Ronald E. McNair
Scholars Program
Informational Sessions

**Deadline: October 6, 2017 by 4pm**

**Informational Session Dates:**
- Wednesday, September 6, 2017, 12:00 -1:30 PM
  105 Cesar Chavez
- Monday, September 18, 2017
  3:30-5:00 PM,
  2515 Channing Way, Suite 11
- Friday, September 29, 2017
  12:00 -1:30 PM,
  554 Barrows (TBD)

**Application Workshops**
- Tuesday, September 19, 2017
  3:00-5:00 PM,
  2515 Channing Way, Suite 13
- Tuesday, September 26, 2017
  2:00-4:00 PM,
  2515 Channing Way, Suite 13
- Tuesday, October 3, 2017
  9:00-4:00 PM, (Open Hours)
  2515 Channing Way, Suite 13

**Program Benefits:**
- Mentorship from a UC Berkeley faculty member
- $5,000 stipend for Summer research
- Opportunity to publish in the UC Berkeley McNair Journal
- Research findings presented at the Annual California McNair Scholars Symposium
- Fully funded GRE Princeton Review Prep Course
- Assistance to ensure admission to graduate programs of choice
- Graduate school application Fee Waivers from participating institutions
- Strengthening of academic research and writing skills

**Students must meet the following criteria:**
- Completion of at least 60 units
- 3.0 minimum cumulative UC Berkeley GPA by January 2018
- US Citizenship or permanent US Residency
- Qualify as either a first-generation college student who also has a low-income level established by the U.S. Department of Education (link is external); or a member of a group that is underrepresented in graduate education.
- Must be enrolled at UC Berkeley during Spring 2016
- Preference is given to students who have previously participated in a TRIO program

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