Kent State's Hackathon

Kent Hack Enough is an annual student-run hackathon at Kent State University, hosted by the computer science club, HacKSU. Students from all over the country come to Kent, Ohio to work for 24 hours to build a technical project such as an app, website, or game.

Our hackathon has been running every academic year since 2012, and is the longest-running in the state. We hope to continue this tradition and host around 150 students in the Design Innovation Hub building from April 20th-21st, 2024. Come be a part of something truly amazing!

Why Sponsor?

Sponsoring a hackathon is a great way to get access to the industry's top and most passionate talent. Hackathons are replacing career fairs and other traditional methods of recruiting and marketing. We also offer specific benefits:

Sponsorship Tiers

Tier	Stargazer	Astronomer	Aviator	Astronaut	Voyager
Cost	$500	$1,000	$1,500	$2,000	$3,000
General					
Ability to send mentors	●	●	●	●	●
Reserve table	●	●	●	●	●
Thanked at opening ceremony	●	●	●	●	●
Judge final hacks		●	●	●	●
Demo at opening ceremony				●	●
Keynote speaker					●
Reserved area in the hackerspace					●
Marketing					
Logo on website	●	●	●	●	●
Send swag	●	●	●	●	●
Logo on T-shirt		●	●	●	●
Swag distributed at check-in		●	●	●	●
Information & media kit showing impact			●	●	●
Recruiting					
Send recruiters		●	●	●	●
Resume book after event			●	●	●
Resume book before event				●	●

MORE OPTIONS

Send Your Team

Send mentors and engineers. Technical mentors can connect deeply with our attendees and have the chance to leave a stronger impression than regular recruiters. Nothing is better than a helping hand in the middle of the night to a struggling hacker!

Send Swag

Send merchandise that promotes your company. Swag can include T-shirts, stickers, pens, etc., and allows for an easy way to build brand recognition.

Sponsor Prizes

Sponsors are welcome to create a custom prize. This gives you the ability to stand out to the attendees, as well as potentially using it to incentivize the use of your product or service. Past prizes have included Raspberry Pis, Oculus Rifts, Bose Wireless Headphones, and Apple Watches.

Sponsored Meal

We are looking for sponsors to provide snacks. If your business can directly provide food or refreshments, we would love to hear from you! Alternatively, if you would like to sponsor a main meal, we can organize it and bill you for the amount (e.g. this pasta is brought to you by Company X).

Custom Sponsorship

If you feel that none of these premade sponsorship plans fit with your vision of what you can do for the hackathon, please do not hesitate to contact us at staff@khe.io. We do expect that all financial sponsors meet the minimum "Stargazer" sponsorship tier, and we believe that the requirements for the tiers and benefits that we've set are fair. However, we want to work with you to provide the best experience we possibly can!

Thank you for your consideration of our event! Sponsors like you help us create wonderful events for our hackers every year!

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