LGBTQ Life at Haas
Hosted by Q@Haas
Panel Q&A

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Entrepreneurship & Innovation

Florence Linares, MBA 19
Management Consulting
Cori Land – FT MBA 2019

• Strategy & Ops @ Capital One Labs
  – Pre-MBA consulting gig
• Strategy & Ops @ Opower
  – Process & change mgmt
  – Cleantech software
• University of Michigan 2010, B.S. Econ & Environmental Science
• Lead @ UC LAUNCH accelerator
• Seeking innovation mgmt internship with accelerator or change mgmt consulting
Colin Dunn – FT MBA 2019

• Merchandise Manager @ Guess?, Inc.
  – Buying, Merchandising, Menswear
• Senior Merchant @ Abercrombie & Fitch
  – P&L Category manager
  – Supply Chain Management
• University of Notre Dame
  – B.A., English
• Co-President, Q@Haas
• After Haas: Exploring Strategy Consulting & Consumer Marketing
Florenca Linares – 2019 FT MBA

• Business analyst @ McKinsey & Co.
  – Strategy, operations, organizations
  – Telecommunications, financial institutions, airlines
• Advisor @ Chief of Staff to the President of Argentina
  – A lot of different projects in +5 agencies
  – Regional development for Patagonia
• BA in Business administration and Marketing
• Looking at impact investing and international development, and/or traveling!
Agenda

1. Why Haas?
2. Q@Haas
3. Panel Q&A
Why Haas?

Reputation

Opportunities

Culture
Reputation

Top 10 MBA Program, as ranked by...

“Haas is the archetype for a values-driven MBA program” (Poets & Quants 2018)

#3 business school globally for women’s financial outcomes (FT 2018)

Top 10 most LGBT-friendly business school (MetroMBA 2016)
## Opportunities

### Academics
- Core: fundamentals
- Electives: depth
- Student-initiated: cutting edge
- Evening Weekend: relevant
- UC Berkeley: interdisciplinary

### Career
- Career Management Services
- On-campus recruiting
- Career advisors
- Peer advisors
- Alumni network (all MBA programs & UC Berkeley)
- ROMBA
- LGBT recruiting events & company affinity group contacts

### Location
- Culture of innovation and entrepreneurship
- Technology hub (including biotech, energy, e-commerce)
- Deep roots with the LGBT community
- Weather and fun local treks!

[Image of Berkeley Haas logo]
DEFINING LEADERSHIP PRINCIPLES

Question the Status Quo
Confidence Without Attitude
Students Always
Beyond Yourself
Culture: Q Life at Haas

- Q@Haas deeply embedded in the Berkeley Haas community
- 50+ Q-identified MBA students [above national average %]
- 400+ ally group members
- Many Q-identified faculty and staff members
- Supportive community, eager to learn about each other’s backgrounds and identities
- Unique culture of automatic acceptance, at Berkeley and across the SF Bay Area

^ Yes, that’s us with Dean Lyons and a bunch of our allies!
Some Q@Haas Events - For Haas

- Coming Out Week
  - Coming Out Monologues
  - Ask Me Anything lunch
  - Being an Ally panel
- Pajama party
- Drageoke
- Out 4 Business Mentoring
- Movie Nights
Some Q@Haas Events - For Us

- Welcome Happy Hour & Kickoff Party
- ROMBA and other recruiting events (e.g., Lesbians Who Tech)
- TaHaaSki Q house(s)
- Mixers with other programs
- Oakland Pride
- Queer First Fridays
- ...and many, many more!
More Resources

Q@Haas Website  Q@Haas Instagram  ROMBA

haas.campusgroups.com/qathaas  www.instagram.com/qathaas  www.reachingoutmba.org

Haas Student Ambassadors: HSA@haas.berkeley.edu
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