

COHACKATHON

Our Story

As high schoolers, we've found that the field of computer science, with its vast breadth and rapidly changing technologies, is getting harder to approach as a viable career path for students. Finding a job seems like a daunting task. To make it worse, school exaggerates the barrier to entry and fails to provide realistic experiences.

As we've explored the field ourselves, we found that creativity and intuition are as crucial in this field as pure technical skill, and the best way to develop them is by allowing yourself to create projects from scratch. This opportunity comes to life with [Cohack](#), where we aim to give students an environment with the necessary resources and mentorship to pave them a clearer career path.

The Event

From February 20–21, we will run [Cohackathon](#), a virtual event where 100+ students from around the world can learn to code, meet new people, and build applications in a fun competition. Students everywhere are bored in a time where there is no shortage of inspiration, the perfect recipe for innovation.

Through an online hackathon, they can learn how to code by building projects of their choosing, whether it be by attending workshops or working with mentors. Attendees will participate in various activities, working on original projects with like-minded peers and forming bonds that will last beyond the event.

To welcome them into the world of engineering, we're dedicated to emphasizing inclusiveness, encouraging students of all backgrounds to join, including women,

LGBTQ+ groups, and minorities. In addition, it is open to all levels of experience, from absolute beginners to seasoned hackers. At the end, everyone will partake in a friendly competition where judges and prizes only exist for an extra motivational boost — the main goal is to leave with a cool project, not win a prize!

Sponsors

You can help us realize the full potential of the event. We need:

- **Money.** A direct donation can help fund prizes and any fees necessary.
- **Resources.** Any of your company's tools or products that can help participants with their projects. This includes tools for design, development, infrastructure, domains, version control, project management, etc.
- **People.** Industry professionals can provide invaluable insights to attendees, whether it be through judges to facilitate the competition, mentors to guide students, or speakers to present and host workshops.

In return, you'll get the opportunity to influence the next generation of computer scientists, enabling you to market your brand, expand your recruitment, or test out your product. In addition, you can get **special benefits based on the value of your donation** as shown below.

If you wish to help, contact us at kabir@cohack.co or oleg@cohack.co and we can set up a meeting.

Tiers

	Bronze \$200	Silver \$400	Gold \$800
Logo on website and promotional materials	✓	✓	✓
Distribute swag	✓	✓	✓
Demo any resources you provide	✓	✓	✓
Host a mini-activity or game	✓	✓	✓
Distribute recruiting info	✓	✓	✓
Host a workshop for your product		✓	✓
Sponsored prize		✓	✓
Send recruiters		✓	✓
Speak at opening and closing ceremonies			✓
Speaker presentation about your product			✓
Dedicated outreach channel			✓
Access feedback from reflection form			✓

Note: These are guidelines, not rules! Once we get in contact, we can discuss something more flexible.