



**IN HONOR OF THE YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS AT HAAS PROGRAM  
ON THE OCCASION OF ITS TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY**

**WHEREAS,** Founded in 1989, the Young Entrepreneurs at Haas Program (YEAH) is the only university-based youth entrepreneur program that supports high school students in the East Bay by offering year-round engagement and a college-readiness curriculum; and

**WHEREAS,** YEAH provides each participant with hundreds of hours of education, financial literacy, mentoring, coaching, college counseling, and support over the course of their four years in high school; and

**WHEREAS,** YEAH strives to break down the social, economic, and opportunity barriers to identify a clear path for “first in their family” youth to attend college; and

**WHEREAS,** YEAH’s campus location at the Haas School of Business enables high school students to begin to experience what opportunities exist in college, ensuring that 100% of YEAH students who complete the four-year curriculum graduate from high school and 97% go on to attend college; and

**WHEREAS,** Twenty percent of YEAH students come from Berkeley Unified School District high schools.

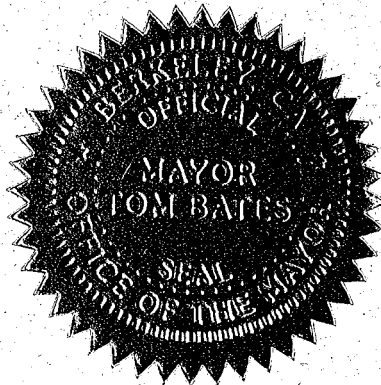
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, TOM BATES,** Mayor of the City of Berkeley do hereby honor the

**Young Entrepreneurs at Haas Program**

for 25 years of dedicated service to and positive influence on the Berkeley community and our youth.

*Tom Bates*

Tom Bates  
Mayor



May 2, 2015