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YOURDESIGNWORKS

STARTUP CLASS







"MOVE OUT OF YOUR COMFORT ZONE"

What's going to happen tomorrow?

- NO SLIDES, only prototype
- 3 minutes to pitch
- Using the stage computer, everything online
- 2 people needed for demo:
 - 1 is pitching on stage
 - 1 (or 2) is behind the computer
 - showing the prototype

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THE GOAL

- Get ATTENTION to your idea and team
- SHOW your prototype
- PRACTISE and test your presentation skills
- GET feedback from mentors, judges and other participants

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WRITE THE SCRIPT

- WRITE IT!
- Easy words, simple language
- Interesting, inspirational
- Tell a story, make a joke
- Edit your text, write down keywords, start practising

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- INTRO (10 SEC)
 Who are you? One memorable sentence/ slogan about your idea.
- THE PROBLEM, THE PAIN (30 SEC)
 What problem are you solving? How big is
 the problem? Who are the people?
- THE SOLUTION, THE PRODUCT (60 SEC)
 As SIMPLY as possible, how does your product solve this problem? What is the SPECIAL SAUCE? Live DEMO

- FUTURE VISION, BUSINESS MODEL (40 SEC) What is the potential for growth? What is the initial plan how to make money? How do you get your first costumers?
- TEAM (20 SEC)
 What relevant experience does your team have?
- END STATEMENT
 Finish your pitch with a strong statement.
 /160 SEC = 2 MIN 40 SEC



- 1ST: Practise with your team for good content. Edit your text.
- 2ND: Practise alone for good delivery.
 Time yourself, record yourself.
- DO NOT learn your text by heart, write down keywords and start telling a story.
- 3RD: Practise at least 10 times.
- Lose the notes and practise some more.



- FIND YOUR CONFIDENCE! The more you practise the more confident you are!
- POSTURE & BODY LANGUAGE
- LOOK AT THE AUDIENCE
- YOUR VOICE & MICROPHONE
- SHOW PASSION & SMILE! If you don't believe in your idea, why should others?!

2x pitch practice (10 min per team)

• We start at 11:00 on Sunday

1st time - come alone and prepared! advice on the content of your pitch.

2nd time - come with your whole team. test the computer/equipment. last practise before the final show!



YOU'VE BEEN A GREAT AUDIENCE!

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