



Thank you!

Follow-Up Report

GDGoCode - Hackathon

A sincere thank you!

We're truly grateful to have you as a partner! Your support played an essential role in making this event possible and in creating a valuable experience for all participants. This follow-up document is meant to give you a look back at the event, its impact, and the moments we were able to create together. Inside, you'll find highlights from the hackathon, key outcomes, and the enthusiasm your contribution helped inspire. Thank you again for believing in our initiative and for being part of this experience!

Links

Link

Description

[Photo Archive](#)

A collection of photos capturing some of the best moments from the event.

[GdGoC UTCN](#)

MailTo link to our gmail address:
gdgoncampustucn@gmail.com

[Instagram Page](#)

Our Instagram page where we posted all the highlights of the event, as well as the general experience at the venue.

["U" Hack](#)

Find out more about the event, sponsorship benefits, and ways to get involved!



Event

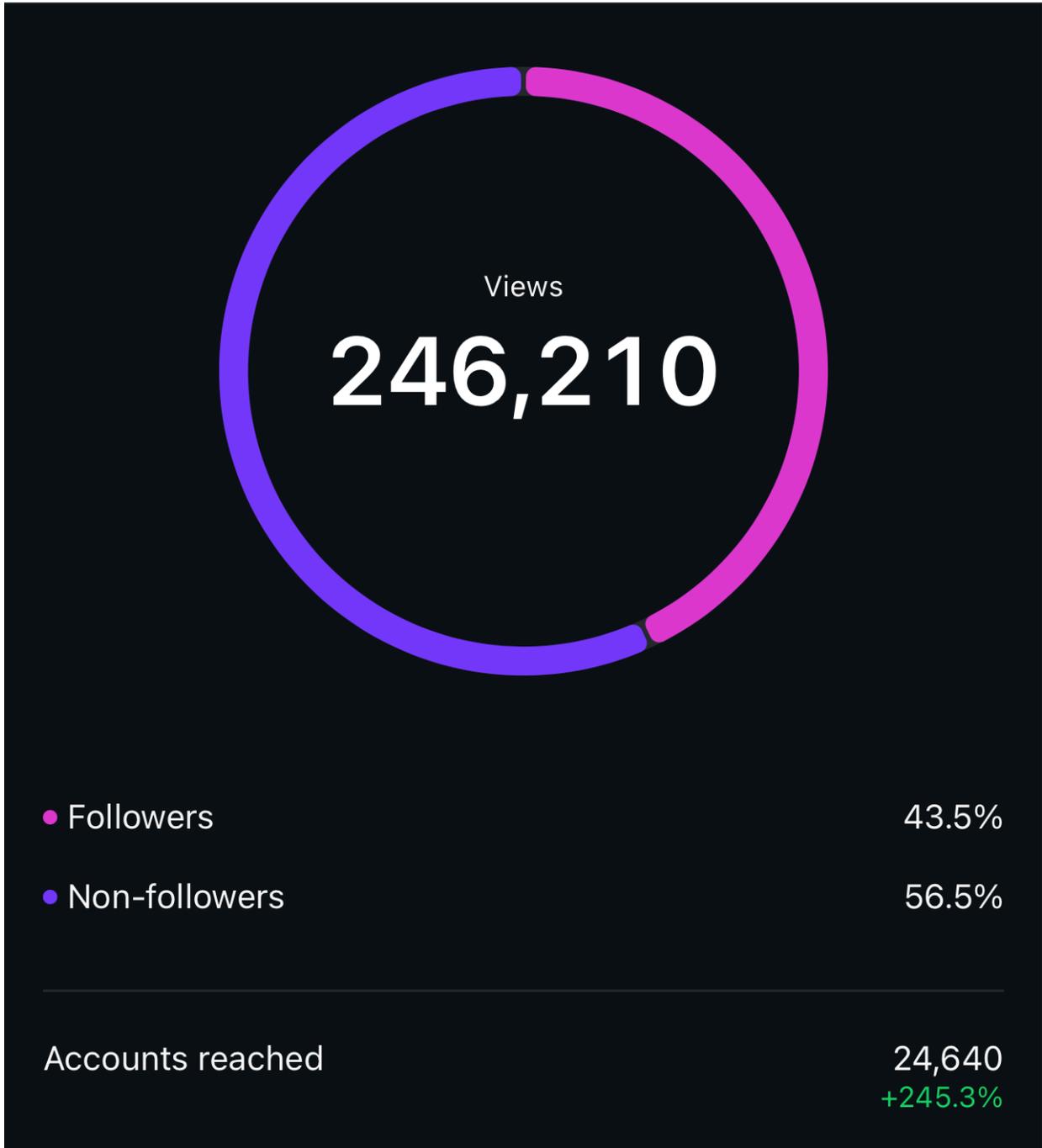
Overview

About the Event

GDGoCode brought together students, tech enthusiasts, mentors, jurors, volunteers, and partners for a hackathon built around innovation, teamwork, and learning. Throughout the event, participants worked on practical ideas, explored new technologies, and turned their concepts into projects in two main tracks: **Cloud** and **AI**. The theme of the event was **DEFENSE**. Beyond the competition itself, the event created space for collaboration, mentorship, hands-on learning, and community building.

The event took place between **13–15 March 2026** at the **Faculty of Automation and Computer Science**, located on **Str. George Barițiu, Cluj-Napoca**, and ran from **Friday to Sunday**.

GDGoCode by the Numbers



246K+ views, 4.2K interactions, 148 new followers

GDGoCode brought together **100 participants, 20 volunteers, 15 mentors** and **12 partner companies**, all contributing to a weekend full of energy, ideas, and hard work. The impact of the event continued well beyond the venue and into our online community.

In the last 30 days, our content reached **246,210 views** and **24,640 accounts**, generated **4.2K interactions**, and brought **148 new followers** to our page. We shared a total of **129 pieces of content**, and more than half of all views - **56.5%**, came from **non-followers**, showing that the event reached far beyond our existing community. Our top-performing content reached **33.7K views**, while several other posts also passed the **10K** mark.

Views	 246.2K >
Interactions	 4.2K >
New followers	 148 >
Content you shared	129 >

Awarded Projects

During the hackathon, participants developed a wide range of creative and practical solutions. Each category recognized three winning teams, highlighting projects that stood out through their relevance, execution, and potential.

1. Cloud Category

1st Place – AI-Assisted Logistics Decision Support

A project focused on improving logistics-related decision-making through the use of AI-supported analysis.

2nd Place – Intelligent Contract Analysis

A solution designed to support the analysis and interpretation of contracts in a more efficient and accessible way.

3rd Place – Cloud-Deployable LLM Solution

A project centered on building a language model solution designed for deployment and scalability in the cloud.

2. AI Category

1st Place – Vehicle Detection Solution

A project using AI to support vehicle detection and recognition in specialized scenarios.

2nd Place – Driver Awareness and Road Safety Support

A solution focused on promoting safer driving habits and improving awareness in traffic-related contexts.

3rd Place – Gamified Support for Kinetotherapy

An interactive project designed to make kinetotherapy-related exercises more engaging and accessible through gamification.

Participant Feedback

The feedback we received was **overwhelmingly positive**, with participants especially appreciating the **welcoming atmosphere**, alongside with **the valuable presence of our partner companies**, the **dedication of the volunteers**, and the **support offered by mentors**.

The workshops were also frequently mentioned as valuable and inspiring, and for many attendees, GDGoCode was a memorable and rewarding experience they would gladly take part in again.

Alongside the positive feedback, participants also offered a few **thoughtful suggestions for improvement**. These mainly focused on having a bit more time for project development, making workshop timing and delivery even smoother, and offering clearer communication around judging criteria and expectations. Even with these suggestions, the overall impression remained strongly positive, showing that the event left a meaningful impact on those who took part.

Overall participant feedback:

Average: 8.9/10

Median: 9/10

Most common impression: very positive



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GDGoCode was only the beginning. We are now preparing our next hackathon, **"U" Hack**, a **48-hour deep-tech challenge** taking place **24–26 April**, where around **120 students** in **30 teams** will work on innovative ideas around **AI in sports**. It will be another opportunity to bring students closer to real challenges, meaningful collaboration, and hands-on technology.

We would love to have you with us on this journey. As a partner, you can support the event through mentorship, workshops, branding, on-site presence, or collaboration, while also connecting with talented students in a practical and engaging environment. **Together, we can continue building opportunities that create real value for both students and partners.**

You can find more details about the event, as well as the **partnership benefits** and **opportunities**, through the **link available** on the **first page**.