

NITK Surathkal to host Smart India Hackathon from today

MANGALURU, DHNS: The National Institute of Technology Karnataka (NITK), Surathkal, will host the seventh edition of the Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2024 – Software Edition Grand Finale on December 11 and 12.

As one of the 51 nodal centres, the NITK, Surathkal will be a part of the world's largest open innovation festival.

The software edition will run nonstop for 36 hours, while the hardware edition will continue from December 11 to 15.

Like past editions, student teams will work on problem statements given by various ministries, departments and industries, or submit their ideas in the Student Innovation Category against any of the 17 themes linked to the sectors of national importance. These sectors include healthcare, supply chain and logistics, smart technologies, heritage and culture, sustainability, education and skill development, water, agriculture and food, emerging technologies, and disaster management.