IRIS'26 – IDEATHON 2026

Rules & Guidelines

Dept. of Computer Science and Engineering | Astrrix – CSE Association

1. TEAM FORMATION

- Teams must consist of **4 to 6 members**.
- Valid college ID cards are mandatory for all participants.
- **Cross-department** and **cross-college** teams are allowed.
- Registration fee: **₹400 per team**.

2. IDEA & PRESENTATION GUIDELINES

- Submissions must be **original**. Plagiarism leads to immediate disqualification.
- Teams must strictly adhere to the presentation time limits.
- Accepted formats: **PPT / Prototype / Live Demo**.
- Judges' decision is final and binding on all matters.

3. EVALUATION CRITERIA

Submissions will be scored based on:

• Innovation & Creativity	• Problem Relevance	• Feasibility
• Technical Approach	• Presentation & Clarity	• Impact & Scalability

4. DISQUALIFICATION RULES

- Any form of misconduct or use of unfair practices.
- Submitting copied or previously awarded projects.
- Non-compliance with the instructions of event coordinators.

5. IN CASE OF A TIE

- Preference given to the team with higher "Innovation & Creativity" scores.
- If still tied, a **Rapid-fire Q&A round** will determine the winner.
- The final decision rests solely with the judging panel.

Note: The organizing committee reserves the right to amend these guidelines at any time.