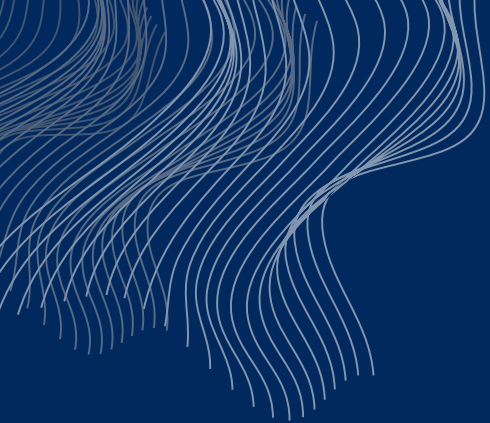


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Thank you for participating in the 2023 Brilliant Blue Challenge. We hope that you are having a good time so far and that you are thrilled to embark on this innovation journey.

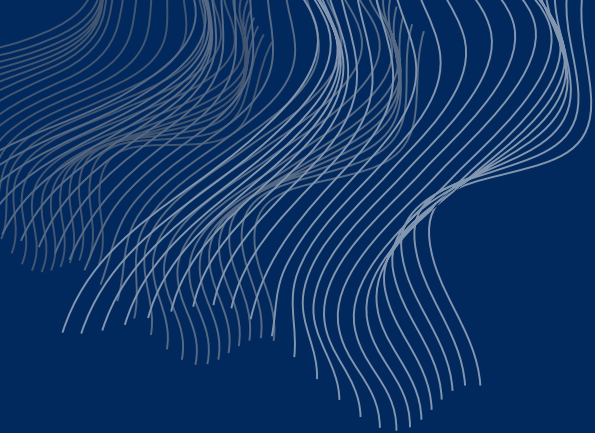
As part of Brilliant Blue's core value of inspiring high school students to solve real-world problems, Brilliant Labs is offering you the chance to connect with mentors who are industry experts in the category that you have chosen. These mentors will offer advice, counsel, and technical feedback.





HOW TO CONNECT WITH THE MENTORS?

- ▶ Thoroughly **go through the list of mentors** who have generously agreed to volunteer their time to guide you in realizing your projects. Ensure to return this database on a weekly basis as more mentors may appear on it as time progresses.
 - ▶ **Read the profiles of the mentors** and identify those whose skills and expertise are related to the projects you are developing.
 - ▶ After you have identified the mentors you wish to contact, check their schedules which will be shared on their personal calendars, and **choose the time slots that best suit you to schedule a call** depending on what type of support that specific mentor is offering.
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HOW TO CONNECT WITH THE MENTORS? CONT'D

- ▶ Once you have selected the time slot, **send an email** to the mentor introducing the team to your mentor and project. Make sure to plan the sessions ahead of time and make sure to specify the type of support you are requesting (Feedback, guidance, brainstorming... etc...), and **attach any supporting documents** that you deem necessary for the call. Remember failing to plan is planning to fail- hence we strongly encourage you to prepare well for your mentorship sessions to make the best out of them. documents that you deem necessary for the call.
- ▶ On the day of your session, **ensure to record everything or take notes** of the discussion for future reference. In case you wish to record the conversation, ensure to receive the consent of the mentor before you start recording.
- ▶ In case you need to contact that mentor again in the future, **agree with them on future meeting dates and times** if possible during that session or check their calendar.
- ▶ After the end of the meeting, **record** the main points that have been discussed as well as any feedback that was provided **in your logbooks**.



Teams are able to access only the resources related to
the theme that they have chosen.
Any questions please contact

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