BE MY LAB PARTNER!

A program aiming to partner future scientists with donors who can help with their internet and gadget needs

During this time of COVID-19, we saw how our country needs more scientists. Upon initial assessment, more than 80 of our undergraduate students are challenged with online learning. These future scientists do not have the means to pay for a stable internet connection and lack a device they can use for their classes.

We need your help. We are looking for donors who would like to invest in the future of Philippine science and technology by investing in our students. We are looking for partners for these students who will help them in achieving their goals and dreams-- we want you to be their lab partner!

If you are interested, we will partner you with one of our students, so the help goes directly to them. This also allows the donor to have a personal connection with their partner students and, if they so wish, monitor their academic progress. Donors can be individuals, groups, or organizations. Donors can also pool their resources to provide more substantial support to our students.

These are the different options for donors:

- 1. Provide monthly internet allowance for 4 months (P 1,500 x 4 = P 6,000 pesos)
- 2. Provide a tablet and monthly internet allowance for 4 months
- 3. Provide a laptop and monthly internet allowance for 4 months

This will cover the internet costs of a student for the First Semester (September - December 2020). The laptop/tablet should have the following minimum capabilities: able to connect to and browse the internet, do Microsoft Word processing, create Microsoft Powerpoint presentations, and perform light computation.

The donors also have an option to select a student from the six institutes offering undergraduate degree programs (Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Mathematics, Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, and Physics).

Interested donors may contact us through Associate Dean for Student, Alumni and Public Affairs Dr. Lillian Jennifer Rodriguez (adsapa@science.upd.edu.ph / 09984883144). Thank you in advance!



