FEBRUARY

IAS ADVISING

SPRING 2018

BY APPOINTMENT:
- M-Th: 10 am - noon & 1 pm - 4 pm

OPEN ADVISING:
- Fri: 10 am - noon @101 Stephens Hall

KEY DATES

DECLARATION WINDOW FOR SPRING SEMESTER
- Monday, January 29, 2018 to Friday, May 4, 2018

DEADLINE TO ADD/DROP CLASSES FOR SPRING 2018
- Add classes without a fee: Friday, February 2, 2018; $5 fee charged for each class added after this date
- Deadline to Add/drop classes: Friday, February 16, 2018

IAS COMMENCEMENT
- Monday, May 14, 2018, 2 pm, Zellerbach Auditorium
- Eligibility: Declared students receiving degrees from summer 2017, fall 2017, spring 2018, summer 2018, and fall 2018
- Click here for more information about IAS commencement
DEMOCRACY CAMP (SPRING BREAK)

INSTITUTE OF GOVERNMENTAL STUDIES (IGS)

IGS is launching a new Spring Break program for undergrads interested in pursuing a career in public service. Democracy Camp will be held over spring break (March 26-29, 2018) where students will gain exposure to different facets of a public service career: legislative paths, community organizations, local, state, and federal government, and philanthropy. Participants will learn from presenters about the opportunities available in these fields and will network to create a cohort on campus - and beyond - to support their career goals.

- **Eligibility:** All students currently enrolled at UCB are encouraged to apply
- **Click** [here](mailto:ccowden@berkeley.edu) to apply
- **Application Deadline:** **Friday, February 9, 2018**
- **Questions?** E-mail Charlotte Cowden: [ccowden@berkeley.edu](mailto:ccowden@berkeley.edu)

OBAMA FOUNDATION INTERNSHIP

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The Obama Foundation is looking to hire passionate, mission-oriented, and qualified interns to serve in the Chicago or D.C. offices. This internship is open to current undergraduate and graduate students who are eligible to work in the United States.

- Interns must have excellent time management and organizational skills, are strong writers, and researchers
- The Foundation will provide interns with a stipend and reimbursements for a portion of the expenses directly related to the internship. Foundation will not provide relocation or housing assistance
- **Click** [here](mailto:ethansavage@berkeley.edu) for frequently asked questions about this internship
- **Internship Dates:** **May 29, 2018 to August 17, 2018**
- **Click** [here](mailto:ethansavage@berkeley.edu) to apply
- **Application Deadline:** **Monday, February 12, 2018**
RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

OFFICE OF UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH & SCHOLARSHIPS

February is a crucial month for undergraduate research deadlines, such as SURF, Haas Scholars, and many others. We encourage you to take advantage of these great opportunities for funding and support for research. There are 53 on-campus research programs and you can find one that is right for you by accessing this link: [http://research.berkeley.edu/](http://research.berkeley.edu/).

Here is a partial list of research opportunities at UCB for Social Science Majors:

- Re-Inventing the Nation’s Urban Water Infrastructure (ReNUWIt) Summer Research Experience for Undergraduates (Deadline: Saturday, February 10, 2018)
- College of Natural Resources Travel Grant (Deadline: February 15, 2018)
- Human Rights Center at UC Berkeley School of Law Student Fellowships (Deadline: Tuesday, February 20, 2018, 5 pm)
- Haas Scholars Program (a senior capstone experience for all majors!) (Deadline: Tuesday, February 20, 2018)
- Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowships (SURF) (Deadline: Thursday, February 22, 2018)
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- SMART (Student Mentoring and Research Teams) (Deadline: Friday, February 23, 2018)
- Labor Summer Internship Program - Applied Research and Policy Track (Deadline: February 27, 2018, 8 am)
- Carl Roseberg and Judith Geist Undergraduate Research Fellowship for Travel to Africa (Deadline: March 1, 2018)
- Leslie Lipson Essay Prize and Scholarship (Freshmen and sophomores) (Deadline: March 9, 2018)

CIVIL RIGHTS & LABOR IN THE 1950S

INSTITUTE FOR RESEARCH & LABOR EMPLOYMENT (IRLE)

IRLE’s mission is to conduct and support research on labor and employment at UC Berkeley. Their goal is to bridge the gap between academic research and the policy world. Once, activists dreamed of an all-inclusive movement for poor people. But then came the 1950s - labor began to decline as a social movement, and civil rights leaders turned away from their early focus on labor rights. What role did the courts play in pushing these movements apart? Professor Catherine Fisk finds that the era’s labor laws, which were hostile to picketing by labor organizers, encouraged civil rights advocates to distance themselves from labor movements. Professor Fiske talks about: *Working Together: How the Supreme Court divided the civil rights movement and labor leaders.*

- On **Thursday, February 8, 2018, 4 pm** at IRLE Director’s Room, 2521 Channing Way
- Please [register](#) to secure your spot
- Click [here](#) for more information