

DELTAHACKS X

Attendees Information Package

January 12th-14th
McMaster University



Welcome to DeltaHacks X

Congratulations Hackers!

We are thrilled to have you join us for DeltaHacks X, McMaster's annual hackathon, where creativity meets technology, and innovation knows no bounds! Get ready for an electrifying weekend filled with coding, collaboration, and pushing the boundaries of what's possible. To make your experience with us go as smoothly as possible, we've made this information package to guide you throughout the event. Should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at relations@deltahacks.com.

On behalf of the DeltaHacks team, we wish you an unforgettable and fulfilling hacking experience. May your lines of code be bug-free, your ideas groundbreaking, and your passion for innovation shine bright! Happy Hacking!!

Registration

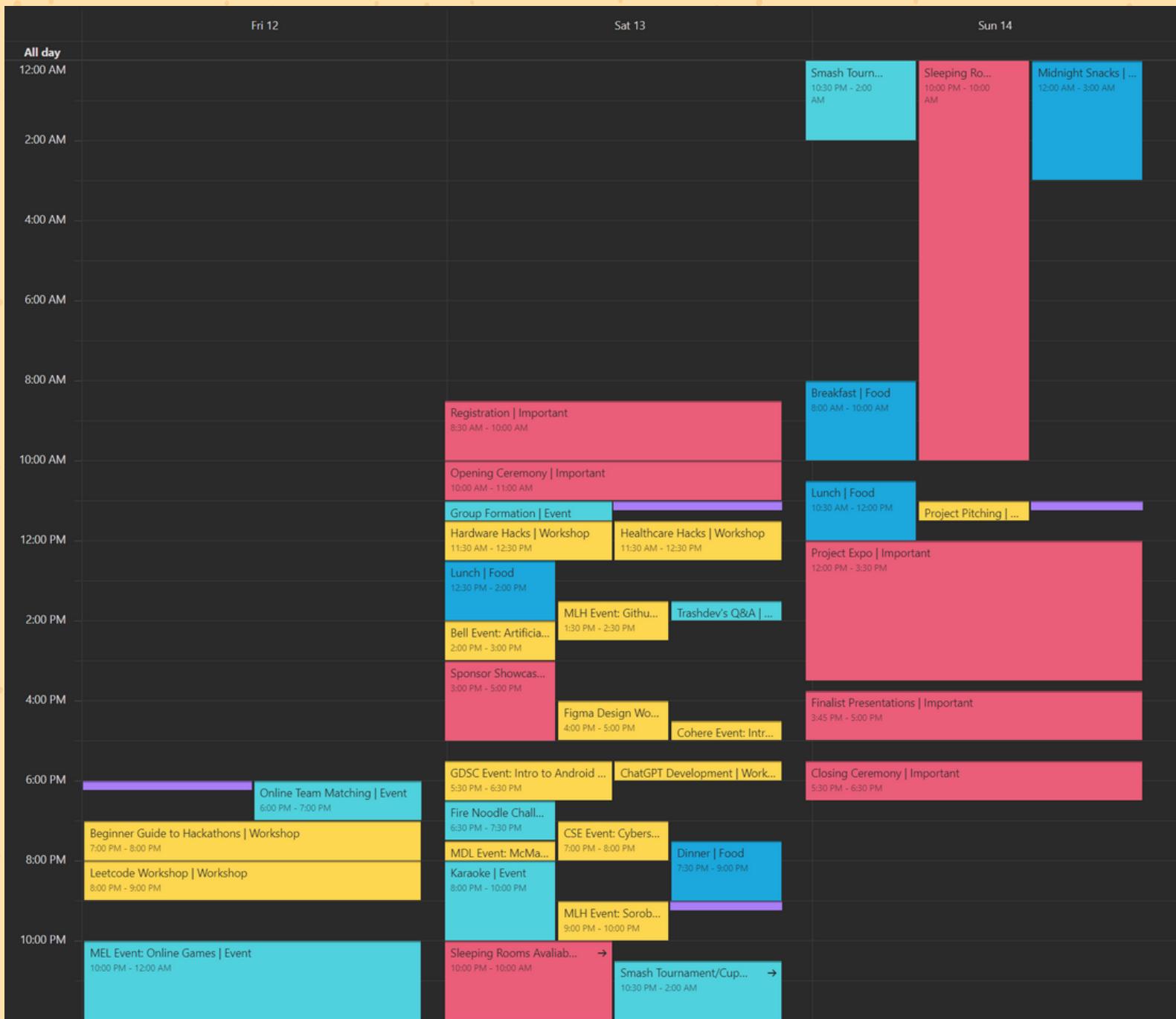
- 1.** Registration will be from 8:30 AM to 10:00 AM on Saturday, January 13th on the first floor of Peter George Centre for Living and Learning (PGCLL) in the west entrance.
- 2.** You'll need to bring your student ID or government ID as well as show your RSVP screen on the portal on a device to complete registration.
- 3.** After registering, you can collect your swag and then head to the Opening Ceremony happening at PGCLL B138.

If you know you're going to be late for registration, contact us at relations@deltahacks.com. If you don't give us notice before January 12th we will not be able to guarantee you a spot.

Schedule

Full Schedule will also be available on
the official DeltaHacks website!

<https://portal.deltahacks.com/schedule>



Campus Map



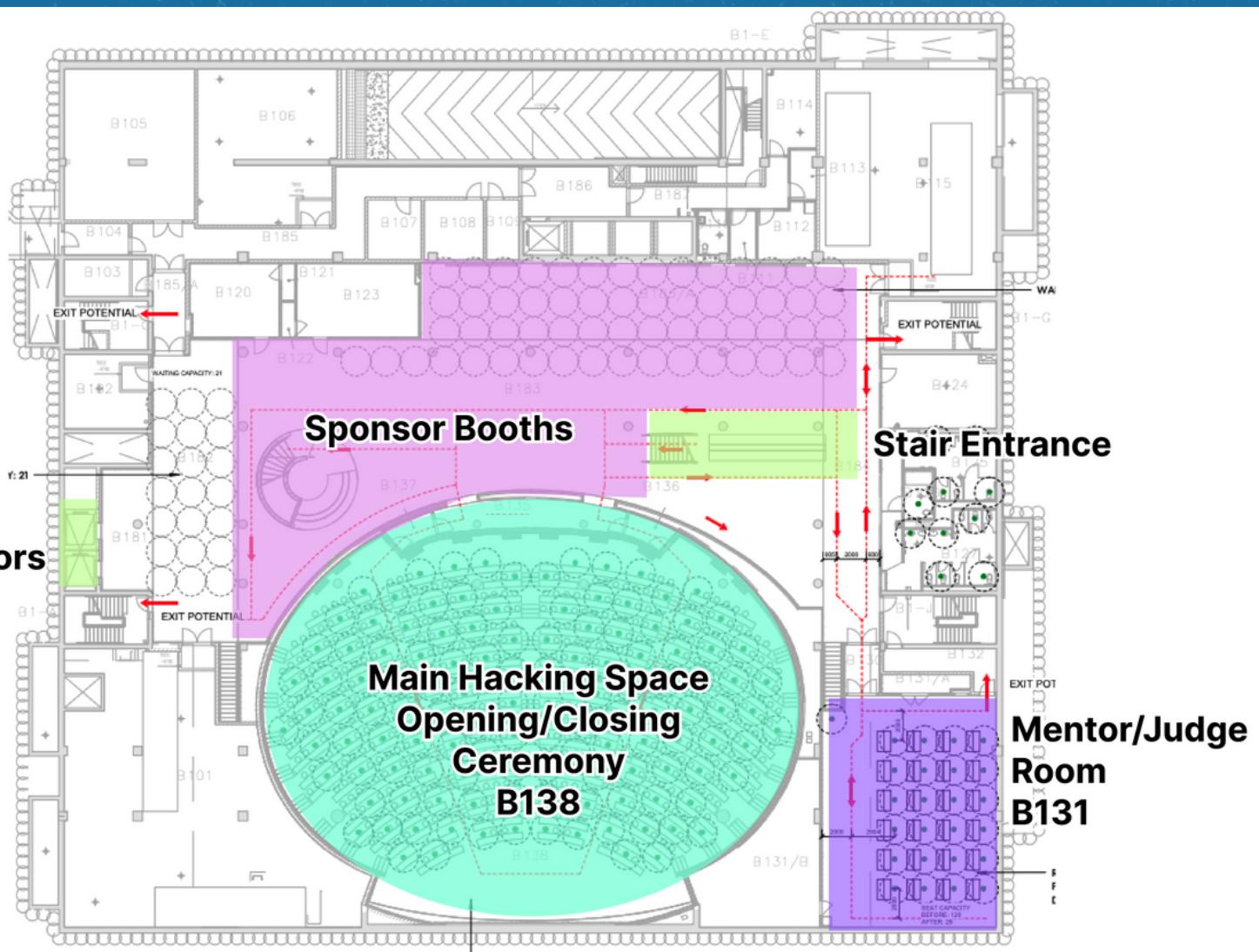
LEGEND:

- DeltaHacks Event - Peter George Centre for Living and Learning
- McMaster GO Terminal
- HSR Hamilton bus stop

Find the online copy [here](#) and
google maps link [here](#)

PGCLL MAP

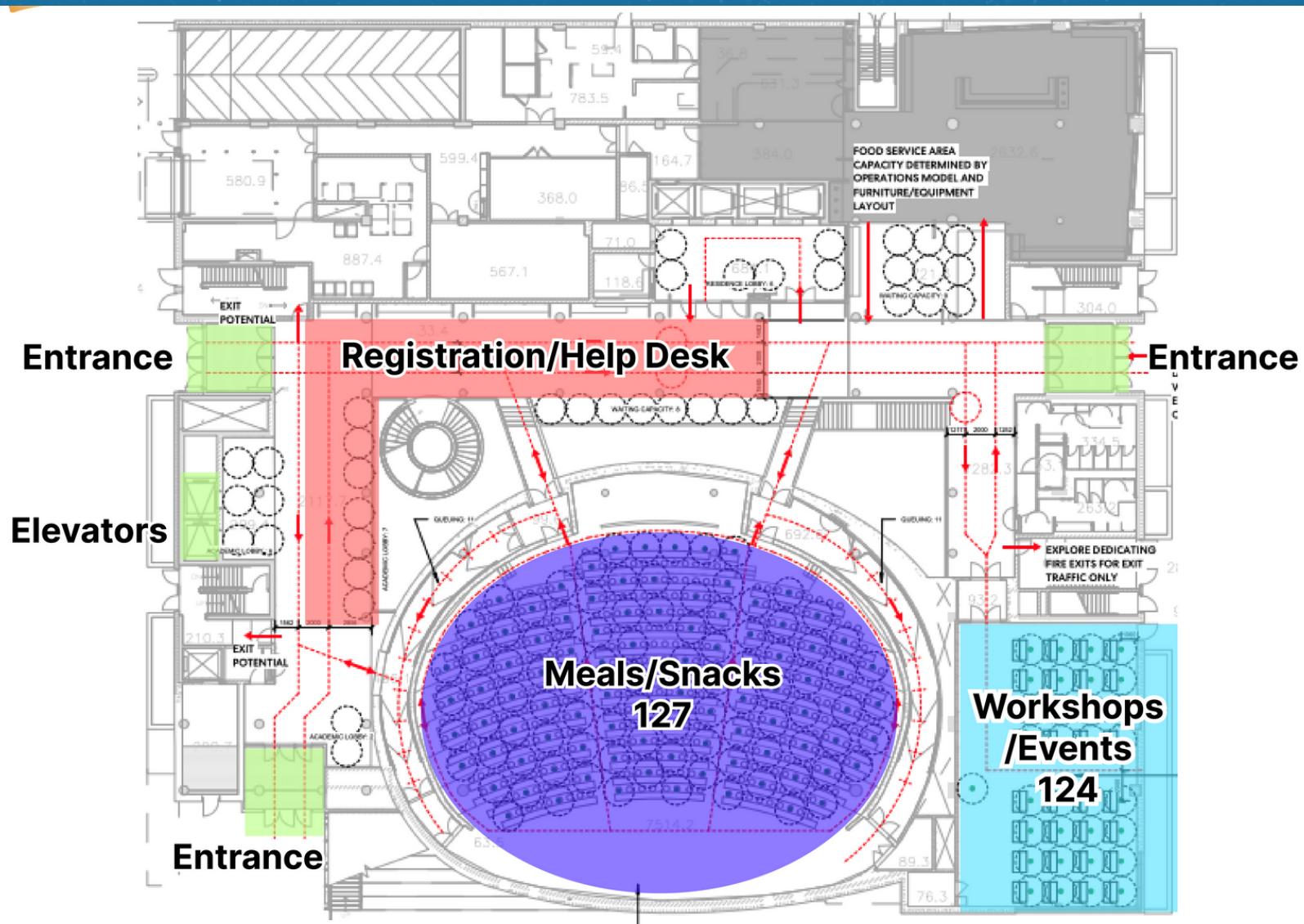
Basement Level



Opening + closing ceremony will
be taking place in **B138**.

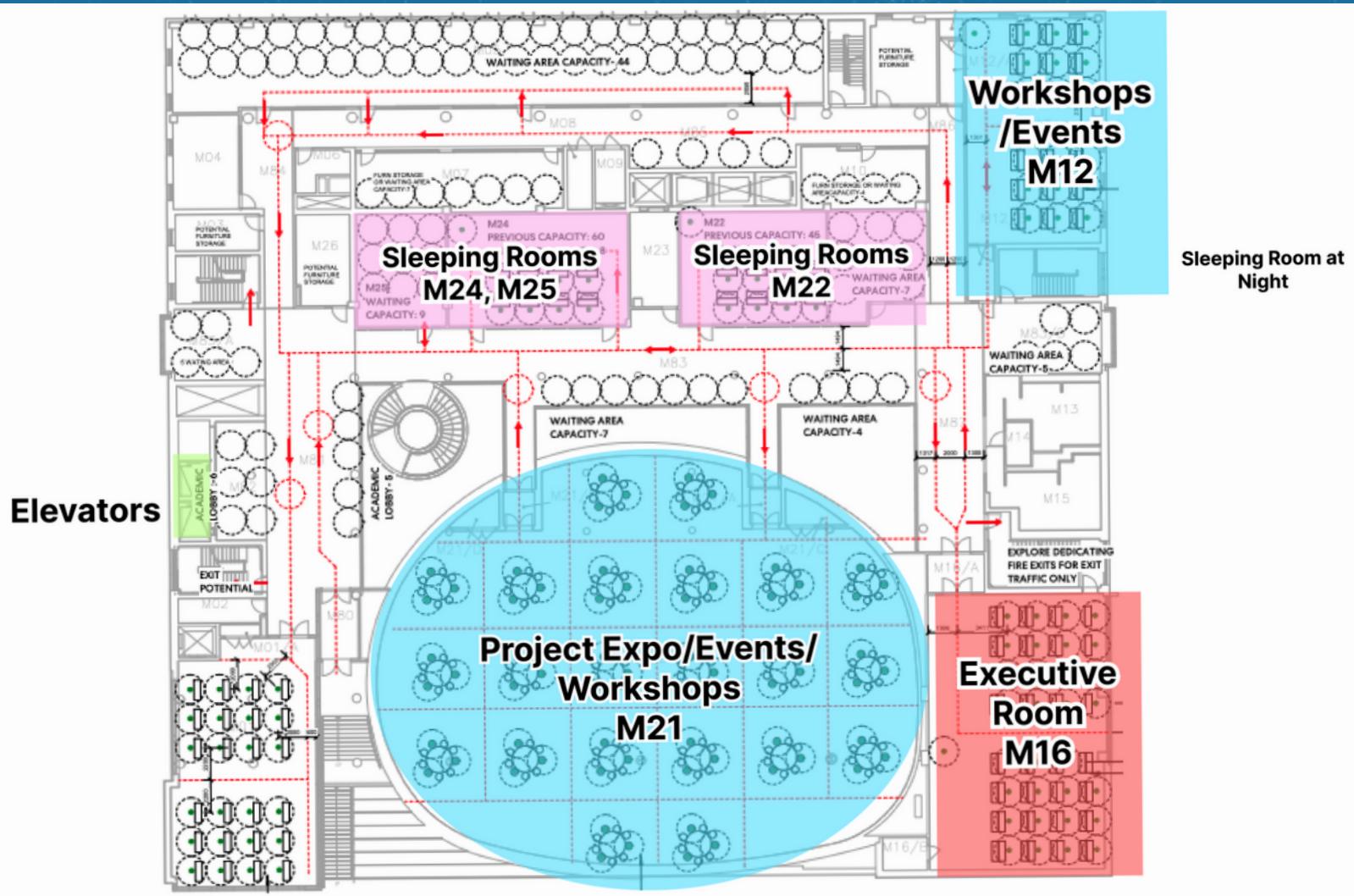
Room B131 is reserved for
mentors and hackers to use.

Ground Level

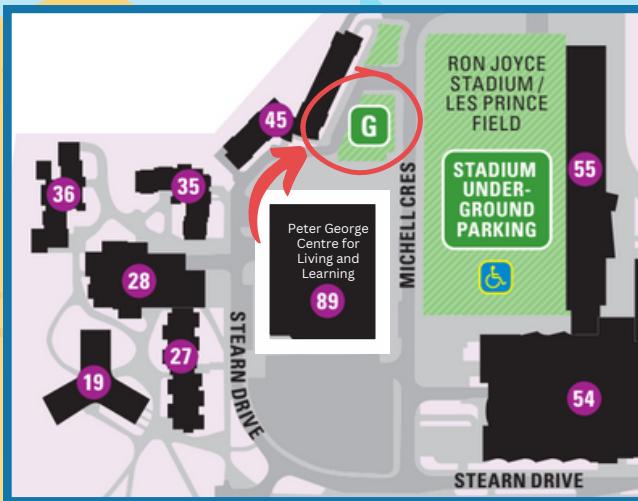


Lunch and dinner + refreshments
will be served in room 127.

Mezzanine Level



Safety Instruction



A. Fire Drills

There will be a Fire Drill on 13th January at 9am in PGCLL.

We ask that all hackers promptly leave the building and follow our Fire Wardens (who will be wearing orange safety vests) to the nearest emergency exit and wait until the fire department has cleared the building for further activities

B. Sleep

- We have designated sleeping rooms for our hackers to use this weekend.
- The designated sleeping areas are in **PGCLL M22, M12, M24 and M25**
- **M22** is designated Female Sleeping Room
- We kindly ask that hackers do not sleep in other areas, as to comply with safety regulations. If students are found sleeping in any residence lounge areas etc. They will be asked to leave the event.

C. Emergency

- In case of an emergency, be sure to contact one of the nearest DeltaHacks team member, aka the hosts
- If one of those team members are not in sight, be sure to contact McMaster emergency number which is 88 or **905-522-4135**.
- The **MUSSST app** is recommended to be installed, in case of occurrences outside of McMaster.
- Violence will not be tolerated, as well verbal or physical harassment
- If any of these happen to occur, be sure to notify your nearest host
- If a medical emergency occurs, be sure to notify the nearest host, if none are in sight be sure to contact 88 from any nearby campus phone, or **905-522-4135**.

D. Hygiene

- Make sure your hands are washed after the washroom.
- Come well prepared, make sure your odour is not a disturbance to others. 😊

Entrances and Exits

- Entrances will be marked by arrows.

What You should know (Pt.1)

What to Bring:

- Laptop
- Charger
- Headphones
- Valid Photo ID
- Toiletries(toothbrush, towel, deodorant)
- Water bottle
- Comfy clothes
- Pillow/Sleeping Bag
- Sleeping mask
- Any medication you may need for the weekend
- Anything else you need to work/feel comfortable
- Extra space for swag ☺

Meals

- All meals and snacks will be served in room 127. If you have any dietary restrictions or allergies, please inform the volunteers at the food tables and they will direct you to the alternative meals section.
- Room 127 will be OFF-LIMITS for hacking, as the room will be dedicated to eating.

Snacks

- The Snack Room is marked on the map (room 127).
- Feel free to take some snacks whenever you want!
- Snacks, coffee, and other drinks will be provided at the meal service area. All snacks and drinks will be regularly refilled.

What You should know (Pt.2)

Workshops

- All the workshops will be hosted in PGCLL or Online.
- Check our website for workshop schedules!

Mentors

- The Mentorship room will be in room B131. You can find the mentors there and ask them any questions you want!
- Our Discord channel “DH10 Mentors” can be used to find mentors throughout the day. Here, you’ll also find out about their technical backgrounds so you can find the right mentor for help!

Teams

- A team may consist of up to 4 hackers. To help find a group, check out room B138 from 11:00 AM to 11:30 AM on Saturday after the opening ceremony.

Transportation

Is there transportation and/or travel reimbursements?

- Unfortunately, we will not be providing any transportation or travel reimbursements for DeltaHacks X.

Judging

Each team may have a maximum of 4 members. You can submit your project to be judged for up to 3 challenges. Your team is automatically entered for the Best Overall DH10 Hack where prizes will be given to the top 3 hacks!

Project submissions are due at noon 11:00 am EST on Sunday, January 14. You must submit on both Devpost(link will be provided on the website),and portal.deltahacks.com. Only one project submission is required per team.

Judging will be conducted in person, in M21. After project submission, your team will be assigned a judge's table, as well as a scheduled judging time. Join your assigned table during judging time with your team and present!

Live presentations will be conducted, with 3 minutes to present your project and 2 minutes for questions.

Winners will be announced during Closing Ceremonies at 5:30 pm EST on Sunday, January 14th.



Contact



McMaster Emergency Services:

- By external phone: **905-525-9140 ext 24281**, or **905-522-4135**
- Any University phone: 88



Information Table

- Our team will be at the information table located at the entrance of PGCLL at all times to assist you.
- The lost and found can be found at the information table.
- Come visit us if you have any questions!



Social Media

Follow us on our social media channels:

- **Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/thedeltahacks/>
- **Twitter:** <https://twitter.com/deltahacks>
- **Instagram:** <https://www.instagram.com/deltahacks/>
- **LinkedIn:** <https://www.linkedin.com/company/deltahacks/>



Attendee Discord Channel and Making groups

Join our DeltaHacks 10 Discord Server HERE!

- You can use DISCORD to connect with your fellow hackers, form teams, get in touch with mentors, and get updates from our organizing team!
- There will be channels for:
 - Announcements
 - Team Formation
 - Mentorship
 - Food
 - Prize categories
 - Questions

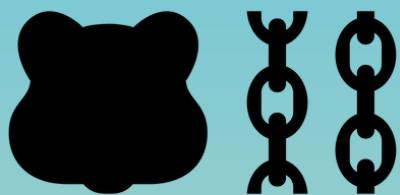


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