GPT Design Contest Rules

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Announcing the DATE24 GPT Design Contest

- Is it possible to increase productivity of a circuit designer by using GPT?
- Can GPT produce reliable code from a provided spec?
- Spread the knowledge of capabilities and restrictions of GPT
The group must register at https://www.date-conference.com/YPP-GPT-Design-Contest-Application to express interest in the contest.

March 24, 2024
- Valencia, Spain
- 24 hours to create a design
- GPT and manual editing + co-pilot allowed
- 4 persons per team - companies, student groups, and researchers can participate, subject to the eligibility criteria of the Contest Official Rules

March 25, 2024
- Presentation of results and award ceremony
Judging Criteria

- The provided results should include:
  - GPT system and model that was used to generate the results
  - All prompts which were used to generate the RTL-code
  - RTL-code that will be verified against the Verification IP

- The winning team will be that which demonstrates it has learned the most, judged via the following criteria:
  - RTL code can be simulated (syntactically correct)
  - Compliance with Verification IP (logically correct)
  - Trained models are valued higher than using standard models
  - Reasonable amount of manually edited code, where it makes sense
  - Quality of results presentation and interview
An alternative education program suggested by the winning team with similar monetary value is possible.
Online Trainings

- ARM Online Training
  - Topic: AMBA design IP
  - Date: TBD
- Cadence Online Training
  - Topic: Verification IP
  - Date: TBD
- GPT Online Training
  - Topic: GPT online and offline
  - Date: TBD
FAQ

- What kind of design must be created?
  - Design is related to AMBA bus architecture

- Are there prerequisites?
  - At least one team member should be experienced in Verilog/VHDL

- Can the team participate online?
  - No, traveling to Valencia is mandatory, registration fee for DATE will be covered

- Who are jury members?
  - Jury consists of members from organizing institutions

- Which GPT system can be used?
  - There are no restrictions, online and local GPT systems can be used; the organizers will not cover the cost for hardware, software or access to GPT systems

- How are the submitted results verified?
  - Organizers will provide access to Verification IP, which checks the compliance

- I have more question, who can I contact?
  - For further questions please write to ypp-industry@date-conference.com
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