# Solve for Tomorrow

# **CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION**

# SAMSUNG TONGA SOLVE FOR TOMORROW 2024 COMPETITION

By entering this "Samsung Tonga Solve for Tomorrow" competition ("Competition") you (the "Participant") agree to be bound by these terms and conditions. Any information published by the Promoter about the Competition at <a href="www.solvefortomorrow.to">www.solvefortomorrow.to</a> or set out elsewhere in the application process form part of these terms and conditions. The Promoter of this Competition is Samsung Electronics New Zealand Limited ("Samsung"), 24 The Warehouse Way, Northcote, Auckland 0627.

#### 1. Definitions

"Conditions"	means these conditions of participation.	
"Competition"	means the "Samsung: Solve for Tomorrow" competition	
"Competition Brief"	means the brief against which the Participants must submit an idea as part of their Entry.	
"Winner"	a successful Participant(s) who is awarded a Prize.	
"Prize"	means the award for the Winners.	
"Idea"	means the idea or solution entered by a Participant in response to one of the Themes.	
"Samsung"	means Samsung Electronics New Zealand Limited	
"Entries"	means every Entry.	
"Entry"	means an application from an individual or team.	
"Participant"	means the individual or team that has made an Entry.	
"Theme"	means one of the themes as set by Samsung as the basis for the Competition.	
"Submissions"	means any (non-personal) information submitted by an Participant at any stage.	
"PR Purposes"	the use of Participant personal data for marketing and publicity as setout in clause 8.2	

# 2. Eligibility

- The Competition is open to Year 8 and 11 Tongan nationals and their schools.
- No purchase or application fee is necessary to enter.
- The Competition is open to teams. Each registered team must consist of a minimum of 3 students and a maximum of 5 students. It is recommended that Teachers from each participating schools are encouraged to accompany the teams who will participate in the SFT competition.
- Eligibility of schools will be on a first come, first served basis.
- Each school should register 5 teams per school i.e. 2 teams for Year 10 and 3 team for Year 11.
- Participants must create their own work, and not copy text, images, audio, or video recordings from third parties.
- Each team will act in good faith, reasonably cooperate with any requests from the Tonga
  National University (TNU) team, on behalf of Samsung, in a timely manner and not act in a
  manner which may adversely affect both TNU and Samsung's reputation, or adversely affect the
  health, safety or wellbeing of TNU and Samsung's staff or that of any other team.

# 3. Timetable of the Challenge

The Competition runs from 23 September 2024 to approximately 9 December 2024, scheduled as follows:

23 September 2024	Competition launches: Open Call for Submission
18 - 29 November 2024	Teams Expression of Interest
November 2024	2 secondary schools undergo design thinking workshop
6 December 2024	Deadline of online submission of Innovation Challenges by teams (inthe approved formats)
31 January 20245	Announcement of 5-7 Teams going into semi-final round
28 February 2025	Deadline of submission 4-5 final entries for the Final Pitch Competition
14 March 2025	Final Pitch Competition and announcement of Winners

All dates are subject to change by TNU and Samsung.

#### 4. Solve for Tomorrow Themes

2024 Tonga Solve for Tomorrow Challenge is a pilot competition. As such, teams will have the flexibility to design their Entry with any theme in mind. This will be an **open themed** challenge. The key criteria that all teams must adhere to are as follows:

- It must be relevant to the Tonga context.
- It must touch on or relate to a development issue impacting communities (communities can mean school communities, village communities, district communities or otherwise);

#### 5. Registration

#### Entry

- 5.1. Teams' expressions of interest (EoI) must be completed by <u>6 December 2024 by 23.59 hours (TOT Hours)</u>. The EoI is to be submitted by the Team Leader (Student) and should include a Teacher and the Activity plan (in the approved format). Registration is online and must be submitted on the following page: The Entry must consist of:
  - Fully completed online registration form, with answers to all questions and the Activity plan.

# Semi - Finals Entry

5.2. Teams must submit their Innovation challenge for preliminary assessment by the panel of Judges no later than 23:59 hours (TOT) on 6 December 2024 or alternatively to TNU via email support@solvefortomorrow.to

#### **Finals Entry**

5.3. Top 5 teams are expected to visually present their innovation challenges during the Finals competition. The top 5 teams are to also prepare a prototype to showcase during the Finals.

Entries can be in any one of the approved formats:

- A3 or A2 Poster showing diagram and model, or artwork (submitted via PPT, PDF, video or jpg format) with words description of Max 500 words.
- Presentation PowerPoint (max 10 slides)
- Video presentation (max 5 minutes)
- 5.4. Entries will be reviewed and judged by a panel of judges comprised of a Samsung representative, Tonga Ministry of Education and Training a representative from the University of the South Pacific and at least one independent judge. The judge(s) portfolios shall be made available at the SFT Tonga website (solvefortomorrow.to). The panel of judges shall review the Entries to determine which Entries which, in the panel of judges' view, best meet the Winning Criteria. The panel of judges' decision is final.
- 5.5. The selection criteria for determining the winning Entries includes the following criteria ("Winning Criteria"):

Entries will be judged on:

#### Relevance (20%)

Identifying an issue that impacts your community or group of people.

# Feasibility (30%)

Feasibility of the solution with current technology and resources considered.

#### Creativity (20%)

Creativity and originality of the idea

# **STEM (20%)**

Application of STEAM to help solve the problem / issue

# Presentation (10%)

Quality and effectiveness of entry.

5.6. The results will be announced by TNU and Samsung on 14 March 2025 (TBC) on the day of the final round event. All dates are subject to change by Samsung's implementing partner TNU in consultation with the Tonga Ministry of Education and Training.

#### 6. Prize

A total prize pool valued at USD \$TBC, comprising prize vouchers and Samsung devices, will be awarded to the three winning teams as specified.

- There will be (1) winner of the First Prize for the highest scoring Entry. The First Prize consists of a
  voucher valued at US\$2500, plus Samsung Devices to the value of RRP US\$TBC (Up to 5 units per
  team).
- There will be (1) winner of the Second Prize for the second highest scoring Entry. The Second Prize consists of a voucher valued at US\$1600, plus Samsung Devices to the value of RRP US\$TBC (Up to 5 units per team).
- There will be (1) winner of the Third Prize for the second highest scoring Entry. The Third Prize consists of a prize voucher valued at US\$750, plus Samsung Devices to the value of RRP US\$TBC (Up to 5 units per team).
- Prizes are subject to change by Samsung. Samsung devices and minor cash prizes are to be awarded
  to the winning team and are to be split equally among the winning team members. The Samsung kit
  prizes and the STEM support cash prizes are to be awarded to the school of the winning team.

#### 7. Use of Submissions

7.1 The Promoter may publish on any of its websites or any social networking website any and all Submissions received by it in connection with this Competition at any time and for any reason.

7.2 The Participants own all their Submissions. Each Participant agrees, and hereby provides, a perpetual unrestricted (non-exclusive), irrevocable, royalty-free, transferable licence to the Promoter, including the

right to sub-licence, to use, develop, edit, adapt, modify, or transform the Submissions for any purpose. The Participant hereby waives all moral rights they have in the Submissions to the fullest extent permitted by law.

7.3 Each Participant warrants that they are the person who created the Submission submitted to this Competition. The Participant shall indemnify the Promoter and hold it harmless from and against any losses, damages, liabilities, obligations, claims, actions and demands, including without limitation reasonable legal fees, arising directly or indirectly from any breach of warranty set out in this clause.

7.4 Each Participant agrees that Samsung and their affiliated companies, are entitled to report about the Competition, including the Participant's Ideas, Developed Solutions and Final Solution, including for marketing purposes.

#### 8. Personal Data - Rights To Use Names, Images and Videos

- 8.1 Samsung shall only use your personal data for the purposes of operating and administering the Competition (including contacting the Participants in relation to the Competition and award activities), and the below PR Purposes.
  - Each Participant understands that Samsung and their affiliated companies, may use their name, location and age in publicity and marketing relating to the Competition.
- Each Participant understands that Samsung and Digital and their affiliated companies, may use
  personal data, such as photographs and videos, which the Participant submits in publicity and
  marketing relating to the Competition.
- Each Participant understands that Samsung and their affiliated companies, may take and use
  photographs and videos at the events in publicity and marketing relating to the Competition.
- 8.2 Each Participant's personal data will be held in accordance with our Privacy Policy.

# 9. Safeguarding

Where an Participant is a minor or vulnerable adult, Samsung reserves the right to require a parent/guardian/responsible carer to sign a declaration on behalf of the Participant, confirming acceptanceto these terms and conditions.

#### 10. Legal Terms

- 10.1 The Promoter shall not be liable for any interruption to this Prize Draw whether due to force majeure or other factors beyond the Promoter's control.
- 10.2 The Promoter reserves the right, acting reasonably and in accordance with all relevant legislation and codes of practice, to vary the terms and conditions of this Prize Draw. The Promoter reserves the

right to change the dates set out in the above Timetable.

#### 10.3 The Promoter reserves the right to:

- exclude from scoring or remove a Participant from the Competition for any violation of these Conditions.
- exclude a Participant if they do not react within the time limit defined in a notification from the Promoter and appoint a replacement.
- extend a deadline, or require a response by a set deadline, where technical or other problems occur in respect of a submission.
- modify the Conditions at any time and without the consent of the Participants. In such scenarios Participants will be informed in an appropriate manner of any modifications.
- remove Participants from the Competition without compensation.
- 10.4 Each valid Entry will be assessed and scored by the judges against the Winning Criteria and the decision of the judges will be final. Under no circumstances shall the selection be made in the sense of a lottery, on the basis of chance or luck. In the event that the judges acting reasonably believe that all of the entries are of an insufficient quality to be awarded the prizes then the judges reserve the right to cancel the Prize Draw and withhold the prizes.

#### 11. Limitation

The Promoter will not be responsible or liable for: (a) any failure to receive Entries due to transmission failures and other conditions beyond its reasonable control; (b) any late, lost, misrouted, or damaged transmissions or entries; (c) any computer or communications related malfunctions or failures; (d) any disruptions, losses or damages caused by events beyond the control of the Promoter; or (e) any printing or typographical errors in any materials associated with the Competition.

By entering the Competition, the Participant agrees to release the Promoter from any liability whatsoever for any claims, costs, injuries, losses, or damages of any kind arising out of or in connection with the Competition or with the acceptance, possession, attendance at or use of any prize except death or personal injury caused by the Promoter's negligence, for fraud, or otherwise as prohibited by law.

The Promoter accepts no liability for any consequences, whether direct or indirect, that may arise from participation in the Competition, reliance on any statements made about the Competition, or its suspension or withdrawal.

#### 12. Law

The Competition and these Conditions are governed by the laws and regulations of Tonga.