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Cal Day

Come to UC Berkeley's annual **Open House** in April for information sessions, campus tours, special talks, and more.

Golden Bear Orientation

Join your peers in the campus-wide UC Berkeley **orientation** program for all new students.

Events

Attend LSBE, Haas, and MCB events with students, staff, and faculty. Visit lsbe.berkeley.edu for news and updates.

HOW TO USE THIS MAP

Use this map to help plan and guide your experience at UC Berkeley, including academic, co-curricular, and discovery opportunities. Everyone's Berkeley experience is different and activities in this map are suggestions. Always consult with your advisors whenever possible for new opportunities and updates.

Visit ue.berkeley.edu/majormaps for the latest version of this major map.

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INTRODUCTION TO THE MAJOR

The **Robinson Life Science, Business, and Entrepreneurship (LSBE) Program** is a jointly-administered program through the Haas School of Business and the College of Letters & Science. Students earn a BS in Business Administration **and** a BA in Molecular and Cell Biology **or** Integrative Biology **or** Neuroscience. They also take courses that prepare them for success in industries like biotech, pharma, healthcare, and beyond.

In addition to specialized coursework taught by award-winning faculty, the program offers networking opportunities, career coaching, and mentoring opportunities within a peer-to-peer cohort of students whose interest in life sciences is fueled by their curiosity and passion to change people's lives for the better.



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“ *This program is a great bridge between the technical learning that makes biology interesting and the business development that brings the innovation to life.* ”

– Saloni Patel, LSBE Student

ADMISSION TO THE PROGRAM

Admission to LSBE is open to students who enter UC Berkeley as first-years. Students apply during second year, and must complete all prerequisite requirements for the Business Administration and their intended biology major. We seek applicants who are:

- Passionate about the intersection of science and innovation
- Self-motivated leaders interested in problem solving
- Interested in shaping the future of biotech, pharma, and healthcare
- Entrepreneurs at heart

AMPLIFY YOUR MAJOR

- Enrich your business and biology studies with specialized research and internship experiences.
- Join student organizations at the intersection of healthcare and business.
- Participate in a **case competition** to develop and strengthen skills needed throughout your career.
- Look into the **Sutardja Center's Certificate in Entrepreneurship and Technology**.

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DESIGN YOUR JOURNEY



	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR	WHAT CAN I DO WITH MY MAJOR?
Explore your major	<p>Review major and college requirements.</p> <p>View sample schedules and contact the program office to join the prospective student mailing list and to access resources for prospective students.</p> <p>Take Intro to Biotech in the spring of your first year, a course for students exploring LSBE.</p>	<p>Review your degree progress with the program advisor.</p> <p>Apply to the program in the fall, utilizing workshops from the LSBE Student Board and HSBA.</p> <p>Explore and choose an emphasis in MCB or IB, or explore the NEU major.</p> <p>Complete lower division prerequisites for Haas and your intended biosci discipline.</p>	<p>Focus on UGBA and biosci upper division requirements.</p> <p>Continue checking in with the program advisor.</p> <p>Attend LSBE professional development industry-readiness workshops and recruiting kickoff events with our LSBE faculty co-directors.</p>	<p>Do a degree check with L&S and Haas to ensure you are on track to graduate.</p> <p>Finish remaining upper division requirements and electives.</p> <p>Attend LSBE professional development industry-readiness workshops and recruiting kick-off events.</p> <p>Enroll in the LSBE Capstone course in the fall.</p>	<p>WHAT CAN I DO WITH MY MAJOR?</p> <p>Students who complete the Robinson Life Science, Business, and Entrepreneurship Program will be uniquely positioned for careers in a variety of innovative industries and research institutions, and will be competitive applicants to graduate programs including pre-health, biosciences, MBA and beyond.</p> <p>Jobs and Employers</p> <p>Centerview Partners, Partner Genentech, Research Associate Gilead, Financial Analyst JP Morgan, Capital Finance Analyst Pfizer Pharmaceuticals, Business Analyst PwC, Consultant Stryker, Data Analyst UCSF, Clinical Research Coordinator Ultragenyx, Product Marketer</p> <p>Graduate Programs</p> <p>Biological Sciences (MS, PhD) Bioengineering (MS, PhD) Biochemistry (MS, PhD) Business Administration (MBA) Medicine (MD) Law (JD) Neuroscience (MS, PhD) Public Health (MPH)</p>
Connect and build community	<p>Get 1:1 mentoring with Berkeley Connect.</p> <p>Find study groups, tutoring, and academic support at the Student Learning Center.</p> <p>Enroll in Intro to Biotech to meet other students exploring LSBE.</p> <p>Discover student organizations at the Calpalooza fair.</p>	<p>Explore an HBSA-sponsored club and biosci clubs.</p> <p>Sign up for the MCB newsletter and familiarize yourself with the Haas Culture.</p> <p>Get to know professors and graduate student instructors during their office hours.</p>	<p>Get to know the people in your LSBE Cohort.</p> <p>Join the Haas Business School Association.</p> <p>Attend LSBE professional development workshops and get to know people in your lab or internship.</p> <p>Apply for leadership positions in student organizations.</p>	<p>Join a professional association related to your interests.</p> <p>Participate in Haas Experiential Learning Program Workshops facilitated by industry professionals.</p> <p>Connect with alumni groups and build your network as you prepare to graduate.</p> <p>Present at or attend the MCB Fall Poster Session (if applicable).</p>	
Discover your passions	<p>Discover new interests in a Freshman Seminar, L&S 1, or a student-run DeCal course.</p> <p>Learn how to get involved in research on campus with the Undergraduate Laboratory at Berkeley.</p>	<p>Enroll in a Sophomore Seminar or Big Ideas Course.</p> <p>Find research and funding opportunities in the Discovery Opportunities Platform.</p>	<p>Build a start-up with Berkeley Skydeck.</p> <p>Explore research institutes and centers run by Haas and biosci faculty.</p> <p>Talk to LSBE staff about finding a mentor.</p> <p>Planning a senior thesis or project? Apply to the Haas Scholars Program or SURF.</p>	<p>Participate in an Undergraduate Case Competition.</p> <p>Teach your own DeCal course.</p> <p>Keep pursuing your interests through a fellowship or gap year after graduation.</p>	
Engage locally and globally	<p>Find volunteering opportunities in the Berkeley community such as Berkeley Free Clinic or Suitcase Clinic.</p> <p>Find service opportunities through the Public Service Center.</p> <p>Explore summer study, internship, and research abroad options with Berkeley Study Abroad.</p>	<p>Satisfy your American Cultures requirement with an ACES community-based project.</p> <p>Engage in STEM education and mentorship of local youth with Bridging Berkeley, Expand Your Horizons, or SENDforC.</p> <p>Join a consulting club, the Undergraduate Biotech Association, or the Bio-Business Initiative which solve problems in our local communities.</p>	<p>Tutor students at the Student Learning Center.</p> <p>Consider a Berkeley Global Internship in the United States or abroad.</p> <p>Go on a service-learning trip with the Alternative Breaks Program.</p>	<p>Explore gap year opportunities before your next big adventure.</p> <p>Get involved in the Berkeley Innovation & Entrepreneurship ecosystem.</p> <p>Hone your leadership skills with the Peter E. Haas Public Service Leaders program.</p>	
Reflect and plan your future	<p>Visit Berkeley Career Engagement and check out the Yearly Planner.</p> <p>Sign up for Handshake and CareerMail.</p> <p>Explore careers through the Career Connections Series or a Cal Job Shadow Program.</p>	<p>Reflect on your time at Berkeley so far and what you still wish to accomplish.</p> <p>Map your skills and talents to career goals with the Career Counseling Library.</p> <p>Talk to LSBE staff about your resume.</p> <p>Attend an internship fair and apply to the QB3 Internship Program.</p>	<p>Update your resume and LinkedIn profile.</p> <p>Discuss post-graduate options with advisors and professors.</p> <p>Attend career and graduate school fairs.</p> <p>Ask for recommendation letters and take any exams required for graduate school.</p>	<p>Utilize job board tools in your job search.</p> <p>Network through the Haas Alumni Network and MCB Industrial Affiliates Program.</p> <p>Meet employers at Employer Info Sessions and On-Campus Recruiting. LSBE offers specialized opportunities, too.</p> <p>Apply to jobs, graduate school, and other opportunities.</p>	