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The AAUN Hackathon 2026

Student innovation for circular economy solutions.

WHAT IT IS

The AAUN Hackathon brings student teams together to crack a real-world problem in the circular economy: how we keep resources in use, cut waste, and design for what comes next. The exact challenge stays under wraps until one week before, so every team starts fresh, on equal footing, against the clock.

WHO CAN JOIN

You can be in engineering, law, IT, business, health, science or the arts: every discipline sees a different angle on the same problem, and that mix is exactly what makes a winning team.

Undergraduate, postgraduate, or early career researcher, students from across the AAUN network are welcome.

THE PRIZE

Cash prizes and other exciting awards to be won!

KEY INFORMATION



Tuesday,
1 September 2026



Edith Cowan University,
Western Australia

Format: Hybrid - In person and Online

HOW TO TAKE PART

Australia teams: aus-ecr@aaun.network

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