

GHRIET, Pune, ranked at fifth position in Hackathon'2017

Smart India HACKATHON 2017 – a pan India 36 hour nonstop digital programming competition organized by Ministry of HRD – Government of India and AICTE held at 25 centers across the nation. The Hackathon was focused on the problems of social importance identified by 29 ministries and departments of government. They identified 598 problems, in which 7,531 teams of approximately 42,000 students responded. Of them 1,266 teams of 10,000 participants were shortlisted for the finale.



Engineering students of GHRIET, Pune, stood fifth in grand finale of Smart India Hackathon 2017 held at Kochin. Team HEXA and Team BRANIC of GHRIET, Pune represented under Ministry of Tourism and Ministry of Railway respectively. Team HEXA's problem statement was "Smart solution for providing commentary of exhibits in Museum in India" and this team provided appropriate solution of Augmented (AR) technology . Team HEXA secured fifth ranking for exceptional usage of augmented reality technology and got a cash prize of Rs. 10,000/- by Deloitte company at Kochin.

The members of HEXA team are Mr. Sumedh Palande, Mr. Akash Mundada, Mr. Tejas Patil, Mr. Varun Taware, Mr. Santosh Pandey & Ms. Yesha Sanghvi and were mentored by Mr. Amol Shinde and Mr. Rishi Gopal from Happpo Solutions V Mart Pvt. Ltd. & they were accompanied by Assistant Professor Pranjali Nikam.

The team BRANIC's problem statement was "Accident on unmanned Railway crossing" and they provided appropriate solution of load sensors and glued joint technology. The team BRANIC topped in first ten and got the appreciation.

The team members of BRANIC team were Mr. Akash Kumar Jha, Mr. Amit Parmar, Ms. Anushruti Deshpande, Mr. Aman Kumar Singh, Mr. Tanishq Punwatkar, Mr. Mayur Saptal and mentored by Mr. Akshay Kankal & Mr. Suhaas Mahajan from Code Electra Technologies Pvt. Ltd & they are accompanied by Assist. Professor Sneha Pokharkar. The whole participation, uploading of the use case diagram is closely monitored and supported by Assist. Professor Sneha Pokharkar and Assist. Professor Meera Singh. Chairman of Raison Group Shri. Sunil Raison, Trustee Director of RGI, Pune campus Mr. Ajit Tatiya and Principal of GHRIET, Pune Dr. R. D. Kharadkar congratulated students and concerned staff on their remarkable achievement and efforts in Hackathon 2017.

The media "Sakal" , "Maharashtra Times" , "Lokmat" , "Loksatta" and "PUDHARI" also appreciated the success of students .