Innovation & Entrepreneurship (I&E) at Berkeley.

WHAT IS I&E?

Innovation puts new ideas into practice and entrepreneurs create enterprises of all kinds.

If you have an idea to activate, an enterprise to scale, or just want to get better at thinking entrepreneurially, UC Berkeley is the place for you.

WHY DO IT?

Generations of students have come to UC Berkeley to question the status quo and engage in entrepreneurial thinking that makes our world a better place.

Perhaps you’d like to minimize food insecurity in your community like Berkeley Changemaker Sadia Khan, change the way we game like Kevin Chou, or figure out ways to benefit humanity through groundbreaking scientific discoveries like UC Berkeley Nobelist Jennifer Doudna, or simply hone your leadership and critical thinking skills.

HOW DO I START GETTING INVOLVED?

1. **Start with BEGIN**: Whether you are just getting started in your entrepreneurial journey and want to learn more about the myriad campus resources awaiting you or you’re a seasoned entrepreneur looking to scale, the Berkeley Gateway to Innovation (BEGIN) is the place to begin. Scan the QR code to visit the website.

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2. **Take a great class**: Berkeley Changemaker® is an inclusive, campus-wide certificate program that includes some 30 courses, all based on three through-lines -- critical thinking, communication, and collaboration -- and enrolling some 20% of undergraduates. Learn more at [www.changemaker.berkeley.edu](http://www.changemaker.berkeley.edu).

3. **Find opportunities beyond coursework**: Explore entrepreneurial scholarships and fellowships in the [Discovery Opportunities Database](http://www.changemaker.berkeley.edu).

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