

Dear Madam, Sir,

Imagine using space technology and know-how to tackle concrete obstacles on Earth such as women's safety and access to health facilities, gender-equitable city planning, and more gender-equal agricultural practices...

The Our Giant Leap Hackathon 2022 organizing team is inviting you to send a team of hackers (5 maximum) to take on the challenge!

We are part of the SGAC, the Space Generation Advisory Council, an international network of students and young professionals of the space sector currently gathering more than 20000 members. As the Diversity and Gender Equality expert group of SGAC, we are organizing an international hackathon dedicated to students and young professionals (age 18-35 y.o) in **Daejeon, South Korea** (14-15 August 2022) in conjunction with UNOOSA's upcoming Space4Women conference (16-19 August) under the topic "**How can space technology and know-how help make a leap forward towards gender equality on Earth?**".

Ten teams of up to five hackers will be asked to come up with and pitch first-stage projects and prototypes (if applicable) on this topic. We will provide Masterclasses on space technologies and business management that your students may need to participate in the event successfully.

OUR GIANT LEAP HACKATHON 2022

14-15 August 2022
2022년 8월 14-15
Daejeon, South Korea
대전, 대한민국

How can space technology and know-how help make a leap forward towards gender equality on Earth?

우주에서의 기술과 노하우가 지구에서의 성평등을 향한 도약에 어떻게 도움이 될까요?

Register as a hacker before June 29th 2022!

SPACE GENERATION ADVISORY COUNCIL

Diversity & Gender Equality Project Group

APPLY ON THE SGAC WEBSITE

#OurGiantLeapHackathon

What will be the benefit for your students?

- Participating in a one-of-a-kind international experience over Summer
- Joining a wide network and active international community of space enthusiasts
- Getting in touch with top experts from the space sector, but also top companies and agencies such as the Korea Aerospace Research Institute (KARI)
- Adding the valuable experience of participating in a hackathon to their resumes

What will be the benefit for your University?

- Access to the SGAC community and opportunities
- International visibility

Your students can apply now until June 29th, 2022 on our website, either as a team or as an individual! (<https://spacegeneration.org/our-giant-leap-hackathon-2022/registration>)

Please note that funding (for travel expenses, and accommodation) will not be covered by our organizing committee, therefore we encourage you to support your students in this great adventure!

SGAC(Space Generation Advisory Council; 우주시대자문위원회)의 DGE PG(Diversity and Gender Equality Project Group; 다양성과 성평등 프로젝트 그룹)는 2022년 8월 14일부터 15일까지 대한민국 대전에서 Our Giant Leap Hackathon을 개최합니다. 본 행사는 '우주 기술과 노하우가 지구 성평등을 향한 도약에 기여할 수 있는 방안'을 주제로 참가자들의 번뜩이는 아이디어를 기다리고 있습니다. 이번 행사를 통해 공동의 이익을 창출하고자 여러분과 협력하기를 희망합니다.

Any questions or suggestions? Feel free to contact the Our Giant Leap Hackathon organizing team: oglhackathon@spacegeneration.org

Kind regards,

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