3-UNITS (ONLINE) Asynchronous with weekly live mandatory sessions

Class Number: 21141 (LS C12) or 22866 (UGBA C12) - lower division options
Class Number: 14520 (LS C196C) or TBD (UGBA C196C) – upper division options*

*Upper-Division & Transfer students should enroll in the upper-division version of this course (C196C)

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Berkeley Changemaker Chats - Faculty

Carol Christ - Chancellor of UC Berkeley & English Professor  
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Cathy Koshland - Engineering, Public Health, & Energy and Resources Group & Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost (former)  
*Maximilian Auffhammer - Agricultural & Resource Economics & Int'l & Area Studies  
Linda Burton - Social Welfare  
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Lisa García Bedolla - Education  
Ron Dahl - Public Health  
Ken Goldberg - Engineering  
*Ron Hassner - Political Science  
*Glynda Hull - Education  
*Bob Jacobsen - Physics  
*Terry Johnson - Bioengineering  
Jennifer Johnson-Hanks - Demography and Sociology  
Michael Lu - Public Health  
*Rich Lyons – Finance  
*Oliver O’Reilly - Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education & Engineering  
*Jasper Rine - Molecular and Cell Biology  
Erica Bree Rosenblum - Environmental Science, Policy, and Management  
*Cathy Koshland - Engineering, Public Health, & Energy and Resources Group & Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost (former)  
*Ula Taylor - African American Studies  
Steve Weber - School of Information and Political Science  
Lisa Wymore - Theater, Dance, and Performance Studies  
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Berkeley Changemaker Chats - Alumni & Special Guests

Dania Matos - Vice Chancellor of Equity and Inclusion, UC Berkeley  
Shaun Carver - Executive Director of International House at UC Berkeley  
Ché L. Abram - Chief of Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, & Belonging at UC Berkeley School of Public Health  
Nanxi Liu - CEO, Enplug & Co-Founder, Nanoly Bioscience  
Jerry Luk - Co-founder & COO, firework.tv  
Olufemi Ogundele - Assoc. Vice Chancellor Enrollment, UC Berkeley  
Rob Solomon - Board Director & Former CEO, GoFundMe  
Leigh Steinberg - Chairman, Steinberg Sports  
Liza Wang - Founding & Managing Partner, Silicon Ventures

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Course Description

This course helps students identify as a Berkeley Changemaker and learn the critical thinking, communication, and collaboration skills to become one. Combining theoretical and practical topics and bringing perspectives from disciplines across UC Berkeley, this course helps students develop their own leadership styles and discover how they can create and lead diverse teams – and act upon the world – to effect positive change. Students learn how to lead from whatever position they occupy and are prepared to leave their mark as a changemaker, whether on campus, in their communities, or beyond.

The course has four parts that build upon and connect to one another:

Part 1: You are a Berkeley Changemaker  
Purpose: Seeing yourself as a leader.

Part 2: Changemaking as Questioning  
Purpose: Seeing more clearly what needs to change/what questions to ask.

Part 3: Changemaking Together  
Purpose: Learning how to work with other people to effect change.

Part 4: Changemaking in Practice  
Purpose: Discovering how to turn ideas into action.
L&S C12 / C196C, UGBA C12 / C196C: The Berkeley Changemaker® (Gateway Course) (3 units) Instructors: Christyna Serrano and Chelsea Gregory

CHEM 171H: Berkeley Changemaker: Green Chemistry (3 units, Class #:14780) Instructor: Megan Arnett

COLWRIT 11: Berkeley Changemaker: Public Speaking (1 unit) Instructors: Carmen Butcher & John Levine

EDUC W190A: Berkeley Changemaker: Critical Studies in Education (4 units, Class #:16721) Instructor: Christyna Serrano

ENG 183/283: Deplastify the Planet: A Berkeley Changemaker Course (3 units, Class #:16487 ) Instructor: Matthew Aguesse

ENGIN 183/283 Leadership Exploration and Discovery (LEAD): A Berkeley Changemaker Course (3 units, Class #:16489) Instructor: Carrie Requist

ENGIN 183C Challenge Lab: Transforming Brain Health with Neurotech: A Berkeley Changemaker Course (4 units, Class #:16481)

Instructors: Ricardo San Martin and Sarah Klass

ENG 183C Defining Success: The Unspoken Rules of an Entrepreneurial Career Instructors: Shuo Chen and Gorick Ng

IB 75: Berkeley Changemaker: BioDiscovery, Community, and Culture (3 units, Class #:22828) Instructor: Nichole Lewis

UGBA 13: Berkeley Changemaker: Human Health (2 units, Class #:32991) Instructor: Darren Cooke

UGBA 156: Berkeley Changemaker: Living with Agency (2 units, Class #:33270) Instructor: Laura Hassner

UGBA 191L Leadership Communication: A Berkeley Changemaker Course (3 Units) Instructors: Suzanne Houlihan, Ingrid M. Gavshon, Mark Rittenberg

UGBA 192T-1: Sustainable Capitalism in the Nordics: A Berkeley Changemaker Course (1 Unit, Class #:14135)

Instructors: Robert Strand

BERKELEY CHANGEMAKER COURSES (offered other semesters)

- COLWRIT R4B: Berkeley Changemaker: Writing the Change We Seek (4 units) Instructor: Ryan Sloan
- DESINV 198: Directed Group Study for Undergraduates: Sample Mode: Intro to Sound Design, Beat-making, and Creative Music Technologies DeCal | A Berkeley Changemaker Course (2 units)
- ENG 183C Defining Success: The Unspoken Rules of an Entrepreneurial Career Instructors: Shuo Chen and Gorick Ng
- HUM 12: Berkeley Changemaker: Humanists at Work (2-4 units) Instructor: Varies by semester
- INDENG 171 Berkeley Changemaker: Ethical and Effective Entrepreneurship in High Tech (4 units) Instructor: Lee Fleming
- L&S 22: Sense & Sensibility & Science: Berkeley Changemaker (4 units) Instructors: Co-taught by faculty from Physics (Saul Perlmutter, Nobel Prize 2011), Philosophy (John Campbell), and Public Policy & Political Science (Amy Lerman)
- PBHLTH TBD: Berkeley Changemaker: Developmental Science for Impact (3 units) Instructor: Ron Dahl
- POLSCI 198: Berkeley Changemaker: International Ethics (1 unit) Instructor: Amy Gurowitz
- PBHLTH 155E: Seeing People: Understanding Homelessness’ Roots, Stigmas, Systems and Solutions | A Berkeley Changemaker Course (3 units) Instructor: Colette Auerswald
- PUBPOL C164A Berkeley Changemaker: Labor Research for Action and Policy (L-RAP) (4 units) Instructor: Anibel Ferus Comelo
- UGBA 96 Berkeley Changemaker: Big Ideas (1 unit) Instructors: Varies by semester
- UGBA 192.T Berkeley Changemaker: Edible Education (1-4 units) Instructors: Alice Waters & William Rosenzweig
- UGBA 192N.2 Berkeley Changemaker: Big Ideas Financial Inclusion (1 unit) Instructor: Joe Dougherty