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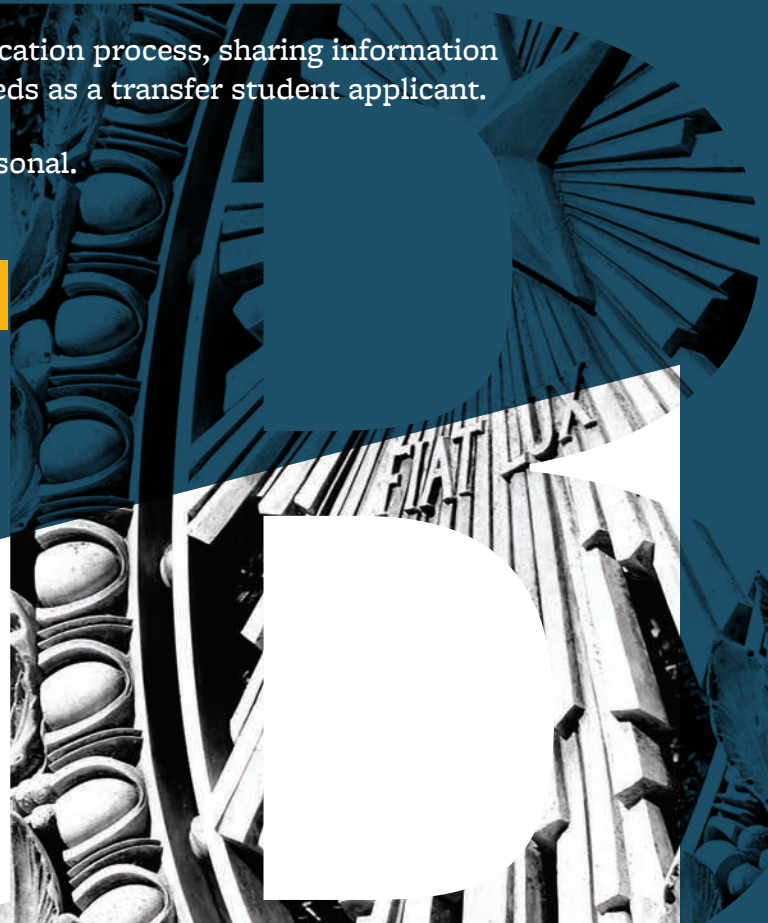
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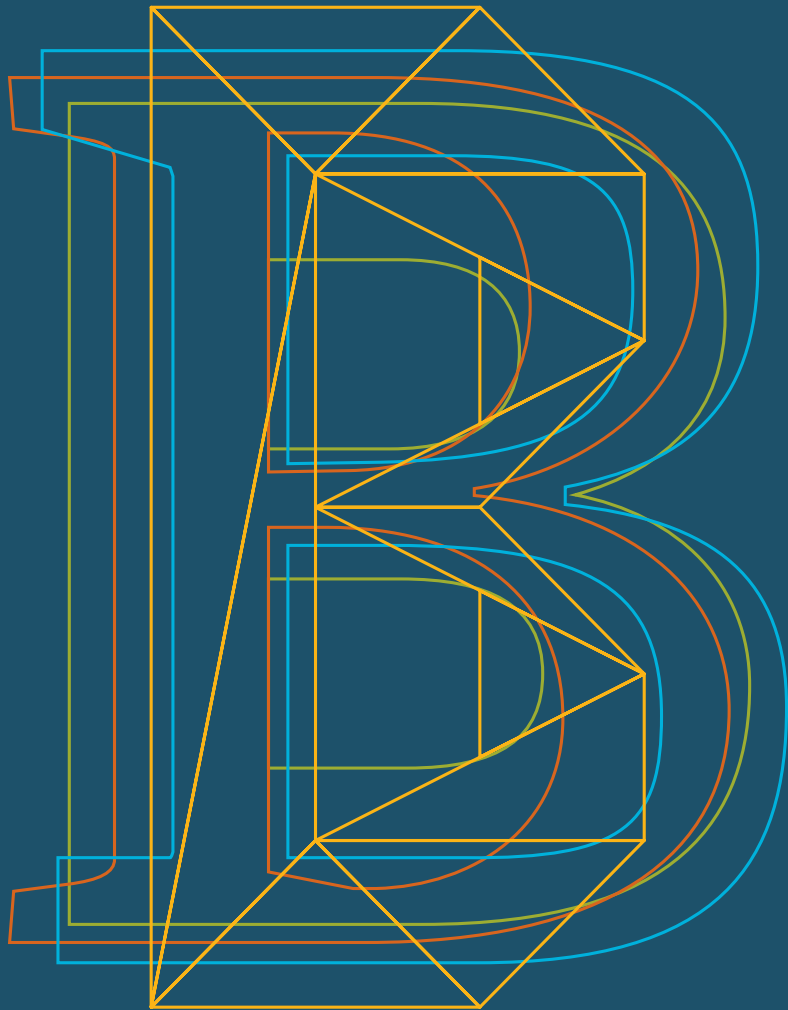


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JEN C.
Major: Anthropology

BE PERSISTENT.

FINDING RESOURCES

With a strong academic record and a 4.0 GPA, I would have been a strong candidate for UC Berkeley, but I never even thought about applying. As a first-generation college student with Mexican and Choctaw heritage, I didn't feel I would belong at Berkeley. Instead I landed at a community college, where I came into contact with the Center for Educational Partnership's Transfer Alliance Project (TAP). With TAP's guidance, I transferred to Berkeley with a Regents' and Chancellor's Scholarship, after which I went into law and worked as a legal aid attorney, addressing issues of domestic violence, family law, and housing for three years. Most recently I transitioned to public service through the courts. It has been a journey I never would have imagined, and it started with TAP.

I TRANSFERRED TO BERKELEY WITH A REGENTS' AND CHANCELLOR'S SCHOLARSHIP, AFTER WHICH I WENT INTO LAW AND WORKED AS A LEGAL AID ATTORNEY, ADDRESSING ISSUES OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, FAMILY LAW, AND HOUSING.

TRANSFER ADMISSIONS BASICS

Because more transfer students apply to our campus than we can admit, Berkeley's selection criteria exceed the UC admissions requirements.

The campus selects its transfer class primarily on the basis of academic performance and preparation, as assessed by a review of:

- ▶ GPA: For most majors, a minimum 3.0 GPA is required (GPA is recalculated and based upon grades in UC-transferable courses taken by the end of the fall term prior to admission)
- ▶ ALL coursework from a two-year college is considered lower division

- ▶ Completion of lower division prerequisite courses for the intended major and/or college general education requirements

We also consider:

- ▶ Grade trends
- ▶ Demonstrated interest in the major, an important consideration for all applicants
- ▶ Personal qualities such as leadership or motivation
- ▶ Extracurricular accomplishments
- ▶ Employment
- ▶ Potential contribution to the intellectual and cultural vitality of the campus

Junior transfer admission is limited to students who will have completed a minimum of 60 UC-transferable semester units by the end of spring term prior to fall admission and have a competitive GPA.

- ▶ Currently, only the College of Chemistry will consider admitting students for a second bachelor's degree

By the end of the spring term prior to fall admission you must:

- ▶ Complete 60 transferable semester units
- ▶ Complete courses for the major
- ▶ Complete general education requirements

Plan to:

Obtain information on all requirements on ASSIST at assist.org. ASSIST lists Berkeley requirements and the California community college courses approved as satisfying those requirements. If you are applying from a school other than a California community college, select UC Berkeley and then any community college from the pull-down menu on ASSIST. You will then have access to Berkeley requirements; take comparable courses at your school.

PERSONAL INSIGHT QUESTIONS

The personal insight questions present an opportunity for you to tell us more about yourself. There is one required question you must answer, and you must also answer 3 out of 7 additional questions. We'll share more when you sign up for your personalized experience; you may also check admissions.berkeley.edu/personalinsightquestions

2018 ADMITTED TRANSFER STUDENT PROFILE

Applicants: **19,215**

Admitted: Fall **4,505**

Admit Rate: **23.4%**

Average GPA: **3.75**

For the most up-to-date admit numbers, visit our [student profile page on our website: admissions.berkeley.edu/student-profile](http://admissions.berkeley.edu/student-profile)

COST OF ATTENDANCE (2018–19)

Total Cost of Attendance for California Resident Living in Residence Hall (2018–19) **~\$35,314**

Total Out-of-State Budget Living in a Residence Hall (2018–19) **~\$64,306**

For the most current financial aid information, see: admissions.berkeley.edu

APPLYING TO BERKELEY

If you are applying:

- ▶ To any of the colleges, it is important that you discuss:
 - Your intended field of study
 - Your interest in your specific major
 - Academic accomplishments in light of your life experiences and special circumstances, including but not limited to: disabilities, family income, first generation to attend college, need to work, disadvantaged social or educational environment, difficult personal and family situations or circumstances, and refugee or veteran status
- ▶ To the Educational Opportunity Program (EOP)—the support program for students from low-income families in which neither parent is a college graduate:
 - Discuss how the program might benefit you
 - Tell us about your determination to succeed even though you may have lacked academic or financial support

Academic Programs

The requirements for admission as a transfer student vary by college. Requirements for all majors are available on assist.org or in the Berkeley Academic Guide: guide.berkeley.edu. Visit the college-specific websites for complete information.

COLLEGE OF CHEMISTRY

chemistry.berkeley.edu

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

engineering.berkeley.edu

COLLEGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

ced.berkeley.edu

COLLEGE OF NATURAL RESOURCES

nature.berkeley.edu

HAAS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

haas.berkeley.edu/undergrad

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCE

ls.berkeley.edu

COLLEGE OF CHEMISTRY

Chemical Biology
Chemical Engineering
Chemistry also offered in the *College of Letters and Science*

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Bioengineering
Civil Engineering
Electrical Engineering and Computer Sciences
Engineering Science Programs:
Energy Engineering
Engineering Mathematics and Statistics
Engineering Physics
Environmental Engineering Science
Industrial Engineering and Operations Research
Materials Science and Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
Nuclear Engineering

COLLEGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

Architecture
Landscape Architecture
Sustainable Environmental Design
Urban Studies

COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCE

Arts & Humanities

Art, History of
Art, Practice of
Celtic Studies

Classics:

Classical Civilizations
Classical Languages
Greek
Latin

Comparative Literature
Dutch Studies

East Asian Languages & Cultures:

Chinese
Japanese

English
Film
French
German
Italian Studies
Music

Near Eastern Studies:

Ancient Egyptian and Near Eastern Art & Archaeology
Near Eastern Civilizations
Near Eastern Languages and Literature

Philosophy
Rhetoric

Scandinavian
Slavic Languages and Literatures (Russian/East European/Eurasian Cultures; Russian Language and Literature; Czech, Polish, or Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian Language and Literature)

South and Southeast Asian Studies

Spanish and Portuguese:

Hispanic Languages and Bilingual Issues
Iberian Language and Literature
Latin American Literatures
Luso-Brazilian Language and Literature
Spanish Language and Literature

Theater, Dance, and Performance Studies:

Dance and Performance Studies
Theater and Performance Studies

Biological Sciences

Integrative Biology

Molecular and Cell Biology:

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Cell and Developmental Biology
Genetics, Genomics, and Development
Immunology and Pathogenesis
Neurobiology

Public Health

Mathematical & Physical Sciences

Astrophysics (including Astronomy)
Chemistry also offered in the *College of Letters and Science*

Computer Science

Earth and Planetary Science:

Atmospheric Science
Environmental Earth Science
Geology
Geophysics
Marine Science
Planetary Science

Mathematics:

Applied Mathematics
Mathematics

Operations Research and Management Sciences

Physics

Statistics

Social Sciences

African American Studies

Anthropology

Asian American and Asian Diaspora Studies

Chicano/Latino Studies

Cognitive Science

Economics

Environmental Economics and Policy also offered in the *College of Natural Resources*

Ethnic Studies

Gender and Women's Studies

Geography

Global Studies

History

Linguistics

Native American Studies

Political Economy

Political Science

Psychology

Social Welfare

Sociology

Interdisciplinary Studies

American Studies

Interdisciplinary Studies

Legal Studies

Media Studies

COLLEGE OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Conservation and Resource Studies

Ecosystem Management and Forestry

Forestry

Natural Resource Management

Environmental Economics and Policy also offered in the *College of Letters and Science*

Environmental Sciences (biological, physical, social)

Genetics and Plant Biology

Microbial Biology

Molecular Environmental Biology

Nutritional Sciences:

Dietetics

Molecular Toxicology

Physiology and Metabolism

Society and Environment

HAAS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Business Administration