Hack Public Health!

The Australian National University (ANU) and collaborators in Singapore are teaming up so that students from Singapore and Australia can work together to make a difference. Come along to broaden your perspective, change the world and win amazing prizes of up to $10,000.

Date  
Friday 28 June - Sunday 30 June

Location  
The Hangar, NUS Enterprise  
21 Heng Mui Keng Terrace,  
Singapore 119613

Your Mission

Imagine you are the health minister for a day, how are you going to allocate billions of dollars to programs? You will need to weigh up the pros and cons of different policy settings, and consider what basis you will make major, costly decisions on.

How can you be enabled to think about the expected and unexpected consequences of your decisions? Use Dynamic Simulation Modelling (DSM) technology to help understand the outcomes of your policies.

Dynamic Simulation Modelling (DSM)

DSM is a tool that allows you to use computers to ask ‘what if’ questions and test the long term impacts of government policies.

You can use DSM to test different scenarios, and get a snapshot of what might happen in the future, reliant on the decisions that are made now – almost like a real life version of ‘The Sims’.

We want you to create an engaging artefact or experience that exposes a ‘big picture view’. Your audience might be the general public, politicians, business decision makers, students, or educators, and you will be required to pitch your ideas.

Event format

You will have from 4pm Friday 28 June, until noon Sunday 30 June to develop your ideas and at the end, present a pitch – the judges will be looking to be surprised, delighted and impressed with what you come up with.

Support

You will be supported by experts, models, data and veteran hackathon facilitators. There will be mentors on hand to facilitate team formation, sessions on ideation and innovative thinking, and on how to pitch well.

Ecosystem Partners

Register now!

Participant Registration:

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Mentor Registration:

bit.ly/2U9pAGZ