



# Cisco Ideathon 2020

## CONTEST DETAILS

### HOW TO PARTICIPATE

- Registration open from 24th August to 30th August, 2020.
- Shortlisted students will receive a link attend the preliminary quiz and for video submission.
- All required information must be provided for your submission to be eligible as mentioned on the registration site.
- The entry limit is one per person overall. Any attempt by anyone to obtain more than the stated number of submissions by using multiple/different accounts, identities, registrations, logins, or any other methods will void your submissions and you may be disqualified. Use of any automated system to participate is prohibited.
- We are not responsible for late, or incomplete submissions. If disputed, submissions will be deemed submitted by the “authorized account holder” of the email address, social media account, or other method used to enter. The “authorized account holder” is the natural person assigned to an email address by internet or online service provider, or other organization responsible for assigning email addresses.
- Cisco’s decision will be final and there will not be a review or an appeal against selections, nor will feedback be provided, nor will there be a request for re-evaluation.

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- The student must be from a Cisco Networking Academy.
- The student must have completed either of the following courses: CCNA 1&2, Programming (C, C++, Programming Essentials in Python), Intro to Cybersecurity + Cybersecurity Essentials, IT Essentials, IoT (Intro/ Fundamentals/ Security/) and Emerging Technologies Workshop (ETW).
- **CGPA Cut of :** 7 and above (highest degree)
- **Preferred Degree :** BE/B.Tech, ME/M.Tech , Integrated Dual Degree, MCA, MSc.
- **Preferred Specialisation :** Computer Science and Engineering, Software Engineering, Information Technology, Information Science Engineering, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Electronics and Communication Engineering, Telecommunication Engineering, Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering, Computer Network Engineering, Communication Systems (Electronics group), Computational Engineering & Networking, Cyber Security Systems & Networks, Wireless Networks & Applications and relevant branches/specialisations
- **Internship Availability :** Final year students who are available for 6 months internship from Jan 2021 to June 2021
- **“No current backlogs /arrears”** at the time of participation.



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## JUDGING CRITERIA

Potential candidates who qualify for Round 2 will be called for a written test and interview by Cisco Systems from among all eligible submissions received based on the following criteria:

- Approach to problem-solving
- Feasibility of Solution
- Innovative solution
- Articulation skills

## DISCLAIMER

- Any attempt to obtain more than one submission by using multiple/different accounts, identities, registrations, logins, or any other methods will lead to disqualification.
- All idea submission entries will be reviewed by Cisco. Cisco has the sole discretion to accept or reject any entry.
- Cisco's decision will be final.
- Your submission must be your original work and should not contain any content that is obscene or offensive, violent, defamatory, disparaging or illegal, or that promotes alcohol, illegal drugs, tobacco or a particular political agenda, or that communicates messages that may reflect negatively on the goodwill of Cisco Systems.
- By submitting an entry, you grant Cisco an irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide right and license to use, review, assess, test and otherwise analyze your submission and all its content in connection with this Contest and use your submission in any media whatsoever now known or later invented for any non-commercial or commercial purpose, including, but not limited to, the marketing, sale or promotion of Cisco products or services, without further permission from you. You will not receive any compensation or credit for use of your submission, other than what is described in these Official Rules.
- Personal data you provide while entering this Contest will be used by Cisco and/or its agents and partners acting on Cisco's behalf only for the administration and operation of this Contest.

## INTERNSHIP AND FULL TIME EMPLOYMENT

Candidates who clear the interview process, will be offered an Internship position and a Pre-placement Full-Time Job Offer with Cisco Systems located at Bangalore, Karnataka.