



Centers of Influence Recruitment Retreat

all events at the **Black Community Services Center** unless otherwise noted

NOTE: Thursday start time has shifted 30 minutes earlier to 12:30pm

	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1 ST
by Noon	Check in at Sheraton Hotel
11:30 – 12:15pm	Event Shuttle Leaves from hotel lobby to Black Comm Services Center
12:30pm	Session #1: Welcome & The Story of Stanford
1:00pm	Session #2: How we review applications, GPAs, GREs & interviews
2:30pm	Break (10 min)
2:40-4:10pm	Community Center Tour
4:20-5:20pm	Graduate Student Research Poster Reception
5:30-7:30pm	Dinner
7:30pm	Event Shuttle Back to the Hotel
8:30pm	No-Host Night on the Town in Downtown Palo Alto
	FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2 ND
7:00am	Event Shuttle Leaves from hotel lobby to Black Comm Services Center
7:30am	Breakfast
8:00am	Session #3: Competitive personal statements
9:00am	Break (5 min)
9:05am	Session #4: Strengthening recommendations & Serving as an advocate
10:05am	Break (10 min)
10:15am	Session #5: Putting it all together
11:45am	Break (15 min)
12:00pm	Lunch with Stanford's Centers of Influence
12:00pm 1:00pm	Lunch with Stanford's Centers of Influence Session #6: Students' Journey with Stanford

Event Shuttle Back to the Hotel

3:00pm