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The PanSIG 2024 Committee has prepared three types of grants: conference grants, research grants, and student grants. These grants will be awarded to applicants who do not have financial support from their institutions or workplace. The grants support the conference's goal of empowering educators to improve the quality of education. Applicants can only apply for one type of grant. In the case of applicants applying for two or more grants, only the first received application will be considered.

RESEARCH GRANTS

We will be offering grants up to 40,000 yen. The number of grants awarded is limited to a total of 80,000 yen. The funds will be awarded based on the quality of the applications. Successful research grant recipients are required to contribute to the conference by complying with all of the following steps:

1. Attend peer-support sessions with members of the PanSIG Committee or members of relevant SIGs who will assist the applicants through their research process.
2. Attend PanSIG 2024 Conference in Fukui at their own expense and present the ongoing research they are working on.
3. Submit a report on the outcome of their research to the PanSIG 2024 Committee.

The successful applicants may also submit a paper on the results of their research for consideration for a JALT publication.

WHO CAN APPLY FOR THE RESEARCH GRANTS?

JALT members that are in good standing by the application deadline. Please confirm your membership status before applying.

- Applicants who do not receive any financial support from their institution or workplace.
- Applicants working full-time or part-time in the field of language education are eligible. They can be working at any level: preschool to tertiary and adult education, as well as individual instructors working for themselves, companies, or language schools.
- Applicants who are enrolled as part-time or full-time graduate students are also eligible.
- Grant awardees must have a Japanese bank account.

WHEN IS THE DEADLINE FOR APPLYING?

Applicants must submit their applications by **23:59 (JST) on Monday, January 15th, 2024**. Applicants will then be informed of the results by January 31. Recipients will be individually notified by email. Grant recipients will also be announced on the PanSIG website, social networks, and in the PanSIG 2024 Handbook.





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WHEN IS THE DUE DATE FOR COMPLETING THE RESEARCH?

The main research schedule lasts from December, 2023, to September 2024. Peer-support session dates will be decided on a one-to-one basis.

WHAT IS THE SCHEDULE FOR THE RESEARCH GRANTS?

The main schedule lasts from December 2023 to September 2024.

YEAR	DEADLINE	PROCESS
2024	January 15	Application period ends
2024	January 31	Applicants and recipients informed of results
2024	February 15	Grant paid out contingent on finalization of research plan
2024	February 15	Formal research period starts
2024	May 24-26	Record online presentation or present at the conference
2024	September 30	Deadline for the submission of the report

HOW TO APPLY?

Visit this link to submit your application: <http://forms.gle/ytQruTwNtB7jvYD77>

FOR INQUIRIES

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