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## Adobe Analytics Challenge 2023 adobeanalyticschallenge.com

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### What is the Adobe Analytics Challenge?

The Adobe Analytics Challenge is an **exceptionally unique business competition** where university students are given the opportunity to use Adobe's **industry- leading analytics products** and access **real-world data** from leading, data-driven organizations.



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"The Analytics Challenge began as a recruiting tool to help uncover the brightest minds and most passionate talent in analytics. It has grown into one of the top business competitions in the country for college students."

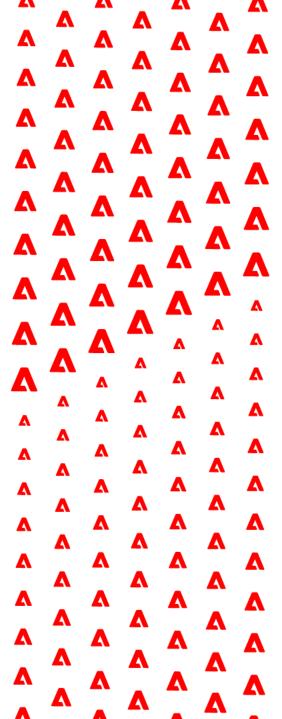
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# Adobe Analytics Challenge Schedule & Dates

Sept 6	Kickoff meetings* (9-10am PT and 2-3pm PT)					
Sept 26	Registration deadline (11:59pm PT)					
Sept 27	Live training sessions* (9-11am PT and 2-4pm PT)					
Oct 3	Q&A office hours (9-9:30am PT and 2-2:30pm PT)					
Oct 10	Q&A office hours (9-9:30am PT and 2-2:30pm PT)					
Oct 10	Presentation submission deadline (11:59pm PT)					
Oct 11-13	Screening for first-round judging					
Oct 24-25	Semi-final judging (virtual)					
Oct 26	Finalist announced					
Nov 9	Intercollegiate finals (at Adobe headquarters)					



\*recorded for on-demand viewing

#### What are students competing for?



1<sup>ST</sup> Place: \$35,000 | 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: \$14,000 | 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: \$6,000 4<sup>th</sup> Place: \$3,000 | 5<sup>th</sup> Place: \$1,500 | 6<sup>th</sup> Place: \$500

#### **Kickoff** Attend at adobeanalyticschallenge.com

The Adobe Analytics Challenge will start on September 6, 2023 with a one-hour kickoff web conference hosted by Adobe on adobeanalyticschallenge.com. To accommodate multiple times zones, we will host the kickoff call at two different times: 9:00am PT and 2:00pm PT. Please attend whichever time fits best with your schedule.

In this web conference, you will get all the details about the Adobe Analytics Challenge and be able to ask questions via live Q&A with the Adobe team. You'll have approximately three weeks to get your team together and enter the competition.

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# **Team Registration**

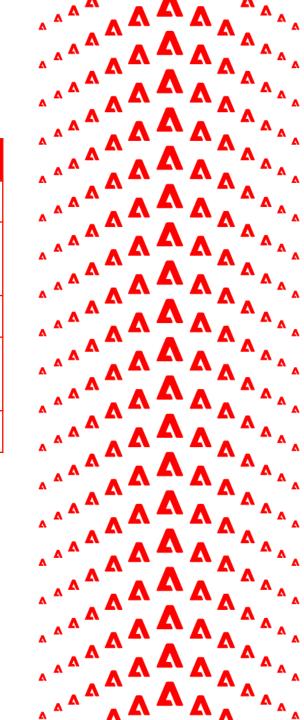
Register at adobeanalyticschallenge.com

#### **Competition Rules**

- Teams consist of 1–3 students
- Students must be currently enrolled in a full-time academic undergraduate or graduate program
- All team members must be from the same university
- All students must register and sign a non-disclosure agreement (NDA) on adobeanalyticschallenge.com
- All teams need a faculty mentor

#### Teams Outside the U.S.

- Individual countries may require additional conditionals to participate please visit adobeanalyticschallenge.com for full Terms & Conditions
- All submissions and presentations must be delivered in English



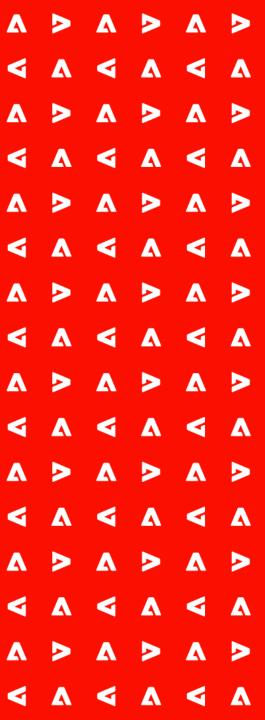
## **Training & Office Hours**

#### **Training Sessions**

- September 27 at 9-11am PT and 2-4pm PT
- 2-hour live Adobe Customer Journey Analytics training session
- Delivered by customer and Adobe experts
- Recorded for on-demand viewing in case of scheduling conflict
- After the training session, all registered team members will receive access to Adobe Analytics and the data set

#### **Office Hours**

- Session #1 October 3 at 9-9:30am PT and 2-2:30pm PT
- Session #2 October 10 at 9-9:30am PT and 2-2:30pm PT
- Open Q&A session with Adobe experts



# Analysis & Submission

Submit at adobeanalyticschallenge.com

- Teams will have two weeks to analyze the data in Adobe's analytics tools and produce recommendations
- Each team will need to build and submit a PPTX
   presentation of your findings and recommendations
- Submit the PPTX file at adobeanalyticschallenge.com by the submission deadline: October 10 at 11:59pm PT
- 20 teams will be selected for the semi- final round of judging

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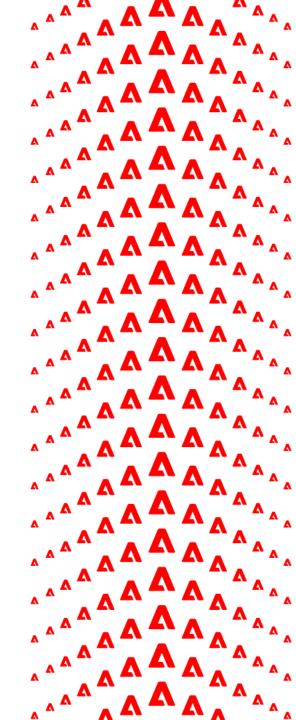
## Faculty

#### Expectations

- Each team must have a faculty mentor
- Faculty mentors can mentor more than one team
- Any faculty member currently employed by the university is eligible
- Mentors must register and sign an NDA on adobeanalyticschallenge.com
- Mentors provide encouragement, answer questions, give advice, and offer feedback as students prepare their submissions
- While faculty mentors will be able to access the data, they are not allowed to run analysis, find insights, or create slides for their teams
- All submissions and presentations must be delivered in English

# **Semifinal Judging**

- Top 20 teams will give an 18-minute presentation via web conference:
  - 10 minutes to present the slides
  - 3 minutes to do a live walkthrough in Analysis Workspace
  - 5 minutes for Q&A
- Judges will be comprised of experienced analytics consultants
- All team members must present a portion of the presentation
- Judges will choose six teams for the final round



#### **Final Event** Live at Adobe headquarters

#### In-person Final Event

- Adobe will cover all expenses for finalist teams to travel to Adobe headquarters in San Jose, California
- Virtual option available for those unable to travel
- Presentations given to panel of judges on November 9
- 15 minutes to present (12 minutes using slides and 3 minutes live in Analysis Workspace)
- 5 minutes for Q&A with the judges
- Judging panel will include representatives from Adobe, the customer-partner, as well as other industry experts
- Live event with Adobe and customer-partner executives on November 9 to announce winners

# To learn more, go to: adobeanalyticschallenge.com

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