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Sudo – University of Canberra

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STUDENTS CREATE MOBILE AND WEB APPLICATIONS OVER DEVELOPMENT WEEKEND

Sudo, the University of Canberra's premier coding and kickstarting society, held its first bi-annual Development Weekend across Saturday, 1st April 2017 and Sunday, 2nd April 2017. Up to 20 students, ranging from first to fourth years, worked in teams using Industry Standard tools to create an application for mobile phones and a web.

Developing a 'real world' product represents the student cohorts' ability to apply their University theory in a practical way and get them excited for a future in the high growth IT sector.

"It's amazing and inspiring to see students from every skill level come together and work on real world products while still studying their profession." Owen Innes, Sudo Public Relations Officer.

"There is a thirst for platforms which compliment University education. Sudo has delivered this within a student friendly environment – it really is students helping students"

Sudo was created in late 2016 to get students working on real world products while they studied. The society is a social and academic platform where students help students to prepare for lives outside of University.

"Sudo was founded to give every student at the University of Canberra an equal opportunity to be part of something they can be proud of." said Alex Sinnott, Sudo President.

"I'm so happy to see how far everyone has come in such a short period of time. Sudo is fostering the next generation of entrepreneurs"

Alisdair Robertson, Sudo Vice President says "It was a full-on experience with lots to do and only so much time to do it. The pressure kept our noses to the grindstone."

"We made good progress in a short time and everyone enjoyed the fast-paced real world development."

"It was great to see members applying their University knowledge so effectively in a real world challenge."

Sudo will continue working with its members to build a community of talented students who help each other apply their studies to real world applications.