# AISOD UI/UX Design Competition: Build AI-Powered Apps and Launch Your Career!

Are you a passionate UI/UX designer with a knack for leveraging AI in development? AISOD (Artificial Intelligence Service Optimization for Development), a leading Namibian tech company specializing in AI-driven web/mobile apps, training, and innovative solutions, is hosting an exciting design competition to discover top talent like you!

## **Competition Details:**

• Start Date: December 18, 2025

• **End Date:** January 5, 2026

- **Theme:** Design and develop real-world AI-integrated applications from concept to completion. This is your chance to showcase end-to-end skills in a practical challenge!
- **Project Ownership:** AISOD will give you real projects that will be used in real life and thereby own all the projects. All the projects are confidential and you will not be allowed to share it until we openly reference you in public launch of the solution.

#### The Challenge:

We're looking for innovative UI/UX designers who can harness AI tools to create functional, user-centric applications. Participants will tackle **real applications** to build – starting from scratch and covering every phase following the AISOD Revolutionary Concept:

- 1. **Research & Documentation:** Conduct market research, user needs analysis, and document your approach (e.g., user personas, wireframes, and AI integration plans).
- 2. **UI/UX Design & Prototyping:** Create intuitive, modern designs using tools like Figma, Adobe XD, or Sketch. Focus on seamless user experiences enhanced by AI features (e.g., personalized recommendations, chatbots, or predictive interfaces).
- 3. **Development with AI:** Use AI-assisted tools (e.g., no-code/low-code platforms like Lovable.dev, Minimax, Cursor integrated with AI APIs, or code-based with GitHub Copilot) to build the app. Emphasize how AI optimizes development speed and functionality.
- 4. **Testing Phase:** Perform usability testing, bug fixes, and AI performance validation (e.g., ensuring ethical AI use and accessibility).
- 5. **Submission & Presentation:** Submit your final app (deployed prototype), full documentation, and a 5-10 minute video presentation explaining your process, AI usage, and innovations.

## Suggested App Ideas (Choose One or Propose Your Own AI-Enhanced Concept):

- Logistics Solution (Web and Mobile App)
- A mobile app for Road Assistante and Emergency Services
- A mobile app for small businesses using AI for inventory management, sales forecasting, and customer chat support.
- An educational platform leveraging AI for personalized learning paths, quiz generation, and progress tracking tailored to tech skills like those taught at AISOD.
- A math & calculation Software (Web and Mobile App) for education.
- Real estate solution (Web and Mobile App)

- Research Solution (Web and Mobile App)
- Job Hailing Marketplace

All submissions must be original, strictly use supabase or AWS, open-source where possible, and demonstrate ethical AI practices (e.g., bias mitigation, data privacy).

### **Prizes & Opportunities:**

- **Grand Prize:** N\$2,000 cash + a full-time job opportunity at AISOD as a UI/UX Designer, starting at a basic salary of N\$6,000 (Namibian Dollars).
- **Project Rewards:** Participants with well-executed projects (strong design, functionality, and documentation) will be compensated for their efforts get paid like a real job!
- **Paid Internships:** The top 2 standout entries (excelling in design aesthetics, user experience, AI integration, and overall functionality) will secure a 6-month paid internship at AISOD:
  - o Month 1: N\$2,000
  - Month 2: N\$2,500
  - o Month 3: N\$3,000
  - o Month 4: N\$3,500
  - o Month 5: N\$4,000
  - o Month 6: N\$4,500
- From these interns, **one exceptional performer** will be hired full-time at the starting salary mentioned above.

This isn't just a competition, it's a pathway to a rewarding career in AI tech at AISOD, where you'll contribute to real projects in web/mobile development, AI optimization, and more.

#### **How to Enter:**

- Eligibility: Open to aspiring UI/UX designers (no formal experience required, but familiarity with AI tools is a plus). Must be based in Namibia or willing to relocate to Windhoek and submit the form at <a href="https://competition.aisod.tech/about#contactus">https://competition.aisod.tech/about#contactus</a> or send your cv to <a href="mailto:info@aisodinstitute.tech">info@aisodinstitute.tech</a> or whatsapp at 264 81 497 1482 / +264 81 621 6996
- **Submission:** Email your completed project to <u>info@aisodinstitute.tech</u> by January 5, 2026 before the presentation date on the 10 January 2026. Include your name, contact details, and a brief bio.
- **Judging Criteria:** 40% UI/UX Design Quality, 30% AI Integration & Functionality, 20% Innovation & User Impact, 10% Documentation & Presentation.
- Questions? Visit <u>aisod.tech</u> or <u>https://competition.aisod.tech</u> or contact +264 81 497 1482 / +264 81 621 6996.

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