

UGBA 156 Berkeley Changemaker: Living with Agency

Time: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm; Wednesdays

Course # 33270

Instructor: Laura Hassner

2 units

What does it mean to “live with agency”? This course emphasizes the Berkeley Changemaker pillars of **critical thinking**, effective **communication**, and productive **collaboration**. You will combine critical examination of evidence-based, multi-disciplinary research and theories with personal self-reflection. These are interwoven with **implementable strategies**, directly applicable to the business context, to help you develop a sharper sense of **who you want to be** along with tools to make that happen. Frequent guest speakers, simulations, and discussions allow you to learn from others as you **expand your network**.

Student Reviews:

"**Best** course I've taken. **Ever.**"

"If you are looking to make positive change in your life, this class presents an **excellent toolkit** for approaching life with agency...I feel **better prepared** for my remaining time at Berkeley as well as my experiences to come."



“Laura is a professor who **teaches with passion**. You can tell she loves what she does and genuinely wants to help her students the best she can.”

For questions or syllabus, please email changemaker@berkeley.edu

“Because of the ever changing aspects of life and the takeaways I’ve found from this class, I’ve grown to be a new person with a **fresh perspective** on life.”