

# Hacktober

## Description

**\*\*Make professionals and students engage with the teams of established IT projects that have a clear and positive social impact by means of 2-day hackathon in a European city.\*\***

This will first serve these projects as a way to grow their core teams in the long term while at the same time providing extra manpower to move forward on their roadmaps, welcoming contributions of all kinds.

Secondly, it will provide an excellent opportunity to students and professionals of diverse fields to get to know Free Software, Commons and Social and Solidarity Economies.

Lastly, this can potentially enrich and strengthen the relationships between European projects and universities that share their vision and values grounded in the aforementioned areas.

## Location

The possible locations considered so far are Brussels and Barcelona. For the latter, the event could be related to the Social and Solidarity Economy Fair (FESC), which takes place each year on the last weekend of October.