Final day of CIT Innovation Week 2016

Friday 11th March

CIT Innovation Week 2016, which has been taking place all this week across CIT's five campus locations, will come to a close today.

The highlight of the week is today's Local Enterprise Offices (Cork) CIT Prize for Innovation which will see €10,000 in cash prizes awarded to those whose inventions and business ideas are judged most creative, novel, innovative, and likely to succeed in the workplace.

There were 52 entrants to this year's prize out of which 16 applicants were shortlisted to be judged at a showcase and awards ceremony taking place today from 9.30 to 13.30 in the Student Centre of the Bishopstown campus.

The awards for this year's CIT APPrentice competition, which inspired students to come up with innovative APP ideas, will also be announced following a showcase of ideas submitted in the Nexus Hall of the Student's Centre from 10.00 to 13.30 today.

Other prizes being awarded as part of Innovation Week 2016 include CIT Module Business Canvass Wall and the Enactus CIT Social Innovation Prize Showcase, which also take place in the Nexus Hall from 11:00 to 13:30. The annual 'Build and Launch your own Rocket' competition will again take place in CIT Blackrock Castle Observatory from 15:00 until 17:00, while a CoderDojo Competition will run in the Nimbus and Rubicon Centres from 16:00 to 18:00.

This week's Find the Robot competition will also come to an end today, with the final clue being given out at 11am and a prize of €100 to be won.