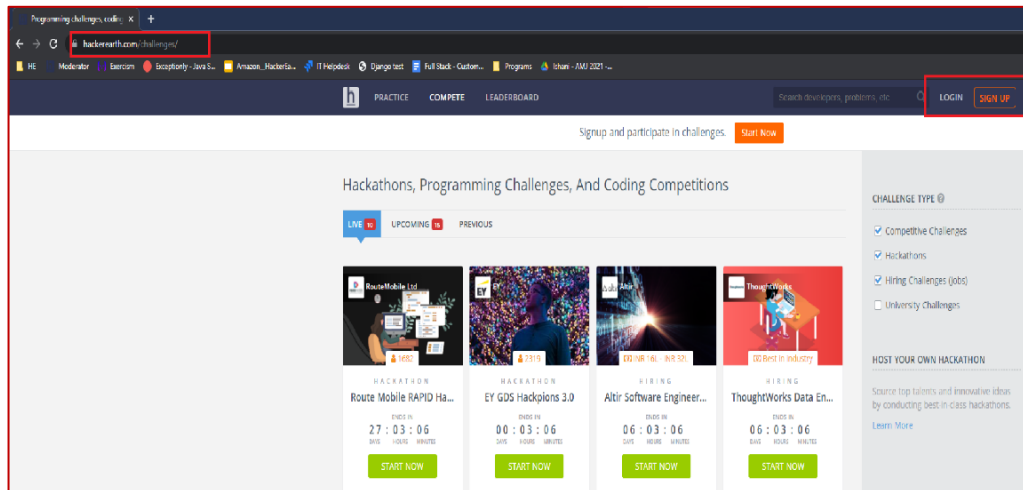# Tractor Supply's Life Out Here Hackathon Participation Guide
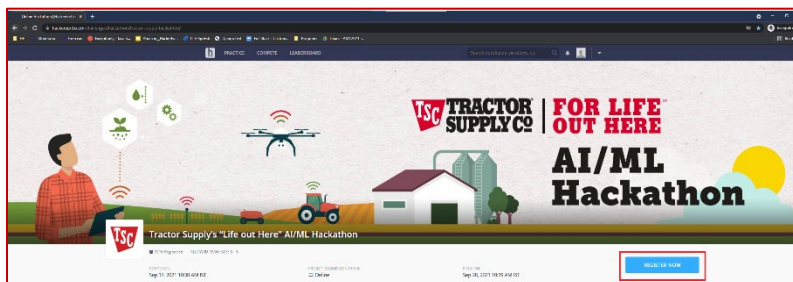
If you have any questions, please reach out on the Hackathon Hotline Discord channel, or via the discussion forum on the Life Out Here Hackathon page.

Hackathon Registration Phase

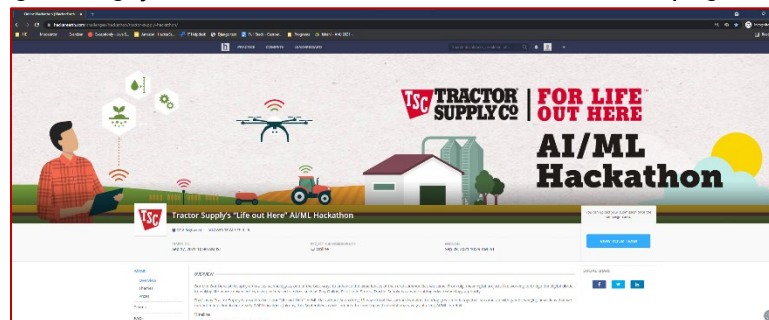- Login / Sign up on the [Hackerearth Challenges](#) page

- Register for [Tractor's Supply Life Out Here Hackathon](#)

- Fill out the Registration Form

- Choose your relevant skill set

- After registering, you will land back on the TSC hackathon page

- Read through the Hackathon page to understand the objectives, prizes, guidelines, evaluation criteria, etc.

- Click on **VIEW YOUR TEAM** to work on your team formation (Create a Team or Join a team)
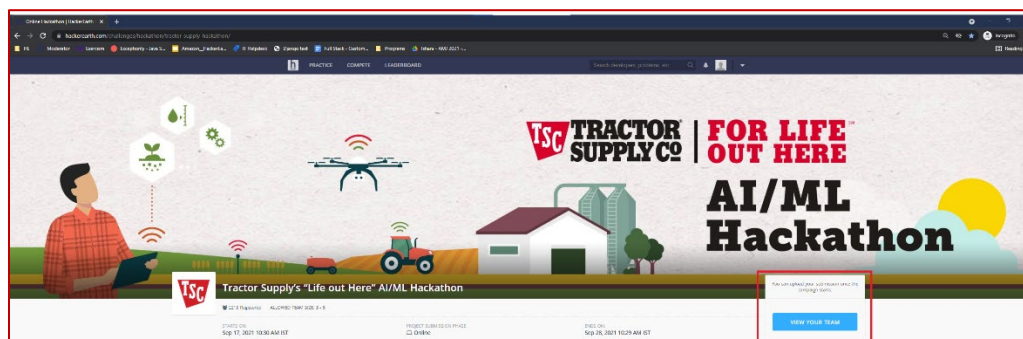
- On the Team page, the candidate can build or join a team using the options available
- Please be aware that the minimum team size is 3 people, maximum is 5 people
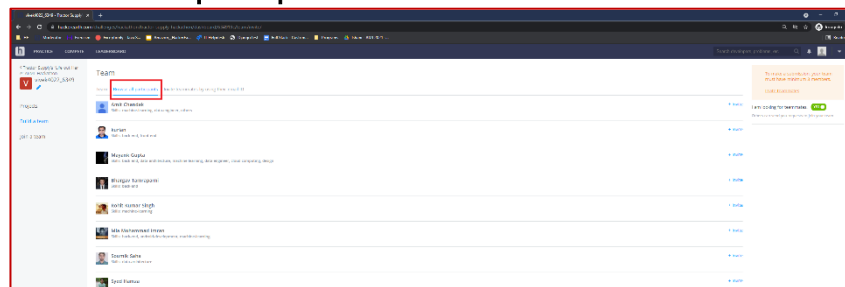
Building a Team

- Click on the **Build a team** option in the left panel (highlighted below), then give a team description, and work on your preferences
  - o Switch the "I am looking for team mates" toggle to ON if you would like people to be able to join your team
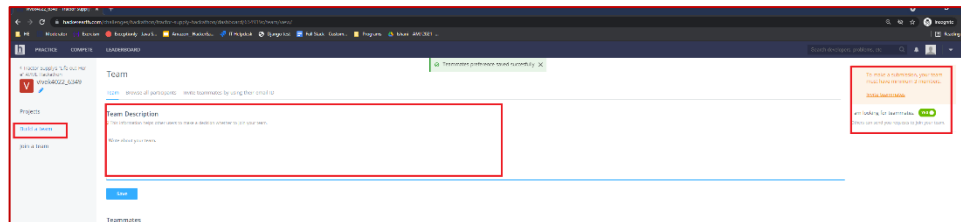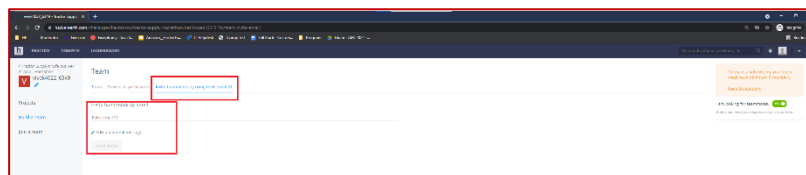

To Add Members to Your Team

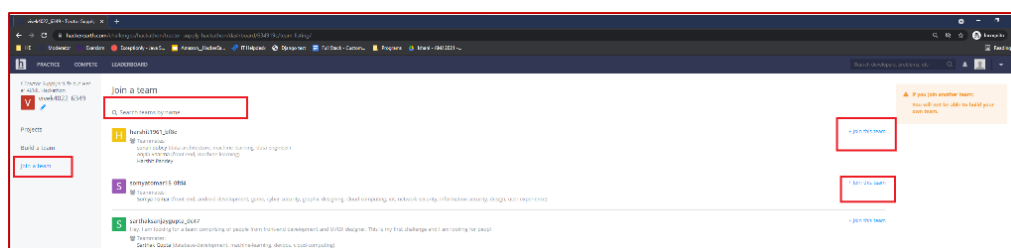- Click on **Browse all participants** to search for teammates

- Click on **Invite teammates by using their email address**


To Join a Team

- Click on **Join a team** in the left panel highlighted
- Either **Search** or Click on **Join the team** like highlighted

- Please be aware that if you join a team, you will not be able to build your own team

Discord Setup

- HackerEarth will be sending an email communication to join the General Communication channel i.e., Discord Server < https://discord.gg/PdgyAY2r>
- Login / Signup to Discord
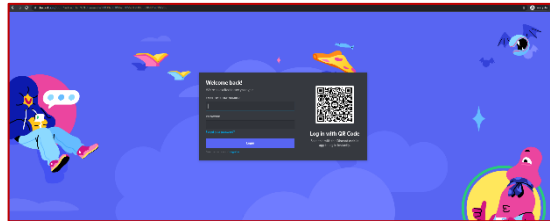
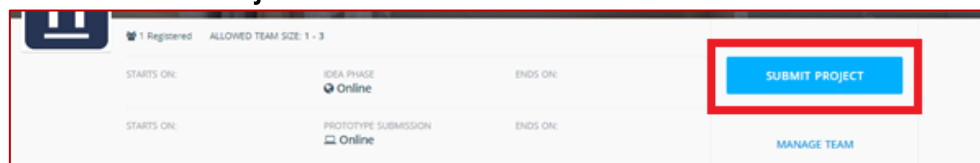- Candidates should be able to see the General Announcements and Hackathon Hotline channels
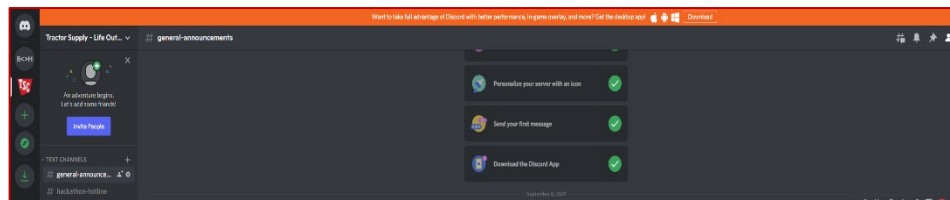
- Follow the instructions and choose your theme(s) using the google form
  - https://forms.gle/aaWAkcQffkPTxDg56
- After choosing your theme(s) on the Google Form, HackerEarth's team will add you to the respective **theme based channels**. This is where you will access the materials required for your prototype
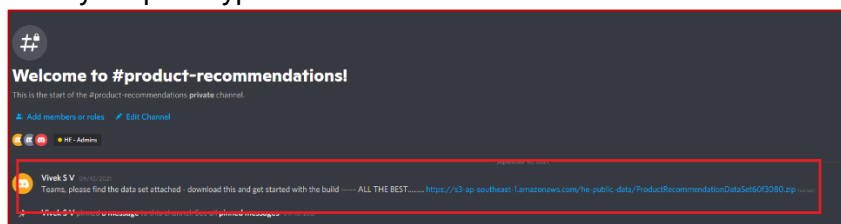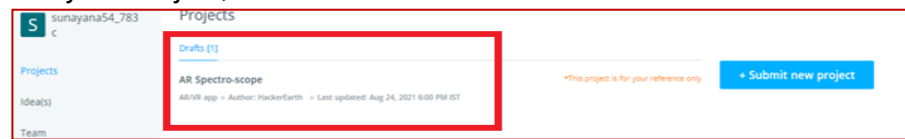

- **Teams should now be able to access the theme-specific material and start building their prototype**

Project Submission

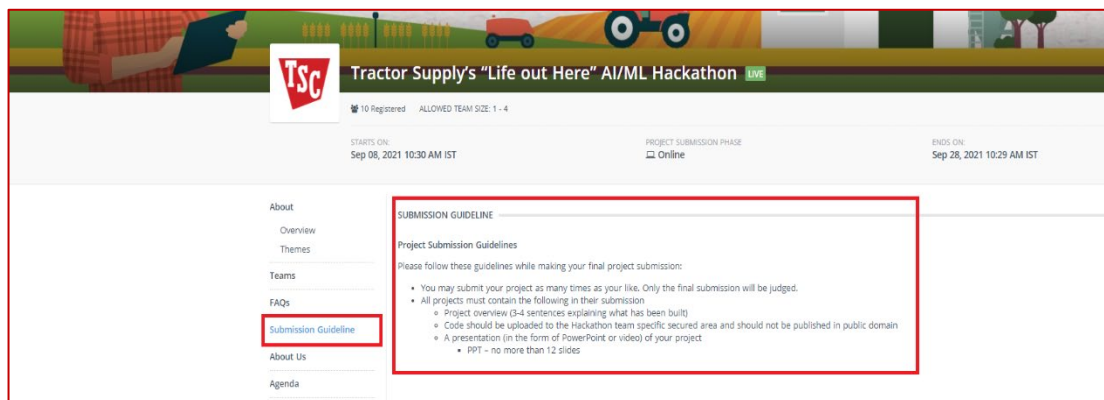- Click on **Submit Project**

- Update your Project, as shown below

- Update the project details and submit your project

- **All teams must adhere to the submission guidelines.**
- The submission guidelines are available on the hackathon page, shown below

Discussion Forum or Hackathon Hotline usage

- Use Discussion forum in the hackathon site to raise your questions
- Use Hackathon Hotline Discord channel to raise your questions
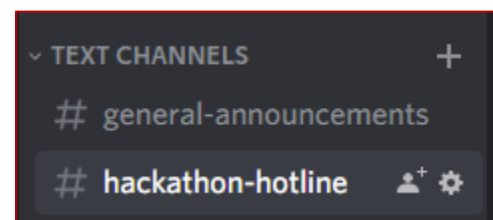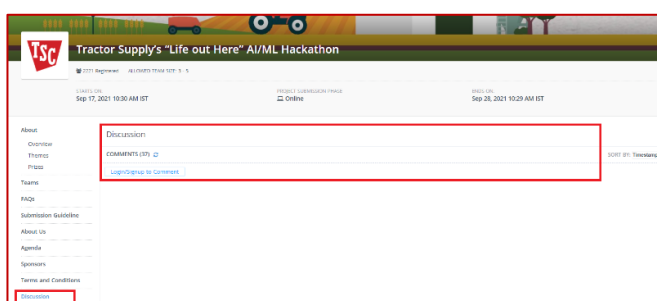
Join Virtual Kick Off and Workshop Sessions

TSC's Life Out Here Hackathon is hosting over 15 events during the Hackathon. Check them out on the [Agenda page of the Hackathon website!](#)

- Don't forget to submit your questions for Q&A's throughout the event!
- [Google's Career Development Team Q&A Question Form](#)
  - 10:00-11:00 AM CST on 9/21
- [Google's Technical Q&A Question Form](#)
  - 10:00-11:00 AM CST on 9/23
- [IBM's Data Science, Machine Learning, and AI Q&A Question Form](#)
  - 11:00-12:00 PM CST on 9/23
- [CDW's Technical Q&A Question Form](#)
  - 10:00-11:00 AM CST on 9/24
- [Databricks Data and AI Q&A Question Form](#)
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We will send out notifications prior to all events in the General Announcements Discord channel

Good Luck!