



APP INVENTOR CHAMPIONSHIP 2020



Overview and Details

Age Range: 9-15 Groups: 2 or 3 members/group Location: Antwork Campus, May Ziadeh Street, Spears, Beirut-Lebanon Participation Fees: 50\$ / team Theme: Cinema World Platform: MIT App Inventor Contact number: 00 961 1 759314 or 00 961 81 720623 Contact email: info@geekexpress.com

Competition Outline

AIC 2020 is organized by Geek express to inspire and unite young developers with a passion for app making. It is a unique programming competition for students, between the ages of 8 and 16 from Lebanon and the MENA region, offering them the opportunity to compete in a fun and engaging environment while putting their coding, Design, and Teamwork skills to test.

Deadlines

- :. Registrations opening: December 20, 2020
- :. Submissions of APK and AIA Files: February 22, 2020
- : Announcement of the shortlisted teams: March 02, 2020
- :. Pitch Day: April 25, 2020
- : Announcement of winners: April 25, 2020

Guidelines

Submissions

- Students can choose to develop a quiz app, a rating app, a game app, or any other app type as long as it adheres to the competition theme.
- Files to be submitted through the following link: <u>www.geekexpress.com/competitions/app-inventor</u>
- Only one team member must submit the APK and AIA files.
- No late submissions will be allowed.
- The App should be developed using MIT App Inventor online platform only.
- The App should be fully functional and bug free.



Pitch Day

- Shortlisted teams should prepare a pitch to present it in front of a jury on the day of the pitch. Presentation format will be shared with the shortlisted teams.
- Pitch Day starts at 10:00 AM and ends at 3:00 PM. All teams must arrive 30 min prior the start of the event.
- Presenters will have 7 minutes to pitch their app and to answer the Jury's questions.
- At least one of the team members should be available in Beirut on the day of the pitch. Online presentation will not be allowed.
- During the event, teams will be scored over 100 according to the following criteria:
 - 10 points for project relevance to the theme
 - 30 points for the algorithm used
 - 30 points for the app UI-UX
 - 30 points for the presentation
- One winning team is announced at the end of the Pitch Day.

Eligibility

- The competition is open to students between the age of 9 to 15.
- All team members must live in an Arab country.

Awards

- All students participating in the Pitch Day will receive Geek Express certificate of participation.
- The winning team will win a sponsored trip to attend the MIT App Inventor 2020 Summit in MIT, Boston-USA.