



ELIGIBILITY

All participants must be full-time or part-time University students during Spring 2016 except where permission is explicitly given. Participation is closed to family of judges and HackIllinois staff members.

TEAMS

Hardware@HackIllinois and Software@HackIllinois teams may only have up to 4 teammates. For OpenSource@HackIllinois, your team can consist of up to 4 participants and 1 experienced Open Source developer. Teams must submit a list of members upon submitting their hack by Sunday February 21st, 2015 at 10:00 am. Any modifications after that must be approved by the organizers. Single person teams are allowed, but we encourage you to work in groups!

SUBMISSIONS

Each team is permitted one submission that must be received by 10:00am on Sunday, February 21st, 2016. Code submitted must be produced only by the team members and written during HackIllinois from the starting time on Friday, February 19th, 2016 to the submission time. If you are continuing a previous project or using old code/designs developed by you, let us know on the project submission form. By submitting a project, you and your team grant the HackIllinois team the unrestricted right to use your submission material, at no cost, for promotional purposes of future HackIllinois events

SAFETY

Participants will respect the equipment and hardware provided. We discourage the use of power tools, high voltage and/or high current equipment.

HARDWARE

Participants may bring whatever hardware they wish as long as they adhere to the above rules about submissions and safety. HackIllinois will do its best to provide all teams the necessary hardware to complete their projects. If you have any questions or would like to see specific hardware, please send us an email at contact@hackillinois.org

JUDGING

Participants will be judged based on the progress that they make during the 36 hours of HackIllinois. Specific judging criteria will be released closer to the event.