

poolesville_hacks

judge debrief

Thank you for expressing interest in judging for poolesville_hacks.

objective

The objective of judging is to provide a business pitch-like experience to our participants and strengthen presentation skills among the participants.

how it works

Each team will be required to pitch their project to a panel of 1-3 judges and answer a question from each judge after the presentation (~5min) . Then, the team will be graded against the rubric found on page 3.

schedule

All times are EDT, subject to change, please join the Discord

12:00 PM	Competitor submissions due
1:00 PM	Judging Introduction
1:15 PM	Judging begins
1:30 PM	Round 1 ends, Round 2 starts
1:45 PM	Round 2 ends, Round 3 starts
2:00 PM	Round 3 ends, Round 4 starts
2:15 PM	Round 4 ends, Round 5 starts
2:20 PM	Round 5 ends, Round 6 starts
2:30 PM	Round 6 ends
2:40 PM	Discussion, judging sheets due
3:00 PM	Award Ceremony



schedule explained

Competitor submissions due

Teams have to submit their projects by this time.

Judge assignments are created.

Judging Introduction

The judging format will be explained

to the participants. Judge assignments are revealed.

Judging begins

Judges will be sent to breakout rooms. Participants will be sent after.

Round 1 ends, Round 2 starts

Pitch and questions in breakout room

Round 2 ends, Round 3 starts

Round 3 ends, Round 4 starts

Round 4 ends, Round 5 starts

Round 5 ends, Round 6 starts

Round 6 ends

Discussion, judging sheets due

Judging sheets have to be submitted by this time to allow for review and confirmation of a winner.

Award Ceremony

Winners revealed, contact information gathered



judging directions

1. Download editable rubric for each team at <https://poolesvillehacks.tech/judging/rubric.pdf>
2. Fill in the scores and comments
3. Join our discord @ <https://discord.gg/shsw6ykadD>
4. Ask an admin to give you a judge role
5. Upload filled rubric to #judgingsubmissions with the last names of the project creators in the title.



Judge Name:

rubric

Participant Names:

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Topical Is the project on topic?	
Creative Is the project unique?	
Extensible Can the project be expanded on? Would it be profitable?	
Quality Is the project well thought out and fine tuned?	
Accessibility Can everyone use the project? Do we need a certain software to use it?	
Additional comments:	

