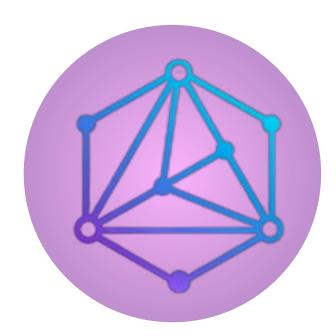


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### THINK TANK COMPETITION

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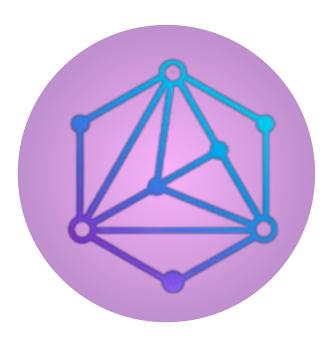
### **Competition Overview:**

The Think Tank competition is a high-stakes startup challenge where teams present their innovative business ideas to a panel of industry experts and investors. Inspired by events like ITC ASIA 2024, this competition focuses on clear, compelling, and well-structured startup pitches that showcase scalability, innovation, and market potential

### **Competition Format:**

- Each team submits a 10-12 slide pitch deck before the deadline.
- Shortlisted teams pitch live in 5-7 minutes, followed by a Q&A session with judges.
- The evaluation focuses on problem identification, solution uniqueness, business model, market potential, traction, and financial projections.

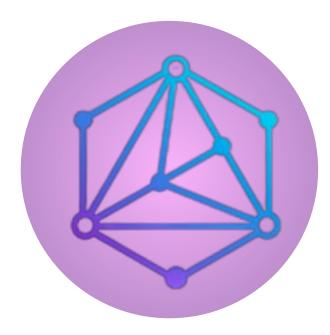




### **Competition Rules:**

- During the competition, participants are not allowed to go outside the university premises.
- The teams are required to bring their slides on event day in a portable device e.g. USB.
- Teams are encouraged to bring a physical model to support their ideas, however, this is not mandatory. They will get bonus points for this.
- The pitch must adhere to the given theme or topic.
- All content used in the pitch must be original or properly credited.
- The use of copyrighted material without permission is prohibited.
- The decision of the judges will be final and cannot be challenged. If any team keeps arguing with the host team on this matter, they will be disqualified.
- Pitches should not contain any inappropriate or offensive content.
- All participants are required to be there at the time of presentation. Failure to appear before the judge at the time of evaluation will automatically disqualify the project from the competition.
- Disqualification from the competition will result in removal from further participation, and their respective institutes will be notified.





## Team Eligibility Criteria:

- Each team should consist of a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 4 participants.
- Participants must be enrolled in an undergraduate degree program.
- Cross university teams are allowed.

### Registration:

- The registration fee is PKR 1200.
- The registration fee is non-refundable.

