

SuSea Inc. (You.com) Hackathon Terms & Conditions

1. How to Enter

To participate in the **You.com Agentic AI Hackathon 2025** (the "Hackathon"), participants must complete the submission form available on the official Hackathon website. No purchase is necessary to enter.

All valid entries must be received by **You.com** between **9:00 AM Pacific Time on October 13, 2025, and 11:59 PM Pacific Time on October 24, 2025** (the "Entry Deadline"). You.com is not responsible for late, incomplete, misidentified, or misdirected entries.

2. Eligibility

Participation is open to individuals who are **18 years of age or older** and legal residents of countries where You.com is legally authorized to do business and offer this promotion. Employees and contractors of You.com, its affiliates, and their immediate family members are not eligible to participate. The Hackathon is void where prohibited or restricted by law and is subject to all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations.

3. Contest Qualification

All submissions must meet the entry criteria outlined in the Hackathon guidelines and be deemed valid by You.com. Submissions must:

- Use at least **three (3) You.com API endpoints**.
- Include a public GitHub repository with a README file, a demo video (1–3 minutes), and a 200-word project description.
- Adhere to the Hackathon theme and rules.

You.com reserves the right to reject entries that do not comply with the contest guidelines or violate the **Acceptable Use Policy (AUP)**.

4. Prizes

The Hackathon offers the following prizes:

- **1st Place:** \$2,000 + \$200 in API credits
- **2nd Place:** \$1,500 + \$200 in API credits
- **3rd Place:** \$750 + \$150 in API credits
- **Track Specials:** \$200 in API credits each

Prizes are awarded per submission, not per participant. For team submissions, the prize will be shared equally among all registered team members. Prizes are non-transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash. You.com reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value at its sole discretion. To receive any monetary prize, participant will need to provide tax identification information and a form must be returned to You.com.

5. Judging Process and Criteria

All eligible submissions will be reviewed and scored by a panel of judges based on the following criteria:

1. Innovation & Originality (25%)

- Creativity and uniqueness of the solution.

2. Technical Implementation (25%)

- Quality of code, API integration, scalability, and security.

3. Impact & Relevance (20%)

- Practicality and potential to solve real-world problems.

4. User Experience (15%)

- Intuitive design and ease of use.

5. Presentation & Documentation (15%)

- Clarity of the demo video and organization of the GitHub repository.

Each judge will assign a score from 1 to 10 for each criterion. Scores will be aggregated, and the entry with the highest total score will be declared the winner. In the event of a tie, the entry with the highest **Innovation & Originality** score will win. If the tie persists, the entry with the highest **Impact & Relevance** score will be selected.

A panel of not less than three (3) judges will be retained by [You.com](#) which will include industry professionals and [You.com](#) executives.

6. Prize Notification and Publicity

Winners will be notified via the email address provided during submission within **five (5) business days** of the Hackathon's conclusion. Winners must claim their prizes within **fifteen (15) days** of notification. Failure to do so may result in forfeiture of the prize.

By accepting a prize, winners grant You.com the right to use their name, image, voice, likeness, biography, and project details (including video and screenshots) for promotional and publicity purposes, worldwide and in any media format, without additional compensation or permission, unless prohibited by law. A release will be provided to all winners and must be executed by the winner in order to receive any prizes.

7. Conditions of Participation

By entering the Hackathon, participants agree to:

- Be bound by these Terms & Conditions and the decisions of You.com's judging panel, which are final and binding in all respects.
- Comply with You.com's **Acceptable Use Policy (AUP)** and all applicable laws.
- Allow You.com to feature their submissions (e.g., video, screenshots, descriptions) in marketing materials, case studies, and educational content.
- To sign documentation in support of any winning entry for receipt of payment of any prize.

Participants retain ownership of their intellectual property (IP). However, by submitting an entry, participants grant You.com a non-exclusive, royalty-free license to use, reproduce, and display their submission for promotional purposes.

8. Technical Issues and Integrity

You.com is not responsible for:

- Technical malfunctions, network failures, or errors in registration or submission.
- Lost, delayed, or corrupted data during the submission process.

If the integrity of the Hackathon is compromised for any reason, You.com reserves the right to cancel, terminate, or modify the event and disqualify any individual who tampers with the entry process.

9. Dispute Resolution

Any disputes arising from or relating to the Hackathon will be resolved through binding arbitration in accordance with the rules of the **American Arbitration Association (AAA)**. Arbitration will take place in **Palo Alto, California**, unless otherwise agreed upon by the parties. Participants waive the right to a trial by jury or to participate in a class action.

10. Governing Law

These Terms & Conditions are governed by the laws of the **State of California**, without regard to its conflict of laws principles. Any legal action or proceeding related to the Hackathon must be brought exclusively in the state or federal courts located in **Santa Clara County, California**.

11. Sponsor Information

This Hackathon is sponsored by:

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For questions or concerns, please contact us at **support@you.com**.

12. Miscellaneous

- **Force Majeure:** You.com is not responsible for delays or cancellations caused by events beyond its reasonable control, including but not limited to natural disasters, pandemics, or technical failures.
- **Severability:** If any provision of these Terms & Conditions is found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions will remain in full force and effect.
- **Modification:** You.com reserves the right to modify these Terms & Conditions at any time. Participants will be notified of significant changes via email or the Hackathon website.