

Young Researchers Program

AN INTRODUCTION TO BIOTECHNOLOGY

Independent Extension Project

Students who have successfully completed the Young Researchers Program are invited to apply to the YRP Independent Extension Project. This supplementary experience is designed for students who would like to elevate their research project under the dedicated guidance of an expert academic. Students will be paired with a researcher of relevant expertise over the space of 3-5 months, during which time they will meet regularly online to complete an academic project for publication.

INDEPENDENT EXTENSION PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS



Students are assigned a dedicated research advisor from the University of Cambridge, or equivalent level institution



Students meet weekly with their advisor over Zoom to discuss theory, as well as collect and process qualitative and/or quantitative data



Students learn how to read academic literature and receive tailored instruction to create of a publication-worthy academic paper



Students work with their advisor to identify appropriate journals for publication and format their work for submission