



## Mentor's Guide

### Who is a mentor?

Mentors are active researchers that have significant experience in any of the different biostacks. A mentor should be passionate about providing guidance and helping out young scientists. As a minimum requirement, they are postgraduate or graduate students (or more advanced in their academic career) with at least 2 peer-reviewed, pubmed indexed articles.

### Key tasks

1. Provide technical insights and reasonable assistance to questions.
2. During stages 0,1 and 2, mentors provide general assistance, advice and guidance.
3. During stage 3 and 4, mentors are assigned to their specific biostack teams so they help to foster team unity, cooperation, result delivery and presentation.
4. Help to watch out for defaulting interns who may be abusive in any form or do not follow the instructions of the workspace.
5. Be friendly, approachable and non-partisan.
6. Provide recommendations on best practices to the organizers and interns alike
7. As a mentor, you automatically become a workspace admin (on slack), and you are entitled to being a co-author of any publication that results from the research of your team.

***N/B: You can organize coordinated fireside chats, live software implementation sessions, quiz sessions (with gifts) at your discretion. However, participation of interns in these activities do not assure there promotion to the next stage***

### Eligibility

1. Anybody from anywhere in the world.
2. Prior use and research experience with bioinformatics software

***See the Internship's overview and simple guide for more information.***