

2026 NYBPC MV Regional Competition - Room Assignments

Cluster 1

Session Chair: Son Tran

Judges: Nick Cavanaugh, Dennis Coughlin, Jon-Paul Kidwell, Sarita Ruiz

Location: Kunsela A129

Time - Morning Session: 9:45 - 11:45 am

Track: Food & Agtech

Ventures and Students (in the order of presentation):

Medizza - Emran Abbas (SUNY Poly)

The Blooming Bayou - Khyonna Riley-Donegal (SUNY Cobleskill)

Skyview Grain - Ashton Thomas (SUNY Cobleskill)

Time - Afternoon Session: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Track: Learn, Work & Live

Ventures and Students (in the order of presentation):

Adventure Agency - Erin Julian, Jenna Sabanagic, Jessica Altamirano, Marilyn Gonzalez (SUNY Poly)

Campus XP - James Jackson, Erika Lein, Jaden Mayers, Menloodjy Senejuste (SUNY Poly)

Cluster 1 - Venture Descriptions

Adventure Agency - AI powered travel and event planning assistant that creates fully scheduled itineraries based on user preference, location, weather, budget, and trip type.

Campus XP - A gamified study app that turns schoolwork into quests, helps students plan their tasks, and suggests smart study strategies while they earn XP and level up.

Medizza - A fast-casual pizzeria revolutionizing the food industry by blending the bold, authentic flavors of Arab cuisine with the universally beloved pizza format.

The Blooming Bayou - Farm to table restaurant.

Skyview Grain - A farm that uses modern agricultural practices such as precision farming technology, along with sustainable land management to help with soil health.

Cluster 2

Session Chair: Caroline Williams

Judges: Mark Cushman, Amar Halimanovic, Jasminka Husic, Jordan Ross

Location: Kunsela C108

Time - Morning Session: 9:45 - 11:45 am

Track: Learn, Work & Live

Ventures and Students (in the order of presentation):

Dozi - Iyana Reed, Robert Kelly, Zaid Abbas, Zachary Christian (SUNY Poly)

Namnu - Ashim Pandey, Pratiksha Bista (Utica University)

Tailored Match - Delaney Beardsley, Lauren Jones (SUNY Poly and Utica University)

Time - Afternoon Session: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Track: Learn, Work & Live

Ventures and Students (in the order of presentation):

Upstate Navigate - Jacob Allen, Joseph Esposito, Sean Rooney, Shawn Overacker, William Scanlon (SUNY Poly)

Sacandaga Lakers Soccer Club - Samuel Spracker, Jake Lewis (SUNY Cobleskill)

Red Dragon Investments - Gabriel Camillieri, Ariel Waldman, Sean Grimes (SUNY Oneonta)

Cluster 2 - Venture Descriptions

Dozi - Helping students and professionals work together clearly, fairly, and efficiently.

Namnu - A simple expense tracking app.

Tailored Match - A platform that helps employers identify qualified candidates faster while enabling job seekers to discover opportunities aligned with their skills and goals.

Upstate Navigate - Social event planning for local and popular businesses.

Sacandaga Lakers Soccer Club - A grassroots-driven amateur soccer club representing the communities surrounding Sacandaga Lake in Upstate New York.

Red Dragon Investments - A firm that builds long-term wealth through disciplined investment in diversified mutual funds and ETFs.

Cluster 3

Session Chair: Charles Scarafile

Judges: Dennis Conard, CJ Hanrahan, Hilarie Lynn, Kaylon Paterson, Linnea Pettitt

Location: Kunsela A133

Time - Morning Session: 9:45 - 11:45 am

Track: Products & Hardware

Ventures and Students (in the order of presentation):

Corrosion Guard - Billy Sam, Caden Morris, Dallas Robinson, Jake Burrows, Samuel Collis (SUNY Poly)

Hozzles - Brooke Bush, Daniel Flaherty, Derek Holmes, Masha Lyubezhanin, Patrick Gates (SUNY Poly)

Ideal Home Remodeling Corp. - Bradley Perez (SUNY Oneonta)

Time - Afternoon Session: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Track: Products & Hardware

Ventures and Students (in the order of presentation):

Mechanized - Jayson F Spooner (SUNY Poly)

The Polish Purple - Skyla Rosado, Ashaunnie Moore, Rayner Tena Valdez (SUNY Cobleskill)

Wow! - Brennan Karr (SUNY Oneonta)

Cluster 3 - Venture Descriptions

Corrosion Guard - A retrofit underbody wash system for commercial car washes.

Hozzles - Heated hose nozzles that prevent nozzles from freezing in cold climates and disrupting the water flow.

Ideal Home Remodeling Corp. - All service home improvement company.

Mechanized - A disruptive hardware-tech venture specializing in high-performance, 3D-printable radio controlled vehicles.

The Polish Purple - A mobile nail salon designed to deliver luxury, high-quality nail services to busy individuals and group/event clients across New York City.

Wow! - A product or service.

Cluster 4

Session Chair: David Peterson

Judges: Carolyn Cardone, Sean Lewis, Jack Spaeth, Austin Winter

Location: Kunsela C112

Time - Morning Session: 9:45 - 11:45 am

Track: Software & Services

Ventures and Students (in the order of presentation):

Connect QR - Armani Yahoudy, Daniel Shaw, Lejla Isanovic, Meredith Dicks (SUNY Poly)

GoLinkly.net - Spencer Reisman, Chrischen Chung (SUNY Cobleskill)

Penta Software - Brian Leitch (SUNY Poly)

Time - Afternoon Session: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Track: Software & Services

Ventures and Students (in the order of presentation):

NOA - Noa Haro (SUNY Poly)

RAPID - Ayush Chhoker, Lisha Hassan Vasudev, Nazmus Sakib (SUNY Poly)

Trade Off - Ava Block, Ciara Owens, Julie Daskiewich, Michael Waters, Tyler Macera (SUNY Poly)

Cluster 4 - Venture Descriptions

Connect QR - A mobile-first professional networking platform that simplifies how people connect in real life.

GoLinkly.net - Innovative lead platform generation for service companies.

Penta Software - A software distribution company with emphasis on the development and distribution of live-service mobile titles.

NOA - A specialized RegTech startup that will provide mid-sized New York businesses with an automated "Digital ERISA Professional."

RAPID - An enterprise AI platform that organizations deploy entirely on their own terms with a Prompt-Level Data Firewall that guarantees sensitive data never reaches the AI model.

Trade Off - An app where you can trade items or services for other items or services.