



Cherwell College Oxford

# **SPECIAL OFFER**

## **A-Level Fast-Track: Step Up**

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH

**Berkeley**

Sutardja Center for  
Entrepreneurship & Technology



DO NOT MISS  
THIS UNIQUE  
**SPECIAL  
OFFER**

Innovation,  
Technology &  
Entrepreneurship  
Bootcamp  
By Oxford Foundation

One-of-a-kind Programme:

# Fast-Track A-Level

DESIGNED FOR THE XXI CENTURY

## AUGUST 2025 INTAKE

### 3 Terms:

- Michaelmas 2025
- Hilary 2026
- Trinity 2026

## 2 BOOTCAMPS

### Innovation & Entrepreneurship Courses:

- in Oxford – University of Oxford
- in California – UC Berkeley SCET

# Who is this programme for?

**Recent A-Level, IB or high school graduates** seeking clarity in academic or career paths

**First-year undergraduates** exploring alternative disciplines

# Entry Criteria

- 18 to 19-year-olds, recent A-Level, IB or high school graduates
- Minimum English at B2 CEFR
- Interest in innovation, technology, entrepreneurship and start-up ecosystem

# Programme Structure

- **One-year intensive programme from August to June each year.**
- **One-of-a-kind Bootcamp Courses in Innovation & Entrepreneurship in Oxford and California (supported by Faculty Members and Industry Fellows from the University of Oxford and UC Berkeley Sutardja Center for Entrepreneurship & Technology SCET).**
- **Option for a one-term in California.**  
(extra Summer term)

# FACILITATING SUBJECTS

3 of the following for  
A-Level qualification:

 Mathematics

 Economics

 Physics

 Business

 Chemistry

 Art

 Biology

 English

 Politics

 Literature

 History

Modules in Innovation &  
Entrepreneurship include:

 Entrepreneurship Mindset & Culture

 Leadership & Customer-Centric Thinking

 Venture Fundamentals

 Business Models & Go-to-Market  
Strategies

 Startup Finances & Fundraising

 Pitching



# About the programme:

**This dynamic one-year intensive A-Level programme will challenge the way you think about pre-university education and open numerous pathways for progression after successful course completion - from university admission to your chosen degree programme, to entrepreneurship, employment, or joining the start-up ecosystem.**

- The XXI century frequently reminds us that “shifts” happen – and most big ideas capitalise on a “shift.” Technological, legal, cultural, and market changes disrupt the status quo, creating economic crises for many and opportunities for a few.
- This programme aims to equip students with a growth mindset and a broader outlook on how to thrive in today’s fast-paced world.
- Whether you are an aspiring entrepreneur with a start-up idea, a recent high school graduate unsure about your next steps, a computer science student looking to innovate through technology, a science student aiming to commercialise your idea, or simply someone eager to expand your thinking and understand how Silicon Valley capitalised on shifting global priorities - this course is for anyone looking to find their place in the world where AI and technology are integral to everyday life.

# INDUSTRY & FACULTY FELLOWS



**Peter Henry**

A technologist from a very early age, he architected and led development of groundbreaking systems for Fortune 500 companies, from the world's largest document imaging system to high-volume and customer management systems, institutional portfolio management, and the insurance industry's first Internet e-commerce platform. In addition to technology, Peter has extensive expertise in professional services, technical marketing, business strategy, contracts and negotiations, operations and corporate governance.



**Gigi Wang**

A leader in global entrepreneurship and innovation. Professor Gigi Wang is an Industry Fellow & Faculty at UC Berkeley's Sutardja Center for Entrepreneurship & Technology and Chair Emeritus of the VLAB (formerly MIT/Stanford Venture Lab), and on the advisories board of Mobility Ventures, iGlobe Partners and others. Gigi is a frequent conference speaker and conducts entrepreneurship/innovation workshops for start-ups, corporates, incubators, and universities around the world, along with offering biz dev services to help companies scale. She has mentored and advised hundreds of start-ups from around the world.



**Jason Lee**

An Oxford alumnus, academic mentor, and experienced entrepreneur. Jason completed his PhD at the University of Oxford in Physical Chemistry and has since transitioned from a traditional scientific research trajectory to a dynamic career at the intersection of innovation, technology, and entrepreneurship. His engagement with entrepreneurship began several years ago and was catalysed by meeting Professor Wang during a workshop in Hong Kong. Since then, Jason has been an active mentor in several of Gigi's international bootcamps.



ENQUIRE TODAY  
VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION:

**[www.cherwell-college.co.uk](http://www.cherwell-college.co.uk)**

CONTACT OUR ADMISSIONS TEAM AT  
**[admissions@cherwell-college.co.uk](mailto:admissions@cherwell-college.co.uk)**

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA FOR UPDATES AND INSIGHTS:  
**[@CHERWELL\\_COLLEGE\\_OXFORD](https://twitter.com/CHERWELL_COLLEGE_OXFORD)**