Sahazad

Submit by September 25



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REVIVE: SAHARA



Picture of Sahara Desert by Yeo Khee on Unsplash

PREMISE

Sahara (from Arabic ṣaḥrāʾ, "desert") largest desert in the world. Filling nearly all of northern Africa, it measures approximately 3,000 miles (4,800 km) from east to west and between 800 and 1,200 miles from north to south and has a total area of some 3,320,000 square miles (8,600,000 square km); the actual area varies as the desert expands and contracts over time.

The Sahara is bordered in the west by the Atlantic Ocean, in the north by the Atlas Mountains and Mediterranean Sea, in the east by the Red Sea, and in the south by the Sahel—a semiarid region that forms a transitional zone between the Sahara to the north and the belt of humid savannas to the south.

ISSUE

The Sahara covers a vast area. Often, air has to be used to transport people and materials which is very expensive. Expensive pipelines have to be built to transport oil, gas and electricity from remote areas. It is hard to provide services in remote regions therefore there is often a lack of medical care.

These being a few, there are a lot more possibilities within Sahara and sub-Saharan Africa - we require immediate identification of the challenges and rapid solutions of these problems.

OBJECTIVE

The challenge is to design an **independent and self-sustainable infrastructure for the community**, which also supports the intent to enhance tourism around the region - within a site size of between 500 square metres to 10,000 square metres.

SITE SIZE

Select a site of area **between 500 square metres to 10,000 square meters** in regions within **Algeria**, **Chad**, **Egypt**, **Libya**, **Mali**, **Mauritania**, **Morocco**, **Niger**, **Western Sahara**, **Sudan** and **Tunisia**. Choice of site is at the discretion of the participant(s).

Note: The site must be justified within at least one of the two A1 sheets.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. 2 x A1 Sheets (one PDF with at least 150dpi Max. 20 MB)
- 2. A **1-2 min Video** explaining your design/concept (content in the video has been left to the participant's consideration)
- 3. **Participate in teams of 1-3 Individuals** (Multiple Registrations Allowed using different Email IDs and Phone Numbers)
- 4. The final PDF must be named 'team-<team number>.pdf' (for example, team-1234.pdf if your team code is '1234') and should be uploaded on *Google Drive/Dropbox/OneDrive* or any similar online file handler with 'Public Access' setting as 'Enabled'
- 5. The final video must be named 'team-<team number> | Seek Fanatic Competition #revivesahara and uploaded as an 'Unlisted' video on YouTube (Choose 'Mark as not made for kids' while uploading)
- 6. The content in sheets should be *free of any plagiarism* (except collages and human cutouts in renders)
- 7. Submitted content must not include any information which exposes details of the participant or the region the participant resides in
- 8. Seek Fanatic logo must be postfixed to the video for 3 seconds with black background (Download logo: go.seekfanatic.com/logo)
- 9. Registration must be done on <u>seekfanatic.com</u> only using the contact information of the **team leader** only.

Note: Failing in compliance with any of the above requirements will lead to disqualification of the respected team from the competition, with a notification email to the registered email id of the team leader.

SCHEDULE & FEES

- Early Registration Ends: **September 10th** 2021 23:59 GMT **(\$15 USD)**
- Standard Registration Ends: September 25th 2021 23:59 GMT (\$30 USD)
- Submissions End: September 25th 2021 23:59 GMT
- Results Announced: October 25th 2021

PRIZES/GRANTS

- Winner x 1 = \$1000 + Certificate + Publication in our Annual Issue + Blog Post
- Runners Up x 4 = \$250 + Certificate + Publication in our Annual Issue + Blog
 Post
- Participation Certificates for all teams

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