

Hello folks,

It's time to rise and shine! 🌅

We present to you the first ever – **VIZ-A-THON – A hackathon of visualizations**, in association with Datametica.

Data is the new oil 🛢️, and we need to find ways to understand and present data in an easy, yet attractive manner. At the VIZ-A-THON, we aim to provide a platform to gather, understand, process, and visualize data.

Well, isn't this enough of a reason for you to participate? If not, I'll give you a few more ...

- **Learn from your mistakes-** Make visualizations that will make us stop and stare. Present them to the jury, and learn from your mistakes.
- **Expand your network-** Meet students from colleges across Pune. It is a good opportunity to socialize and expand your network.
- **Experience the grand VIZ-A-THON-** The Viz-A-Thon is going to be one fun ride of knowledge, creativity, innovation, and visualizations!

The Viz-A-Thon is a two-stage hackathon spread across 4 days- 12th, 13th, 14th, and 15th Sept 2022.

- The first stage involves distributing the dataset and gathering the visualizations created by the participants.
- The visualizations will be evaluated, and top teams will be shortlisted.
- The shortlisted teams will present their visualizations to the jury of judges.
- Lastly, the top 3 winners will be declared! 🏆

Looks like I know you too well, coz I know the word **evaluation** has caught your attention. To make it clear, the visualizations will be evaluated according to the following criteria:

1. Business perspective
2. Choice of the visualization used
3. Aesthetics
4. Presentation
5. Presentation skills
6. Performance in the Q & A session.

The participants are encouraged to make use of tools such as **Tableau and Power BI** to create visualizations that speak! 📊

So, what are you waiting for? Registrations have started!!

We are looking forward to seeing you at the event. 😊

Stay tuned and see you on 12th September 2022!

Thanks, and regards
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