

Here's how the game works

Two Teams

- **Team GCC** represents the homegrown heroes—Global Capability Centers.
- Team Third Party represents the outsourcing powerhouses—Third-Party Providers.

The Format

- For each question, both teams will debate and provide their best answer. They also have to answer why.
- Simultaneously, the audience will vote on the same question using live polling (or presurvey results if using prior data).
- The team whose answer is closest to the audience's vote wins the point for that question.

The Goal

Teams will battle it out across **four fiery rounds:**

- **1. Battle of the Basics** Why companies love (or don't love) you.
- **2.** Chaos, Challenges, and Curveballs The struggles and rivalries that shape you.
- **3. Rise of the Machines** Can you handle the AI revolution?
- **4. Crowning the Champion** Who will win the future of global services

The Audience's Role

- Audience members, your votes matter! You'll decide which team is in touch with reality (and which one is living in a spreadsheet fantasy).
- Be honest, be bold, and don't hold back—we're here to have fun!

Its not a Democracy

The moderators can play favorites and overrule the rules

The Winner

At the end of four rounds, the team with the **most points** will be crowned the ultimate champion of global services!



"Why They Love You (or Don't): GCCs vs. Third-Party Providers

This round sets the stage by digging into why companies choose one over the other.

Why do companies choose third-party providers over GCCs?

They're cheaper than in-laws during a wedding.

Faster delivery—you can't argue with a pizza that's always on time.

Instant scalability—like adding 20 cousins to a cricket team.

They're the "swipe right" option for quick, no-commitment solutions.

- Specialized expertise—because GCCs can't be good at everything, right?
- The question is wrong. Nobody chooses 3rd parties over GCCs.

Why do companies choose GCCs over third-party providers?

GCCs know the family secrets (IP and data).

We are all "control freaks" in the business world.

B Long-term value—think of it as a slow cooker, not fast food.

Who wouldn't want a homegrown team of superheroes?

GCCs align better with enterprise goals—it's like an arranged marriage.

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"Chaos, Challenges, and Curveballs: Can GCCs and Third-Party Providers Keep Up?

This round explores the obstacles, rivalries, and futureproofing strategies with a sharp edge.

What's the biggest challenge GCCs face today?

Talent retention—Gen Z wants beanbags, not bosses.

Keeping up with new tech—it's a TikTok world, and GCCs are still on Facebook.

- Rising costs—it's like inflation, but for office snacks.
- Competing with third-party providers—because frenemies are real.

Proving their worth—it's harder than explaining AI to your grandparents.

What's the biggest challenge third-party providers face today?

Insourcing—it's like being ghosted after a great date.

Standing out—it's hard when everyone's shouting, "We're the best!"

B Keeping prices low—clients want Gucci service at street market prices.

Geopolitical drama—it's like the World Cup of outsourcing.

Adopting AI—it's the new black, but not everyone looks good in it.

"Rise of the Machines: Who's Ready for the Robot Takeover?

A high-stakes dive into how AI is reshaping the global services landscape and who's adapting better. This round dives into how AI is reshaping the industry, with a playful edge.

Will AI be the boon or bane for global services?

Boon—it's like a magic wand, but for businesses.

B Bane—hello, job apocalypse!

Could be either—it depends on how much coffee your AI drinks.

What's the biggest impact of AI on IT services in India?

Increased productivity—it's like hiring robots who don't need coffee breaks.

Dilution of traditional roles—goodbye spreadsheets, hello creativity.

Streamlined operations—because even robots hate paperwork.

Cross-functional collaboration—AI plays well with others.

Innovation—it's like giving your ideas a rocket boost.

"Crowning the Champion"

"Who Wins the Throne: GCCs, Third-Party Providers, or Both?"

The final showdown—debating stereotypes, threats, and deciding the ultimate winner of global services.

What's a stereotype about GCCs that isn't true?

- A They're slow—they just like to be thorough.
- They can't scale—watch them prove you wrong.

They only care about cost—they're also into innovation, okay?

They're boring—it's like spreadsheets.

What's a stereotype about GCCs that is true?

They focus on cost—it's their love language.

They prioritize processes—it's the perfectionist in them.

They're talent-heavy—big brains = big results.

They struggle with agility—it's hard to dance when you're this big.

Who will win the future of global services?

A GCCs—they're the homegrown heroes.

- Third-party providers—they've got the hustle.
- A hybrid model—it's the best of both worlds.

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