

Grad Slam 2025: Ignite the Next Chapter

Where Innovation Meets Opportunity

What is Grad Slam?

Grad Slam is a premier University of California competition that showcases groundbreaking research in an engaging and accessible way, highlighting the exceptional work of UC Irvine graduate scholars. It provides a platform for students to enhance their communication skills while celebrating their achievements with the UC Irvine community and beyond.

Grad Slam Connects Talent to Industry

Grad Slam connects your business with top UC Irvine graduate talent, boosts your brand visibility across campus and Orange County, supports student development and career success, and offers exclusive networking opportunities with Grad Slam finalists and semifinalists.

UC Irvine Grad Slam 2025 Sponsorship Program

GRAD SLAM 2025 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES	Title Sponsor \$50,000 +	Finalist Sponsor \$10,000 +	First Place Award Sponsor \$6,500	Grad Slam Fellowship Award Sponsor \$3,500	Second Place Award Sponsor \$3,500	Third Place Award Sponsor \$2,500
PRE-EVENT	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
Special recognition: Pre-event press release, recognition on all promotional materials and Graduate Division website	Naming opportunities may be available	Opportunity to host our Grad Slam interactive corner	●	●	●	●
Opportunity to select a company representative to serve as a judge for the competition	●	●	●	●	●	
Priority Registration & Personalized Invitations to your guests	●	●				
EVENT DAY						
Reserved Table for 10 guests, opportunity to host UCI Leadership and Graduate Scholars at table	2 VIP Tables	1 VIP Table	1 VIP Table	1 VIP Table	1 VIP Table	1 VIP Table
Option to feature company logo on event recognition items, item provided by Graduate Division	●					
Access to Grad Slam Semi-Finalists, Finalists & UCI Leadership	●	●	●			
Special Event Recognition	●	●	●	●	●	●
Photo opportunities	●	●	●	●	●	●
Proceeds support Graduate Students & Graduate Student Programming	●	●	●	●	●	●
<i>Value of Goods and Services</i>	\$1,880.00	\$940.00	\$940.00	\$940.00	\$940.00	\$940.00
POST EVENT						
Event recording released with company recognition	●	●	●	●	●	●
Invitation to "After the Slam" Reception & Networking Event in May 2025	●	●	●	●	●	●
Access to A2i, Accelerate to Industry Immersion Conference & Career Mixer & Concierge Hiring Services	●	●				



UC Irvine Graduate Division proudly presents:
GRAD SLAM 2025
 Networking Reception, Dinner & Competition
 March 13, 2025

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Grad Slam 2025 Sponsorship Highlights

◆◆ Title Sponsor, \$50,000

Includes special recognition through a pre-event press release, all promotional materials and on website. Company representative as a judge for the competition, personalized invitations for guests, 2 VIP reserved tables for guests with the opportunity to host Graduate Scholars and UCI Leadership at your tables. Additionally, you will receive a recording highlighting your company's involvement, an invitation the "After the Slam" and access to the A2i Conference and Concierge Recruiting and Hiring Services.

🏆 Award Sponsors, \$10,000 - \$2,500

Includes 1 VIP table with an opportunity to host Graduate Scholars and UCI Leadership at your table, potential for a representative to serve as a judge, various levels of recognition and access to our Graduate Scholars and UCI Leadership pre-event and post-event, event recording released with recognition of your support.

🪑 VIP Table Sponsorships available

*Event proceeds support our Graduate Student Programming and can be designated to support specific Graduate areas of interest.

A Special Thank You to Our Previous Grad Slam Sponsors



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