

## Hey, Hackers!

**Thank you for joining us this year. We are so excited to have you!**

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### WHAT TO EXPECT

This year Hacklahoma will be doing a hybrid hackathon which will combine in-person and virtual aspects. However, we have worked hard to put on an event that offers you just as many networking opportunities, workshops, activities, and resources needed for you to complete your hack and grow professionally.

All hackers are encouraged to hack through the entire event and submit their projects to Devpost for judging to be considered for prizes, however that isn't required. Everyone enjoys hackathons in different ways, here are some tips to make the most of Hacklahoma 2022!

#### Push Your Boundaries

One of Hacklahoma's goals is to push all of our hackers to be innovative and learn something new. Part of our judging criteria is demonstrating an attempt to learn something- so push yourself to try technologies that are new to you! Running into problems while working on your hack? Don't worry- we have mentors available to you that can answer questions you have while you're trying to learn.

#### Network

Come visit some of the sponsor booths set up in Devon! These booths have many different opportunities for you to network with people who can help you get a head start into your career. If you're attending online don't worry! Virtual hackathons still have opportunities! You will be able to visit any of our sponsors' virtual booths for a chance to tell them about yourself and learn about their company! We also offer free workshops for hackers to expand your skill-set and help you learn technologies that will boost your resume and help you in your career.



Have Fun!

Hopefully this one is obvious :)

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## OUR EXPECTATIONS

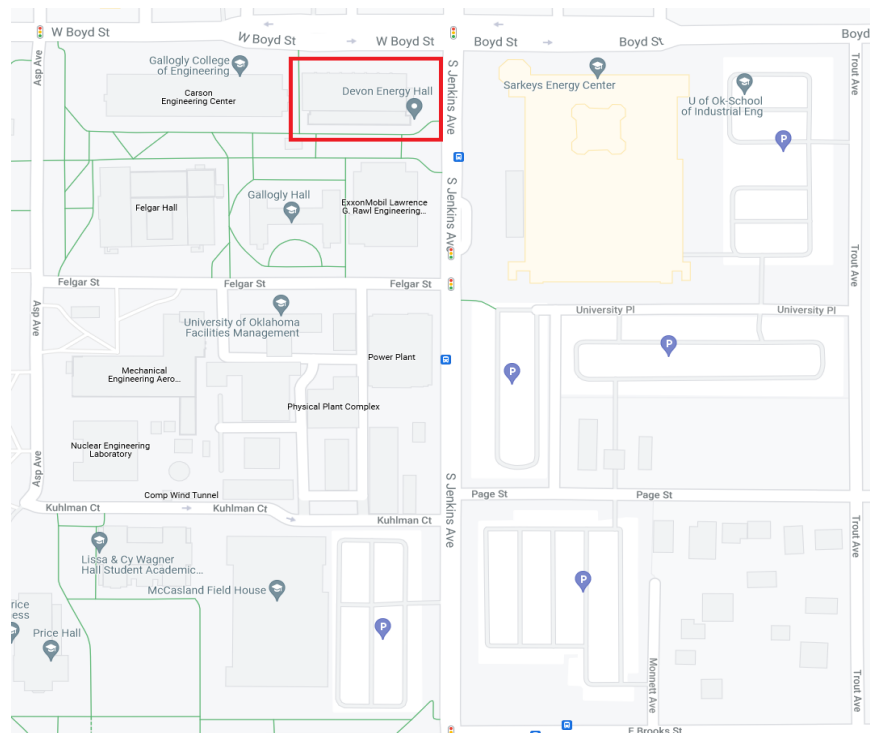
Hackers are expected to follow the [MLH](#), [OU](#), and [Hacklahoma](#) codes of conduct.

## LOCATION (In-Person)

Hacklahoma is being held at Devon Energy Hall this year located on the University of Oklahoma's campus! **Parking** is completely free on the weekends so no OU parking pass is needed. The image below denotes parking spots by the purple pins.

### [Devon Energy Hall](#)

110 W Boyd St  
Norman, OK 73019





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## EVENT SCHEDULE

### **Saturday**

8:00 AM: Check-in begins  
11:00 AM: Opening ceremony  
12:00 PM: Hacking begins  
1:15 PM Workshop provided by Paycom (Classroom C or Online)  
2:45 PM Workshop provided by OU AI (Classroom B or Online)  
2:45 PM Fatima (Discord)  
4:00 PM Workshop Provided by Baker Hughes (Classroom A or Online)  
6:00 PM Dinner (In-person)  
7:00 PM Workshop provided by Crimson Robotics (Classroom C or Online)  
7:00 PM Activity! (Discord)  
9:00 PM Robotics Workshop given by Noah Zemlin (Classroom A or Online)  
11:00 PM Video Game Kahoot (Activities Room)

### **Sunday**

2:00 AM: Late-night Meal  
10:00 AM: Breakfast  
12:00 PM: Hacking Concludes  
12:30 PM: Submissions Close  
1:00 PM: Project Expo Begins  
2:00 PM: Workshop by OU Startup Programs  
3:00 PM: Closing Ceremony and Awards

Visit [2022.hacklahoma.org/live](https://2022.hacklahoma.org/live) for more information about the schedule and prizes!

\* All times are in Central Standard Time

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## WHEN TO LOG ON



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We are asking for hackers to join the Discord by Saturday! On Saturday, February 12th at 8:00 am (CTS), everyone will Receive a message from our discord bot with the link to check in! This process is the same for both in person and online hackers. However make sure to save the

confirmation email that will be sent after you confirm your attendance to one of the Hacklahoma members as you are walking in. We will give you your lanyard that is used to get meals then at the door. Afterwards, hacking will begin at 12:00 pm (CST).

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## DISCORD

This year we will be sending all of our announcements for both in person and online hackers through Discord! Make sure to join the Discord found [here](#). As mentioned we will also be checking you in through it too. Start in the channel titled **#start-here** for more information on how to check in and start hacking! If you have any issues logging into the server, feel free to contact any of the persons below:

- The Hacklahoma Team: [team@hacklahoma.org](mailto:team@hacklahoma.org)
- Jerrod Burns (Executive Director): [jerrodb17@ou.edu](mailto:jerrodb17@ou.edu)
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## JUDGING

Our judging procedure will look different this year than it has in past years. This year, our judges will spend **2 hours** looking over your projects to determine which teams will take home our prizes! If you want to be considered in judging, be sure to submit your project to Devpost by Sunday, February 13 at 12:00 pm. You can view the results on [Devpost](#) or on any of our social media accounts: [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), and [Twitter](#).

Judges will be using the following criteria to determine our prize winners:



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- **Creativity/Individuality**: How is your project unique to you? How does it stand out from other projects that are at Hacklahoma, or already out in the world?
- **Technical Difficulty**: Does it seem feasible that the project was able to be completed in 24 hours? Does the project seem like it was too difficult, too simple?
- **Learning**: Did you push yourself or minimize your skills and effort? Did you overcome any challenges or did you do it with your eyes closed? The risks you took play a big role here.
- **Presentation**: Did you submit a presentation or explanation that clearly demonstrates your project, its features, and how well you meet the above criteria?
- **Code Submission**: Did you submit your source code using GitHub, Google Drive, or any other file/source code sharing services?
- **Overall Execution**: Overall, how does your project compare to the other projects given the above criteria?

**A notice for international participants:** Due to university policy, we are unable to ship prizes outside of the United States. However, we still welcome international hackers to take advantage of our activities, workshops, and to make something innovative! All participants are still eligible to receive prizes sponsored by MLH.