

Why take on Econ Challenge?



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Why?

What makes it worthwhile?



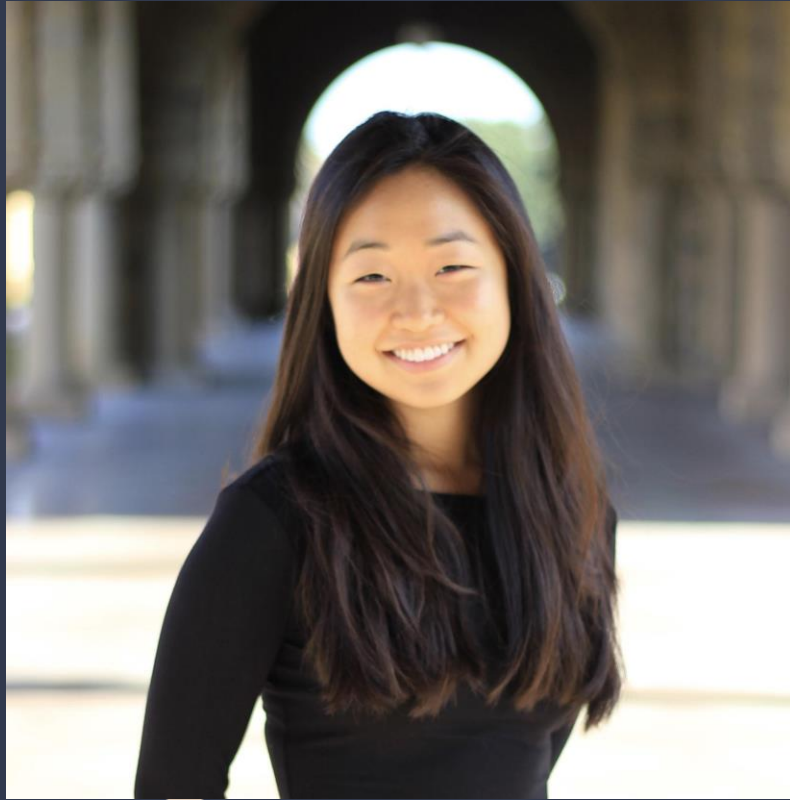
“Losing was very humbling, so we all worked *a lot* harder the next year to make sure we would do well. It was really motivating.”

Abraham Chen, 2015 championship team



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“People dress up professionally, you meet professionals who do economics for a living, and there’s a chance to realize there are other high schools out there, other bright students. You think, ‘Wow, I thought I was really good before, but there is so much more I could know.’ **It raises the bar about what is possible.**”



Emily Ruan

“I decided to major in econ, and I’m still in touch with many people I met through the Econ Challenge today. I graduate this year and will start full-time at the Boston Consulting Group next fall. **Majoring in econ definitely helped!**”



Furqan Syed

“As part of my job, I evaluate the monetary value that my proposed technology product could create over a 5 and 10 year period of time. **The mathematical and financial skills that I developed through Econ Challenge significantly impacted my ability** to identify revenue, profits, costs, and ultimately the total value a technology venture would bring to ExxonMobil.”



Hufsa Ahmed

“Econ Challenge not only sparked my interest in economics, but also **expanded my perspectives and taught me how to look at the world through a new lens.**”



“Econ Challenge is a **community of students who all love economics**, and who all work together to forward economic knowledge.”

Ethan Bockenbauer

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Any questions?

In the workshop, I'll talk about strategies to prepare students.

