



Regulation of the Event

Steptostem.com, in collaboration with Little Flower School, Telco plans to carry out the event called Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021, between 20th and 21st August, which will be governed by the provisions of these terms and conditions (terms).

1. Purpose

1.1. The Quantum Speed Hackathon will promote a technological challenge over 36 consecutive hours with the main goal of creating an intuition to innovate something and express oneself freely using technology, creating contents to promote and explain physics self-read theories using video, code, or DIY projects as a medium.

2. Organization

2.1. The Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021 is organized by Steptostem.com in collaboration with the Little Flower School, Telco. These terms and the event will be promoted through the official website of the event at <https://quantumspeed2021.steptostem.com/> and <https://steptostem.com>

3. Facilities and Infrastructure

3.1. The Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021 will be held online, in Jamshedpur, beginning at 10:30 AM on August 20, with an expected duration of 36 consecutive hours.

3.2. Steptostem.com reserves the right to change the location and date of the event provided for in the preceding paragraph due to logistical reasons and at its sole discretion.

3.3. Participants consent that Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021 and steptostem.com facilities and infrastructure are for the exclusive use of this event.



3.4. Steptoste.com will not be responsible for the technical infrastructure necessary for the event, including Wi-Fi and web access for each participant under the circumstances of event being online this year.

3.5. Participants will be responsible for their own IT equipment, such as laptops or mobile devices.

4. Participants and Applications

4.1. High school students are eligible to participate in the Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021:

4.2. Formal application and project shall be submitted at the official website <https://quantumspeed2021.steptostem.com/> provided Google Form link - in the period between 10:00 am of August 20 and 10:00 pm of August 21.

4.3. The application shall be accompanied by the complete identification of each one of the team members, particularly: Full name, birth date, email, and social media profile(s). The organization ensures the confidentiality and protection of all personal data provided for participation in the (hackathon name), which will not be transferred or used for any other purpose.

5. Event Details

5.1. The Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021 is a competition intended to encourage the creation and development of high-quality content as per mentioned themes.

5.2. The duration of the event is 36 hours, and the competition is expected to start at 10:00am on August 20, 2021.

5.3. The event will start with a team briefing and citing of these terms to all participants.

5.4. Teams will have 36 hours to create an portfolio website using any website technology, video on physics concept, DIY project explaining lab physics experiment. During this period, there will be a stage for considering the ideas of the teams. The goal of this stage is to select the finalist ideas that will be presented to the judge or panel of judges..



5.5. After the presentation of the ideas, the judge or judges will deliberate in accordance with the criteria provided for in paragraph 7.1 of these terms to select the winners.

5.6. The event will conclude after the announcement of the winning teams.

6. Panel of Judges

6.1. The panel of judges will be composed of a maximum of Steptostem.com members, and other guests with recognized experience in the subject matter of the Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021.

6.2. One of the panel will be appointed as chairman, who will be responsible for coordinating and ensuring the progression of the work and the panel's final decision.

6.3. The decisions of the panel will be made by simple majority. The chairman shall have the right to cast the deciding vote, if needed.

6.4. These decisions will be made at the panel's sole discretion. No team or team member shall make any claim or appeal against the decisions, either interlocutory or final, of the panel.

7. Selection of Winning Team(s)

7.1. For the selection of the winning team(s), the evaluation criteria of the apps to be used by the panel will be:

Criteria	Weight	Value
Idea quality	40%	From 0 to 10
Relevance to theme	40%	From 0 to 10
Overall execution	20%	From 0 to 10

8. Prizes

8.1. Prizes may subject to change. Prizes will be awarded to the winning teams in each theme as follows:

1st Prize: Certificate + some attractive gifts

2nd Prize: Certificate + some attractive gifts

3rd Prize: Certificate + some attractive gifts

8.2. Prizes will be delivered by end of the August 2021.

8.3. reserves the right not to deliver prizes (in whole or in part) should the quality of the final products not meet the challenge of the event and/or should the panel of judges decide not to do so, at its sole discretion. No team or team member shall dispute or make any claims about the decision.

8.4. The payment of any taxes, fees, charges or contributions related to the prizes is the sole responsibility of each individual team member of the winning teams.

8.5. The awards ceremony will take place at the end of the event following the announcement of the winners. If the winners are not present at the time of the announcement, they will be notified (via phone or email) by the organization which will include an alternative method for delivering the prize. The awarding of prizes to third parties will not be allowed.

8.6. Should the winners not claim their prize by December, they will lose the right to it and there will not be any kind of alternative compensation.

9. Acceptance of and Agreement to Terms and Conditions

9.1. The application to the Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021 implies the full acceptance of these terms and conditions.

9.2. Participants agree to the following conditions for the application and participation in the Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021:



9.2.1. The solutions developed shall not feature any references of a sexual nature, explicit or suggestive, shall not be offensive, obscene, pornographic or violent or derogatory to any ethnic, racial, religious, professional or age group. They should not encourage any form of hate or group hate nor contain derogatory comments about Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021 or its products or services, or other people, products or companies.

9.2.2. The solutions developed shall not advertise illegal drugs or firearms (or the use of either), or any activity that may convey unsafe, dangerous or political messages.

9.2.3. The solutions developed shall not present registered trademarks or logos owned by third parties or advertise or promote any brand or product of any kind.

9.2.4. The solutions developed shall not contain materials protected by copyright or property of third parties (including photographs, sculptures, paintings and other works of art or images published on websites or on television, movies or other media). Participants shall ensure that the ideas/prototypes/apps proposed are innovative and original.

9.2.5. The solutions developed shall not present any names, images, photographs or other evidences that identify any person, living or dead, without explicit authorization from them or their representatives.

9.2.6. During the Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021, participants shall act with the utmost courtesy and respect for all persons and entities involved in the event.

9.3. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions provided for in this clause may result in, by decision of the panel of judges, at its sole discretion, the exclusion of the participant and/or team from the (hackathon name) with no claim or appeal.

10. Intellectual Property

10.1. By participating in the Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021, participants acknowledge and accept, for all legal purposes, that:

- A.** All intellectual property rights are exclusively owned by Steptostem.com, including copyright and related rights on the ideas/prototypes/apps and their components, whose design and development the participants have been involved in during the Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021. Participants therefore assign, freely and for an



unlimited time, all intellectual property rights they may have on these ideas/prototypes/apps and their components to Steptostem.com.

- B.** Steptostem.com shall not have, at any time, any obligation to inform or request any type of authorization regarding the use, development and/or change of ideas/prototypes/apps and their components whose design and development the participants have been involved in during the Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021.

11. Questions or Suggestions

11.1. For clarification, applicants and participants shall first refer to the information available on the Quantum Speed Hackathon 2021 website:

<https://quantumspeed2021.steptostem.com/>

11.2. For any further information or suggestion, the following email address should be used:

help@steptostem.com

11.3. Any omission shall be settled by the panel of judges, pursuant to Clause 6 of these terms.

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