



Road To Game Jam

Empowering India's Game Developers

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Introduction

The "**Road to Game Jam**" is an exciting opportunity for India's game developers to showcase their creativity and innovation. Organized by the **Game Developer Association of India (GDAI)** in collaboration with **KGeN (Kratos Gamer Network)**, this initiative is a significant part of the Create in India Challenge Season 1 and falls under Pillar 2 of WAVES, which focuses on AVGC-XR (Animation, Visual Effects, Gaming, and Comics, along with Augmented Reality/Virtual Reality and the Metaverse). This event gives game developers a platform to shape the future of gaming by presenting cutting-edge designs and creative concepts in a rapidly evolving industry.

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Registration and Deadline

The registration for the event was open until **February 16th, 2025** and since its launch, **5,569** game development enthusiasts have signed up for the program. The results of this challenge will be announced on **March 16th, 2025**, giving developers an excellent opportunity to showcase their skills and gain recognition in the thriving gaming industry. The *Game Jam* is a national-level competition aimed at igniting creativity and innovation in India's burgeoning game development industry.

Game development students and Young game developer enthusiasts are participating in it.

	Activities	Dates
Phase 1	Launch & Registrations	16th Sep 2024
Phase 2	User Screening	10th Oct 2024 Onwards
	Upskill Workshop 1	19th Dec 2024
	Upskill Workshop 2	18th Jan 2025
	Upskill Workshop 3	7th Feb 2025
Phase 3	Submissions Deadline	16th Feb 2025
Phase 4	Announcement of Finalists	16th Mar 2025

Game Jam Themes

Here are the unique themes for the Game Jam, each designed to inspire innovative storytelling and gameplay:



Prizes



For game developers, this competition offers invaluable exposure, mentorship opportunities and a chance to advance their careers through high-profile platforms and industry connections.

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