit of the Hackathon and the decision of the Organiser shall be final and binding.

14. General

Any grievances related to the event shall be directly addressed to the Organiser.

No news about the event shall be published/ circulated in newspapers, social media sites or through other communication channels without the prior written consent of the Organiser. Organiser shall have the right to reserve the consent for any reasons whatsoever, as it deems fit.

Participants in the event are not eligible for any benefits/ concessions/preferential treatment/ rewards other than that mentioned in the terms.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding these T&Cs, please contact the Organizer for clarification before participating in the Hackathon.

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