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NXPLOERS PROGRAMME FAQ'S (TERTIARY INSTITUTION)

1. What is the cost to participate in the programme?

NXplorers is free of charge to undergraduate students.

2. Do students need anything, in particular, to participate in the programme?

All materials for these in-person workshops will be provided by NIHERST. Students are encouraged to walk with an electronic device such as a laptop, cell phone or tablet.

3. Minimum requirements to participate in the programme?

Undergraduate students who are nationals of Trinidad and Tobago and are currently enrolled in tertiary level institutions (within Trinidad and Tobago only) between the ages of 17-25 years old can participate. **Please note that this is a team competition where students will be required to work in groups.**

4. When will the workshops for the NXplorers programme be held?

NXplorers workshops will be held from August 12th to 22nd 2024, not including weekend and Fridays. Workshops will run from 9:00 am-1:30 pm.

5. How will the programme be delivered?

NXplorers workshops will be delivered in-person at the University of the West Indies (UWI) St. Augustine Campus. Students will be required to attend **all** workshops for the duration of the programme over the 2-week period.

6. Can I participate individually?

No, it's a team competition and groups must consist of 5 persons. If a team member determines that he/she can no longer participate in the competition, a team can be allowed to continue on in the programme with a minimum of 3 persons.

7. Can I form my own group?

Yes, once all members are registered.

8. What is the process to register?

A registration form will be sent to all tertiary level institutions selected to participate in

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the programme. The link to the registration form can also be found below:
<https://forms.office.com/r/A1s0uFUB4x>

9. What is the competition start date?

The workshops are expected to begin on August 12th 2024 after which students will participate in the preliminary competition and then a prototype development/ mentorship stage. Please refer to the NXplorers terms and conditions document for an outline of workshop content and dates.

10. Is there a deadline to register?

Yes, the deadline for registration is August 5th 2024.

11. What is the duration of the programme?

The NXplorers content workshops will be administered over a two (2) week period in August. Short-listed projects will then continue onto a twenty-one (21) week prototype development/ mentorship stage.

12. What are the prizes?

1st Place – TTD\$16,500.00

2nd Place – TTD\$13,500.00

3rd Place – TTD \$10,500.00

Special Prizes

Most Innovative- TTD\$1,500.00

Most Impactful- TTD \$1,500.00

Note: Cash prizes represent the total amount to be divided equally between team members.

To register for the NXplorers Programme, please click the link below:
<https://forms.office.com/r/A1s0uFUB4x>

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