



Building a better
working world

EY Technology Student Challenge

30th June - 17th September

TAKE THE CHALLENGE!

Are you one of those students that enjoy a good challenge for their technical skills and would like to put to good use your creativity and passion for technology? Maybe you have a few friends just like you and want to spend some quality time together this summer, while earning some prizes and meeting some cool folks at EY...

We have just the right proposition for you: the Techie Challenge! Bring your innovative ideas to life in a technology-enabled environment, with the help of technology-savvy mentors that will guide you in expanding your knowledge and opening new horizons!

Did we get your attention? If yes, continue reading. What's the challenge?

We dare you to develop a solution that leverages a minimum of two technologies and responds to a need in the following fields:

- ▶ **Live well:** solutions that improve the quality of life
- ▶ **Work better:** solutions for increasing productivity at work
- ▶ **Do good:** solutions to advance a social cause to improve the lives of people
- ▶ **Learn more:** solutions that address teaching/learning opportunities

Technologies proposed: *Chatbots, Machine Learning, Robotics Process Automation, NLP, AI, Computer Vision, Blockchain, IoT, Smart City, Cloud, VR, AR*

What does it take to qualify?

- ▶ Part of a group of 2-4 students
- ▶ Currently enrolled in an university program (Bachelor, Master or PhD)
- ▶ Contest Parties are not eligible, nor are persons involved in the execution or administration of this promotion, or the family members of each above (parents, children, siblings, spouse/domestic partners, or individuals residing in the same household)

How are we going to do this?

The solution proposed will be developed during an 8-week period, starting July 5th, 2019. During this time, the teams will be engaged in 3 in-lab sessions of one day each, when the solution will be designed, developed and tested at the EY wavespace in Bucharest, taking advantage of the innovation framework.

We can assist the teams to setup github spaces where they can collaborate, and access trial/free cloud accounts to deploy their work.

How will we evaluate your solution?

A panel of five judges (from both Technical and Business areas) will score the solutions on the following criteria:

- ▶ **Originality**
- ▶ **Impact**
- ▶ **Sustainability**

The teams will benefit from a Technical Quality Assessment of the proposed product (architecture, usability, quality of code).

Timeline

Submit project proposals	Select teams	Meet the teams	In-lab development and mentoring #1	In-lab development and mentoring #2	In-lab development and mentoring #3	Finalize and submit solution	Winners announced (during our annual Intelligent Automation conference in Bucharest)
30 th June	3 rd July	5 th July	17-18 July	7-8 August	21-22 August	25 August	17 th September

Interested in joining?

- ▶ Get a team and send us your CVs
- ▶ Write a short description of your proposed idea and technologies to be used (max. 300 words)

Send aforementioned documents in one email at sorin.anagnoste@ro.ey.com by 30th June 2019.

NB! If you don't have a team you can also send you CV, but we will assign you to a team.

What's in it for you?

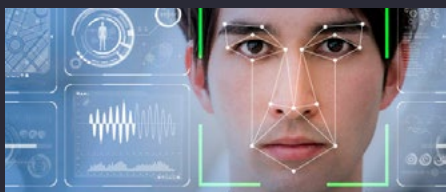
Except for the great opportunity to work on your idea and get some professional guidance...

1st Place:
EUR 4,000 and equivalence of the work with an internship

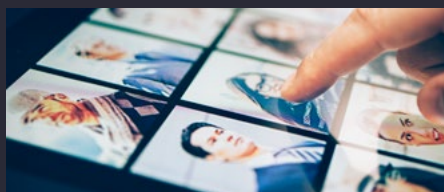
2nd Place:
EUR 3,000 and equivalence of the work with an internship

3rd Place:
EUR 2,000 and equivalence of the work with an internship

Get inspiration for your project:



Alception - an AI start-up bringing functionality of different task specific modules (object detection, face recognition etc).



TypingDNA - the company's technology—known as typing biometrics—improves security through passive authentication and frictionless two-factor authentication.



Geotech Systems - is a start-up focused on Augmented Reality Indoor Navigation within offices, warehouses and other crowded places.

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