# Labvanced Research Grant Program Handbook

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### What are the key benefits of this program as a participant?

- LinkedIn endorsement and certificate of completion
- Labvanced Ambassador status
- We pay the participants for your study
- Payment of conference registration fee
- 3 months Premium Labvanced license
- Experience presenting at a conference

## Who Can Apply?

Students of any level from undergraduate to postgraduate may participate in this program as long as they are enrolled as a student at a university or college (part-time or full-time). Your university can be located in any country.

### Application is submitted by filling out this survey:

#### https://www.labvanced.com/player.html?id=46275

1 letter of recommendation is optional, but highly encouraged. Applicants will be contacted via email regarding the status of their application.

### **Program Timeline: 3 months**

The Research Grant Program will run for 3 months, beginning on the day of Meeting 1 between the Researcher and the Labvanced Advisor. The conference presentation may happen outside of this 3 month period, as long as it occurs within 1 year from the day the program begins. The time in between Meeting 0 and Meeting 1 can be up to 6 weeks of preparation.

- Pre-Program Timeline
  - Applicant submits application
  - Accepted participants meet with Labvanced Advisor Team to discuss program details
- Meeting 0: Introduction to Advisor Team
  - Discuss goals, expectations, researcher's interests, and reasonable meeting schedule
- Prior to Meeting 1:
  - Researcher sends full project proposal to Advisor for discussion
- Meeting 1: program officially starts
  - Researcher's account is upgraded to Premium.
  - Discuss outline of project, discuss experimental designs
  - Agree on reasonable timeline for deliverable materials
- Subsequent meetings to be determined by Advisor and Researcher
- Conference presentation
  - Date TBD by Advisor and Researcher
- Debrief meeting
  - Program wrap-up

## What should I keep in mind?

- There will be a Non-Disclosure Agreement
- This program is entirely free for Researchers
- Researchers will be expected to complete all tasks in a timely manner and largely independently, with advice and evaluation from the Labvanced Advisors
- Conference presentation is optional and viability is determined by the Labvanced Advisors
- The program begins whenever you are ready!