



# BE PART OF AN INTER-DISCIPLINARY STUDENT TEAM WORKING ON REAL WORLD PROBLEMS WITH INDUSTRY PARTNERS

**BERKELEY  
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SPRING 2024  
CHEM 171H**

**WORK WITH HOUSEHOLD BRANDS AND  
NATIONAL PARTNERS TO INVESTIGATE SAFER  
ALTERNATIVES TO HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS IN  
THEIR PRODUCTS & PROCESSES. PREVIOUS  
PARTNERS INCLUDE:**

**patagonia**

**method.**



The GMIC course will put you alongside a progressive company, government or non-profit partner, working with fellow students to investigate safer substitutes for hazardous chemicals in particular applications. Our past projects in our companion grad course have explored:

- How to produce clothing with built-in protections from virus-bearing mosquitos
- How to create compostable food packaging without PFASs
- How to make tires without chemicals that are toxic to aquatic species
- How to treat fabrics without the toxic ingredients
- How to create household products and cosmetics without harmful preservatives

**Join us for an info session (with lunch!) on  
Thursday, October 5th, from 11:30am -1pm at  
775A Tan**

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