Project Close-out Report

Challenge Setting	**Fund11: Cardano Open: Ecosystem**
Name of project	**[C2VN]: Cardano developer club in Universities**
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KPIs

Challenges:

- Drafting lab guides for university students must comply with standards and must be approved by school representatives

- Difficulty in negotiating with the school to provide rooms and designs for Blockchain Labs in the condition that all schools have limited space for education.

- Negotiating so that the Lab can operate periodically with the condition that the school will provide funds to pay for electricity and water

Project's KPIs:

- 01 Blockchain lab
- 09 Lab guide instructions
- 03 blockchain seminars with students
- 01 Hackathon with 15 participants

Key achievements

- Established Blockchain lab with 09 lab lessons from basic to advanced, meeting the learning needs of students of new courses
- Established Blockchain Club, with regular activities scheduled with more than 30 members.
- Established Lab with enough facilities for students and members interested in blockchain to have a place to share ideas and connect
- Had a series of workshops/seminars attracting more than 150 members interested in building applications on blockchain
- Successfully organized Cardano Blockchain hackathon with 12 participating teams, 07 teams entered the final round.

Key learnings:

During the project implementation, we recorded the following lessons:

- Marketing activities are needed throughout the Hackathon (periodically every week) to maintain and promote the spirit of participating teams
- It is necessary to assign members in charge of each team, proactively visit and support to grasp the progress of the teams.
- The Blockchain Club needs to be advised on periodic activities. Support from teachers and experts in time to operate stably.
- Encourage club members, write proposals for blockchain-related activities (Meetup, workshop, hackathon...) to operate the club
- Some spending items need to be calculated closer to reality. In particular, it is necessary to make provisions for unforeseen expenses.

What's next?

- Support the Blockchain Club to ensure regular activities run smoothly
- Connect Blockchain activities of other companies/teams with the Club
- Replicate the Blockchain Club/Blockchain Lab model to other Universities. Ensure students who love Blockchain have an environment to accumulate experience and develop ideas

Our thoughts

- Teaching and training with students of technology universities is a sustainable way to train and nurture human resources about blockchain in the next 2-3 years.

- Bringing Blockchain/Blockchain lab curriculum into universities will bring the ability to train a large number of human resources with controlled quality.

Links to other relevant project sources or Documents

- [UTC Blockchain Club Fanpage](#)
- [YouTube channel](#)
- [Our website](#)