

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR FACULTY, STAFF AND STUDENTS**

**Subject: Announcement of BARODA FINATHON CHALLENGE 2017.**

Bank of Baroda has launched **Baroda Finathon Challenge**, a hackathon contest which gives the techies, developers, students and start-ups an opportunity to come up with innovative and viable solutions that can help Bank in developing better banking systems.

**Last Date – 07<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

**Eligibility Criteria –**

- Applicable for techies, developers, students and start-ups across the country.
- No constraints on age or experience.

**Main Prizes**

- **First prize** - INR - 5,00,000/- (Five lakh)
- **Second prize** - INR – 3,00,000/- (Three lakh)
- **Third prize** - INR – 2,00,000/- (Two lakh)

**Rules**

- This is a team based competition with team members upto 03 (three)
- Candidates can either invite friends to form a team but they will not add or delete team members after the idea submission round ends.
- It is an online Hackathon in which a team can submit a hack on only one theme.
- The team can submit their hack as many times they want but only the last hack will be considered as the final submission.
- The team is required to mention about all the API's which shall be used while submission of the idea(s).
- The team is expected to come up with new and innovative ideas and any idea that has been found copied from somewhere, shall be disqualified.
- The hack must be developed entirely during the hackathon duration. Open source libraries and other freely available systems/ services such as Google maps, facebook connect, twitter feeds, etc. can be used.

The submission provided in Baroda Finathon Challenge will be evaluated on :-

1. **Business potential and Relevance**
2. **Uniqueness in the approach and solution**
3. **User experience**
4. **Functionality**
5. **Scalability, Ease of deployment and maintenance**
6. **Security aspects.**

For more details kindly contact email – [contact@hackerearth.com](mailto:contact@hackerearth.com) and Phone Number – +918041554695. Interested students, faculty and staff may avail this opportunity.

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