



# International Meta Game Jam MAYDAY 1.0

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The NorthCap University, CSE, Game Mantra Club

### **About the University**

The NorthCap University (NCU), founded in 1996 as Institute of Technology and Management (ITM) is known for delivering high quality of education that transforms lives and forges alliances to handle the new world order locally and globally. Over the last 25 years, the institute has transformed into a multi-disciplinary university and a destination of choice, offering industry and socially relevant undergraduate, postgraduate, and doctoral degree programs in Engineering, Applied Sciences, Management, Liberal Arts and Law. NCU has earned itself a place among the top universities in the world for its academic offerings with a perfect score of 5 stars in Teaching, Employability, Academic Development, Online Learning, and Inclusiveness and an overall rating of 4 stars by the prestigious Quacquarelli Symonds (QS) Stars Ratings, the world's largest rating agency. Further, The School of Engineering and Technology at The NorthCap University has been ranked amongst the Top 100 Engineering Institutions across the country in All India NIRF Ranking 2021. NCU has been rated among the BEST PERFORMING Universities in the category of 'Private-Self-Financed University' in the Atal Rankings of Institutions on Innovation & Achievements (ARIIA). The NorthCap University has been accredited by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) and the Assessment Services to International Colleges (ASIC), UK in the category of 'Premier' Universities with 'Commendable' Grades. NCU has consistently achieved top rankings in different surveys for a good placement record of students and imparts value-based education.

Prof. Dr. Rita Chhikara HOD, CSE Prof. Nupur Prakash
Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor

## **About the Event**

The Department of Computer Science and Engineering, NorthCap University is organizing an International META GAME JAM "MayDay 1.0" where game developers and game enthusiasts from all over the world will come together to create games to let their creativity flow. Game Jam will be a 48 hours long competition where the participants have to make a functioning 2D/3D video game from scratch using any platform on the given theme. This International Game Jam is to promote and educate the younger generation in the field of game development, AR, VR & XR and bring to their focus the career options and opportunities. The Jam will be held in both off-line and online mediums and will include informative and interactive activities such as workshops by industry experts. The whole session will be live streamed on The NorthCap University YouTube channel.

# **Prizes**

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1	1st prize	50 Thousand INR	
2	2nd prize	25 Thousand INR	
3	3rd prize	15 Thousand INR	
4	Best Art Style	Worth INR 2,000/- steam card	
5	Best BG Sound	Worth INR 2,000/- steam card	
6	Best Game Aesthetics	Worth INR 2,000/- steam card	
7	Best Game UI and UX	Worth INR 2,000/- steam card	
8	Best Game-play	Worth INR 2,000/- steam card	
	TOTAL	INR 1,00,000/-	

## **Event Plan**

The actual event will commence from **4th May 2022**, with a series of workshops related to the **game development industry and AR VR.** The Speaker and eminent Industry experts will be educating and inspiring the audience by talking about the current growth of the **Gaming industry** and scope for future. The whole session will be live streamed on the NCU YouTube channel.

# **Event Plan for Workshop Series**

Day	Date	Event	Industry Speaker
Day 1	04/05/22	Game prototyping	Mr.Sidhart Saxena, Immersive Studio Sr. Game Developer
Day 2	05/05/22	Women In Gaming	Ms. Shruti Verma Connector &real-time technology evangelist

# **Event Plan for Game Jam**

Day	Date	Time	Event	Details
Day 1 Friday	06/05/22	<ul> <li>10:00am</li> <li>12:00pm</li> <li>12:30pm</li> <li>01:00pm</li> <li>01:15pm</li> <li>02:00pm</li> <li>02:30pm</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reporting</li> <li>Inauguration for the event</li> <li>Panel Discussion</li> <li>Theme reveal and Rules for Jam</li> <li>Lunch</li> <li>Team introduction</li> <li>Kick Start Game Development</li> </ul>	NCU + XR Central
Day 2 Saturday	07/05/22	12:00pm	Screenshot Saturday	Participants will upload screenshots of their project showing their progress.
Day 3 Sunday	08/05/22	03:00pm	<ul><li>Submission</li><li>Panel discussion</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Event wrap up and uploading the game and project files for final submission.</li> </ul>
Day 4 Saturday	04/06/22		Valedictory Session	<ul> <li>valedictory session will be conducted off-line at NCU.</li> </ul>

#### **Score Criteria**

At the end of the event, winners will be awarded with some amazing prizes and gift hampers. The winners will be decided on the basis of following criteria:

- Art & aesthetics
- Level Design
- UI & UX
- Overall Game-play & game mechanics
- · Relevance to theme

#### **Game Jam Rules**

- Last date of registration is 06/05/2022
- Maximum no. of participants per team is four.
- You can use any engine.
- Your game specific programming should be done within the time frame of this jam.
- Your game must be submitted to the official Itch.io game jam page before 12:00pm
   May, 8th (IST).
- Your game's Itch page should have a brief summary of your mechanics and clear instructions on installation, dependency requirements, and how to run the game.
- You game can use assets that you created or assets that are freely/open culture licensed (including music, sound effects, fonts, etc.). Freely licensed material must be given proper credit on your entry's page.
- You are allowed (and encouraged) to work in teams if you like. Head over to the community section, the Discord channel and look for people who want to team up.
- Finally, you have to upload your project files with your final submission.
- Your game should not have any NSFW "not safe for work." content considered to be inappropriate for viewing.

## **General Rules**

- Participants must follow Covid protocols by use masks to all the time.
- Participants must carry their COVID vaccination certificate a physical copy.
- Participants must carry their aadhar/pancard as ID proof.
- Participants have to carry their own hardware and softwares to create games.
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be provided by NCU
- For female participants arrangements in girls hostel(1 room per team)will be provided by NCU for two nights.
- For Male participants rooms with dormitory will be provided for two nights.

## **Organizers**

Event Advisor/Sponsors : **Mr. Shery Mishra** (CEO,Co-founder , XR Central)

#### **Patrons**

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