

Net Impact Fall 2016: Application Cheat Sheet

INTRODUCTION

Thanks for your interest in Net Impact Berkeley, it really means a lot to us! Before you fill out your application, we wanted to give some information to you about our values as an organization and some tips for our application process, so that you can be fully prepared!

OUR VALUES

MISSION

We are looking for candidates who care about our mission of making sustainable and social impact. We are always looking for unique, innovative ways to promote our mission, and we love applicants who bring a completely new lens for viewing our mission.

Make sure to talk about any ideas you have for making social impact, and how you've acted on this passion before. This means you should include any volunteer work you've done, non-profit/social enterprises you've worked with, or any other impactful work you've done. Get creative, and remember that impact comes in many different forms!

PROFESSIONAL

We're looking for applicants who are good problem solvers, are dedicated to their work, have potential to be good leaders, and want to learn new things. Don't worry if you're not already a perfect consultant, we're going to train you so you can succeed on your projects. No business or economics experience is required!

Make sure to highlight any cool work that you've done whether that means past work experience, other clubs you've been in, any skills you have, and awards you've won. Show us that you're going to be a fantastic associate this semester and have the potential to be a great leader for our organization in the future.

THE INTERVIEW PROCESS

We have first-round interviews, coffee chats, Meet NIB, and second round interviews. You can expect the first round to be a combination of a behavioral interview and a short case problem. Then, coffee chats and Meet NIB will be an opportunity for you to get to know the members of our club and for us to get to know you. Finally, the second round will be a longer case problem.

The most common question we get is: "How can I prepare?" For the behavioral, be yourself and talk about the work you've done and problems that you've solved that you're passionate about. To learn about case problems, come to our **case workshop**. We are co-hosting it with **McKinsey & Company** on August 31st, and they'll teach you everything you need to know to do a case interview. Then, grab a friend and practice!

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Wow, that's a lot of information! We've boiled it down to a short checklist, so that you know exactly what to do to strengthen your Net Impact application.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Come to an Info Session | <input type="checkbox"/> Participate in the McKinsey Case Workshop |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Meet NIB Members | <input type="checkbox"/> Submit your Application |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Practice for Interviews | <input type="checkbox"/> Blow us away! |