C304 - Hack the Library: App Building Competition

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What is a ‘hackathon’?
“An event in which computer programmers and others involved in software and hardware development, including graphic and interface designers and project managers, collaborate intensively on projects.”

- Wikipedia, based on Wired Magazine
Adelphi’s hackathon

First Place:
Moto 360 smart watches

Second Place:
$100 Amazon gift cards

Third Place:
$50 Amazon gift cards
Not just a ‘hackathon’

- hackfests
- codefests
- makeathons
- techfests
- open challenges
To “hack” means something different now.
Benefits to patrons

learning

earning

networking

contributing
Benefits to libraries

- fresh/new ideas & tools
- student engagement
- marketing/outreach
Organizing a hackathon

@ Adelphi University
Buy-in

internal & external
Legal & IT Review
Booking & Reservations

reserve early

consider dates carefully
Budget

external sponsorship

library

organization
Prizes
Marketing

pre-event

get creative
Hack the library 2015

Friday, March 13 – Saturday, March 14

Starts: Friday @ 4:30 p.m. • Ends: Saturday @ 2:00 p.m.
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Prizes: $2,200+ for all winners
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Sign up at http://www.adelphi.edu/hackthelibrary
Marketing

post-event
WINNERS ANNOUNCED!
Food
Volunteers & judges
Library Presentation

departments intro

app ideas
Managing it all

Work Month in 2014; 1 - January; 2 - February;
Event Management
Recommendations
involve early and build core team
marketing and promotion
date and room
Positive Outcomes
new library app feature
new ideas
better library image
inspiration for other events
App demos
Name: Pranth

Topic: Calculus I (Tuesdays)

Description:
This is a study session for anyone who wants to learn more about optimization and integrals.

Collab Studio 4 from 4:25-5p.m.
Tools Overview
adelphi.edu/hackathon

hacker league
rules, FAQs, agenda
appyery
Q & A
Thank You

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