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HACKATHON DETAILS

// Everything you need to know for the Web Agents Hackathon

Please read through this **entire document** before the hackathon.

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Discord Server

Join for announcements and communication during the hackathon



Judging Platform (HackHQ)

Submit your project and view judging details. Not open until 12:00 PM Saturday.



// Do not share these links with anyone outside the hackathon.

SPONSOR CREDITS

Each sponsor is offering free credits or tools for hackathon participants. Claim them before you start building.

Browser Use

\$100

Sign up on Browser Use Cloud, then use the same email to claim credits.

[Claim credits form →](#)

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Google DeepMind

\$20

\$20 in Google Cloud Credits. Link to be provided at event.

Convex

Free tier

Free to get started (1-6 developers, 40 deployment limit).

convex.dev ↗

VibeFlow

\$200

800 credits (\$200 Pro Tier). Sign up on vibeflow.ai, go to pricing, upgrade to the 800 credits/month plan, and enter discount code in the Stripe portal.

vibeflow.ai ↗

Code: YCBUHACK26

HUD

\$200

\$200 in HUD credits for anyone who competes. Sign up for an account, go to billing, and use the code.

hud.ai/billing ↗

Code: YCHACKATHON

Cubic

1 month free

Sign up at cubic.dev, go to Subscription > Upgrade. In the Stripe portal, use discount code.

cubic.dev ↗

Code: YCBUHACK26

Superset

Free

Free to use. **Sign up for a raffle to win an AirPods Max** by downloading Superset and completing onboarding.

superset.sh ↗

Laminar

\$150

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[laminar.sh ↗](#)

Code: YCBU26

Vercel

\$50

\$50 in VO credits per hacker.

Supermemory

\$100

\$100 Supermemory credits per hacker.

[supermemory.ai ↗](#)

MongoDB

Free cluster

MongoDB Atlas Cluster. Check your email for details.

[mongodb.com ↗](#)

Dedalus Labs

\$100

\$100 Dedalus credits per hacker. Self claim through Dedalus events page.

[dedaluslabs.ai/webagents ↗](#)

Daytona

\$100

\$100 Daytona credits (Tier2 + Enabled network access). Create your account, go to billing, and redeem the coupon code.

[app.daytona.io ↗](#)

Code: DAYTONA_YC_HACKATHON_JVJZ59IL

OpenAI

Credits

Complete the form with your Org ID and details **at least 24 hours before the event** so credits can be preloaded in time.

[OpenAI Credits Form ↗](#)

TIPS FROM THE ORGANIZERS

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- 02 Keep your pitch short, sweet, and clear. Every great product can be explained in one high-impact sentence.
 - 03 The best projects come from a personal desire to make them. It's difficult to be passionate about something you don't care about.
 - 04 Anticipate questions. Think: what about your product is confusing? What needs more clarification?
 - 05 Don't lie. You're pitching to some of the most talented engineers in the world. They'll probably see through it.
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SCHEDULE

DAY 1 February 28, 2026

12:00 PM Lunch Sweetgreen

1:00 PM Hacking Begins

6:00 PM Dinner Live Fired Pizzas (That's Amore Mobile Catering)

overnight Hack Through the Night

DAY 2 March 1, 2026

10:00 AM Submissions Due / Hacking Stops DEADLINE

10:00 AM Breakfast Taqueria Zorro

10:00 AM Semi-Finals Judging

12:00 PM Lunch Mendocino Farms

1:00 PM Finals & Prizes

2:30 PM Event Ends

// Coffee & matcha stand both days – Tono Coffee Project

JUDGING & DEMOS

JUDGING CRITERIA

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Creativity	20%
Technical Difficulty	20%
Demo & Presentation	20%

// Impact potential doesn't require something traditionally "useful." Ask: "How well does the product deliver for its intended audience?"

DEMO FORMAT

Total time	4 minutes
Recommended: demo	3 min
Recommended: Q&A	1 min

Demos are **LIVE**. Submission videos are also required as backups and for additional review post-demo.

JUDGING ROUNDS

Semi-Finals 10:00 AM, March 1	Finals 1:00 PM, March 1
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Top 8 teams from the semi-final round are nominated for the Top 3 prizes. You can still win a prize if you don't make the final round.

RULES

- 01** Teams of 1-4. Solo hacking is allowed.
- 02** Demos are LIVE. Submission videos are also necessary as backups and for additional review post-demo.
- 03** Projects must be started DAY OF THE HACKATHON. Projects started beforehand will be disqualified.
- 04** Deadlines are FINAL. Submissions are due 10:00 AM March 1st, PST.

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Design, Best Use of Real-Time Data) manually.

PRIZES

// All teams are auto-entered for Top 3, Founders Prize, and Most Viral. You must apply to other tracks manually.

TOP 3 OVERALL

// All teams are auto-entered.

First Place

iPhone 17 Pros (all team members)

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Guaranteed YC interview

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\$10k Browser Use credits

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\$30k Gemini credits

Google DeepMind

\$2.5k Anthropic credits

Anthropic

\$10k OpenAI credits

OpenAI

\$300/mo for 6 months Vercel plans

Vercel

\$1,000 cash gift card, 6 months Convex Pro + merch

Convex

\$1,200 Cubic credits

Cubic

\$400 Supermemory plan

Supermemory

\$2k Dedalus credits + merch box

Dedalus Labs

\$1,700 VibeFlow credits

VibeFlow

\$200/mo Agentmail startup plans

Agentmail

\$10k Daytona credits

Daytona

\$200 Amazon gift cards (each member) + \$2k HUD credits

HUD

\$2k Laminar credits

Laminar

Second Place

AirPods Max (all team members)

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\$1.5k Anthropic credits	Anthropic
\$5k OpenAI credits	OpenAI
\$200/mo for 6 months Vercel plans	Vercel
\$500 cash gift card, 3 months Convex Pro	Convex
\$1,200 Cubic credits	Cubic
\$400 Supermemory plan	Supermemory
\$1.5k Dedalus credits	Dedalus Labs
\$1,700 VibeFlow credits	VibeFlow
\$200/mo Agentmail startup plans	Agentmail
\$5k Daytona credits	Daytona
\$1.5k HUD credits	HUD
\$1k Laminar credits	Laminar

Third Place

Mac Minis (all team members)	Browser Use
\$1k Browser Use credits	Browser Use
\$10k Gemini credits	Google DeepMind
\$1k Anthropic credits	Anthropic
\$1k OpenAI credits	OpenAI
\$100/mo for 6 months Vercel plans	Vercel
\$250 cash gift card	Convex
\$1,200 Cubic credits	Cubic
\$1k Dedalus credits	Dedalus Labs
\$1,700 VibeFlow credits	VibeFlow
\$20/mo Agentmail developer plans	Agentmail
\$3k Daytona credits	Daytona
\$1k HUD credits	HUD
\$500 Laminar credits	Laminar

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Founders Prize

Judged by visiting founders. All teams auto-entered.

A week's stay in the Browser Use hackerhouse in SF

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\$1k Browser Use credits

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1:1 meeting with Convex co-founder Jamie Turner

Convex

\$1k Dedalus Labs credits

Dedalus Labs

Most Hardcore Infra

Deepest technical infrastructure work.

Keychron K2 HE keyboards

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\$500 Browser Use credits

Browser Use

\$500 cash gift card

Convex

\$500 Dedalus Labs credits

Dedalus Labs

\$1,000 Daytona credits

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Best Devtool

Best developer-facing tool or workflow.

\$500 Browser Use credits

Browser Use

\$500 cash gift card

Convex

2x HHKB Professional keyboards

Convex

\$1,000 Daytona credits

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Best Design

Best UI/UX and visual design.

\$500 Browser Use credits

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Sony WH-1000XM5 (all team members)

VibeFlow

Best Use of Real-Time Data

Best use of live or streaming data in your agent.

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\$1,000 Daytona credits

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Most Viral

Post your submission on Twitter/X with #browser-use and tag @browser_use. The submission with the most likes by the end of the hackathon wins. All teams are auto-entered.

AirPods Pro (all team members)

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\$500 Browser Use credits

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THE SPONSOR STACK

Sponsors provide tools across both the development and agent-building stacks. Learn about each one before you start hacking.

DEVELOPER APPLICATIONS

Full-stack prototyping	VibeFlow, Vercel VO
Database	Convex, MongoDB
Code review	Cubic
Coding environment / IDE	Superset

BUILDING AN AGENT

Web Agent	Browser Use API, MCP, SDK
Agent SDK (MCP)	Dedalus Labs
Memory	Supermemory
Observability	HUD, Laminar
Agent emails	Agentmail
Sandboxes / Infra	Daytona
LLM	Google DeepMind, OpenAI, Anthropic, AWS Bedrock

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