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Thank you to everyone who participated in and supported the 2021 Venture Design Challenge. You helped make it one for the record books. We look forward to welcoming students back to the Lake Forest campus for the 2022 Venture Design Challenge. You helped make it one for the record books. We look forward to welcoming students back to the Lake Forest campus for the 2022 Venture Design Challenge.

Make sure to save the date for the 2022 Venture Design Challenge. The future looks bright for our aspiring entrepreneurs. How will the Chicago startup ecosystem support our college students?