

Event Description

Hack for Climate! is a hackathon for beginning and experienced MIT App Inventor makers to create apps that help fight climate change. Topics such as fighting climate disinformation, lowering power use, and helping researchers understand how climate change is impacting the world are potential app ideas. The hackathon will take place at the MIT AI & Education Summit on July 24-25, 2024, at the Marriott Cambridge and will end with the awards ceremony on Friday, July 26, 2024.

Bios



Jere A. Boudell, Ph.D. is an ecologist who studies the impact of climate change on ecosystems. As a technologist she seeks to bridge the gap between the worlds of technology and the sciences through hackathons and app development that address the ecological issues of our time.

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George Tang is the co-founder of Mixx Reality - a Helsinki-based Web spatial AI startup. As a serial tech entrepreneur, his professional interest falls squarely at the intersection of responsible (and ubiquitous) AI, evolving cybersecurity and identity/privacy practices, and the messy process of Reality convergence.