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## **WINNER SELECTION/JUDGING CRITERIA**

The Contest winners will be selected by a panel of judges ("Judges").

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## **AWARDS**

All prizes are subject to availability, and ecomhack reserves the right to replace the prize with an alternative product or colour of equal or higher value. Contest prizes are non-transferable by the winner. If you accept a prize, you will be solely responsible for all applicable taxes related to accepting such prize.

The commercetools platform credit can be used by one platform user for one project within 12 months after the event, either directly by the winner or by a related 3rd party (customer). The credit is not divisible between multiple users and/or projects.

## **THE HACK CODE OF CONDUCT**

All attendees, sponsors, partners, volunteers and staff at our hackathon are required to agree with the following code of conduct. Organisers will enforce this code throughout the event. We are expecting cooperation from all participants to help ensure a safe environment for everybody.

Our hackathon is dedicated to providing a harassment-free experience for everyone, regardless of gender, gender identity and expression, age, sexual orientation, disability, physical appearance, body

size, race, ethnicity, nationality, religion, previous hackday attendance or computing experience (or lack of any of the aforementioned). We do not tolerate harassment of hackathon participants in any form. Sexual language and imagery is not appropriate at any hackathon venue, including hacks, talks, workshops, parties, social media and other online media. Hackathon participants violating these rules may be sanctioned or expelled from the hackathon without a refund (if applicable) at the discretion of the hackathon organisers.

By entering this Contest, you agree to be bound by these Official Contest Rules. The Official Contest Rules will be posted at <http://ecomhack.io>. To the maximum extent permitted by law, ecomhack reserves the right to change these Official Contest Rules at any time. You further agree to be bound by the decisions of ecomhack and the judges which shall be final and binding in all respects. ecomhack reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to disqualify any individual that tampers or attempts to tamper with the ecomhack Entry process or the operation of the Contest or web site; violates the Official Contest Rules; or acts in an unsportsmanlike or disruptive manner, or with intent to annoy, abuse, threaten or harass any other person.