Cal Veterans

Know and Utilize Your Direct-Connect Campus Advocates

Cal Veteran Services Center
Most Cal Veterans have studied at another institution before Berkeley, may be 25 or older, and may also be combining parenting with their academics. This center provides courses, advising, and community events geared to maximize your Berkeley experience.

Ron Williams, Director
108 César E. Chávez Student Center
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Luis Hernandez, Academic Achievement Counselor
106 César E. Chávez Student Center
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Office of Undergraduate Admissions
If you are interested in applying to study at UC Berkeley, and have questions regarding this process and would like some additional insights and guidance.

Esperanza Bernal - Nor Cal
510.642.7002
ebernal25@berkeley.edu

Ana Fimbres Rafferty - SoCal
909.985.1896
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Jonathan Peretz
Counseling & Psychological Services
Providing crisis intervention, brief individual and couples counseling, groups, and workshops for students on a variety of personal, academic, and career related issues.
2222 Bancroft Way
510.642.9494

Michael Cooper & James Collins
Veterans Affairs: Office of the Registrar
Providing assistance to veterans, dependents of veterans, and reservists, this is the most important office to make certain that you receive VA educational benefits.
120 Sproul Hall
510.642.1592
veteranservices@berkeley.edu

Sarah Lopez
Veterans Program Liaison
Financial Aid Office
Make certain that all of your benefits and funding opportunities are reported and that you are maximizing your chapter benefits.
207 Sproul Hall
510.643.8357
smlopez@berkeley.edu

Nate Carroll
Educational Opportunity Program
EOP helps low-income, first-generation, and underrepresented students resolve the various extenuating circumstances that may impact their lives while ensuring progress towards graduation.
119 César E. Chávez Student Center
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Sharron O’Connor
Career Center
Preparing undergraduates, graduate students, and alumni to make informed decisions about their futures, the Career Center provides comprehensive resources, programs, and counseling on career development, internships, employment, and graduate school.
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Kerry Stamps
Disabled Students’ Program
Serving students with disabilities of all kinds, including mobility, visual, or hearing impairments; speech impairments; chronic illnesses such as AIDS, diabetes, and lupus; seizure disorders; head injuries; painful conditions such as back injuries and carpal tunnel syndrome; psychological disabilities such as bipolar disorder and severe anxiety or depression; attention deficit disorder; and learning disabilities.
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As the home base of veterans programs and services at Berkeley, we provide an array of programs and services designed with you in mind. From our comfortable community center to our academic courses—our purpose is to make your time at Berkeley as rich and fulfilling as possible.