Hey all

I'm Daniel from RnDAO. We just concluded our first phase of the project. So here's an update to the community.

We have created [this dec that explains the Co.Lab](#)

Quick Overview:

- The Co.Lab is a program to build applications in Arbitrum with a focus on Collaboration Tech.

- Collab Tech (DAO tooling, community tooling, and other tools for the future of work) is poised to grow to a $380bn market by 2030, addressing $8 trillion lost per year in productivity worldwide, and with positive impact across all challenges where humans have to collaborate. Collab tech is a huge opportunity for Arbitrum to become the leading ecosystem.

- We're helping to develop the Arbitrum ecosystem (and advance the governance and operational capabilities of the Arbitrum DAO and all Arbitrum projects) through incubating ventures that build Apps on Arbitrum.

- Our methodology is based on a fellowship to deeply understand the challenges and ensure real-world usage, and then a venture-building program to quickly prototype and develop an MVP.

- We've launched a Pilot in December of this program with a 156,000 ARB grant through Plurality Labs

Progress so far:

- Attracting developers and entrepreneurs: Over 100 registered applicants in just 3 weeks for only 6 slots

- Brand positioning for Arbitrum as hub for DAOs and collaboration tech: 60k+ impressions

- Over the next 3 months of the program: research and apps in the Arbitrum ecosystem, with real use cases.

(fellowship winners to be announced next week)

And we're running [a survey to identify key collaboration challenges](#), and would love to have your thoughts!

Also feel free to engage with us here or via the details at the end of the deck.