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WELCOME TO HACKUTD 16

Attendee Information

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT DALLAS
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Welcome to HackUTD!

We're excited that you're coming! Prepare yourself for 24 hours of creativity, community, and excitement at The University of Texas at Dallas. Before you arrive, we wanted to prepare you for the variety of activities we have in store for you.

Registration

Registration will open 3/26 at 9:30 AM and will be located in the Erik Jonsson School of Engineering and Computer Science South (ECSS) building within the TI Auditorium. A photo ID will be required to complete your registration. View the TI Auditorium in ECSS on [Google Maps](#) or [Apple Maps](#).

If you arrive after HackUTD begins, don't worry, registration will still be open until 3 PM on Saturday.

Parking

The [green](#) and [gold](#) parking spaces in Lot H have been made available for all of our attendees. Check out hackutd.co for a campus map highlighting Lot H as well as our venue, or [view Lot H in Google Maps](#) or [Apple Maps](#). There's also a map at the end of this document for reference.



Travel Reimbursement

We are able to provide reimbursements for a limited number of participants. If you have received an email regarding a reimbursement we can provide you, hang on to your travel expenses (gas receipts, bus receipts, airplane tickets, etc.) and we will refund you after the event. You will be required to fill out and turn in a W-2 during the hackathon to receive your reimbursement.

Food

What's a hackathon without free food and snacks? Food will be served at 2:00 PM, 8:00 PM, 9:00 AM, and 12:00 PM . Snacks will also be available throughout the duration of the hackathon.

Tech Talks

There will be three tech talks from our awesome sponsors State Farm, Wolters Kluwer, and the NSA!

Join Wolters Kluwer at 3 PM to learn about Azure Service Fabric, StateFarm at 4 PM to hear about the creation of their mobile app using Hadoop and data processing, and then the NSA at 7 PM to learn about cybersecurity and SSH Tunneling!

State Farm will be giving away an Amazon Echo as their grand prize for attending and there will also be gift card giveaways from Wolters Kluwer and the NSA! All Tech Talks will take place in the TI Auditorium.



Game Tournaments, Presented by State Farm

Bring out your competitive side and compete for prizes in one of our game tournaments! Create a duo for Halo Doubles or go solo in Super Smash Bros. for Wii U. Registration for both tournaments will begin at 6 PM in the Game Room and will be first come first serve. We're also having a surprise game challenge at 5:30 PM so keep your eyes peeled; there will be gift cards on the line!

For Super Smash Bros., a Wii U Pro Controller will be provided for both participants, or a participant can bring their own controller. If it's a GameCube controller, remember your adapter.

Like to relax while you're gaming? Open play will be going on from 3 PM - 9 PM in ECSS 2.306, so come on by and relax with us!

Raffles

You will receive a raffle ticket upon completing registration. Keep an eye on the HackUTD website and our social media because we'll be giving away tons of cool swag throughout Saturday!

Animation Night, Presented by Funimation

What happens when you appoint a weeaboo as Director of HackUTD? An excessive amount of anime presented by Funimation, obviously. Join us from 12 AM - 6 AM to see some of the newest and coolest shows from Japan in the TI Auditorium!



Sleeping Spaces

Need to take a break from the excitement? ECS South 2.201 and 2.203 have been reserved for sleeping and getting away from the action. Come anytime between 12 AM - 6 AM to get some shut eye. Bring your own pillow or sleeping bags!

Mentors

Need some help with an idea or technical issue? We have tons of industry members coming to help you out with your hacks!

Sponsor Booths

Want to network with companies for job opportunities? Maybe pick up some free swag to take home too? Visit our sponsors in the ECS North Atrium to hear the cool opportunities they have to offer!

Judging

Teams wanting to be judged on their projects will need to submit their projects via DevPost by 12 PM on Sunday. Judging will occur Expo Style in the ECS North Atrium from 1 PM - 3:30 PM.



HackUTD's closing ceremony will be in the Clark Center (CN) Auditorium from 3:45 PM - 4: 30 PM. The winners of our competitions will be awarded at the end of the ceremony.



Purple stars indicate the location of Lot H and ECSS. Please note that Drive A is temporarily inaccessible from Waterview Pkwy, so enter from Loop Rd SW or Drive L.