# PARTICIPANTS' HAND-OUT

Dear participants,

in this hand-out, we have collected some important information that might help you during the three days of the event. Please have a brief look at it and do not forget to follow our social media channels for all updates before, during and after the hackathon.

Blockchain Hackathon on Twitter – Facebook – YouTube
www.blockchain-hackathon.de

## PROGRAM
You will find the detailed program of the event on our website as well as attached to this document. We will also announce important agenda highlights such as keynotes, handing-in time for final pitches, food and much more through the event's official **Slack group**. You will receive an invitation to join the Hackathon Slack very soon.

## VENUE
The Hackathon will take place in two buildings of the Hochschule für Technik (Schellingstraße 24, 70174 Stuttgart) on two different floors. Have a look at the map attached to be sure to find your way!

## HACKING AROUND THE CLOCK
We like the hackathon the good old way so you are welcome to keep on working around the clock. Make sure to bring your sleeping bag if you need a short power nap while hacking all night long!

## BRING YOUR LAPTOP AND EVERYTHING YOU NEED
It is obvious but still… do not forget to bring your laptop! We provide a limited amount of additional hardware such as adapters, Rasperry Pi and sensors for deposit at our **Equipment Rental Point**. Should you need any other kind of equipment, make sure to have it with you!

**MENTORING**
On Saturday 16th February, 20 experts will stay at your disposal as mentors for questions around challenges, programming, the implementation of your project and of course blockchain. All mentors will introduce themselves on Saturday morning at 9 am in the Aula and will be available all day long. Don't miss this chance!

**WIFI**
Of course we offer you wifi! Here are the details:
Network: hackathon
Password: blockLAB.19

**PRESENTATION OF FINAL RESULTS**
On Sunday 17th February, the best 20 teams will have the opportunity to present their projects in front of a top-notch jury and compete for our amazing prizes in the following categories:

| MOST VISIONARY CONCEPT | BEST TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION | BEST BUSINESS MODEL | HACKATHON CHALLENGES | AUDIENCE PRIZE |
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| 3000€ | 3000€ | 3000€ | 2000€ each | 2000€ |

The winners of each category will have the chance to present their projects at the **Blockchain Campus** of the Chamber of Commerce of the Stuttgart Region on the 19th February 2019 at 1 pm in Stuttgart.

Each team will have only **3 minutes** to convince the jury. We know it is tough so please make sure to use this time wisely and solve all technical issue in advance. You are welcome to show demo and prototype on stage. We suggest you to have in any case a backup presentation in pdf. The hackathon staff will **collect all presentations on Sunday at noon**!

**LIVE STREAMING**
This year again we will live-stream all presentations on Friday and Sunday on our Facebook channel. So don't worry: if family and friends cannot attend your final pitch, they can watch you live online. After the event, you will find all videos of the Hackathon on our YouTube channel.

**HACKATHON STAFF**
We have several supporters who will contribute to make the event enjoyable for everybody. Should you have any questions, please always refer to the Hackathon Staff that you can find on each floor. You can identify the staff from the red mark on the nametag.

**ANY QUESTIONS? CONTACT US ON SLACK!**
Furthermore, on the Blockchain Hackathon Slack you can get in touch with staff, mentors and all participants at any time:

- Are you having trouble with your project and do you wish the support of a mentor? Write a message in the **#Ineedhelp** channel and our mentors will get in touch with you
- Check if there are any announcement under **#general**
- Look for team members in the **#teambuilding** channel
- Do you have some funny pics or things you want to share? Post them in **#random**

**CLOAKROOM**
You can store your jackets and backpacks in the team's rooms but please note that these are not controlled and we do not overtake any liability for stolen objects.

**EMERGENCY EXIT**
We are sure everything is going to run smoothly but just in case, have a look at our emergency exits on the map.

**EMERGENCY NUMBERS**
Below are also some emergency numbers you can call in case of need:
Injury / Fire: 112
Police: 110

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Venue map.pdf
Emergency Exits.pdf