JGEC Winter of Code

Student Manual

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Goals of the program:

- Encourage young developers to participate in Open Source Development.
- Help them to get more familiarized with the Open Source World and using Git & Github.
- Give students more exposure to Software Development.
- Guide them how to work in a team and inspire them to take part in more Open Source programs.

What is JGEC Winter of Code ?

JGEC Winter of Code is an Open Source event organized by developers of JGEC, with SRISTI 2020, the annual Techno-Management fest of JGEC.

The main idea is to get students involved in and familiar with the open source community. There will be various projects available in Github, and you have to contribute in any of the projects. Each project will be assigned to a mentor who will be there to guide you in any stage.

The program is designed in such a similar way to GSoC(one of the most prestigious OpenSource Program) to give you a taste of it, and to drive away the fear of participating in it.

Why should I apply ?

At first, make it clear that it is less about competing and more about learning. So if you are ready to learn about software development and open source you must participate. And even if you are already a developer then you will also be able to grow your skills with direct contribution.

The experience of solving an issue and the joy of getting your pr merged will be amazing and unique as well.

Building your network is one of the most important parts of learning, during this period you will interact and share ideas with your mentor and team mates which you help you to grow in your career.

If you love coding and feel passionate about making some cool projects then it will be the right choice for you.