The LEADR Summer Bridge program is a five–day transitional program for incoming first–year freshman students from underserved populations, including first–generation. For five days before the start of fall quarter, students and upper division Resident Mentors live in the residence halls and spend the week learning about the transition from high school to the university, with an engineering focus. The LEADR Summer Bridge program includes:

- Introduction to the LEADR program and staff
- Getting to know other engineering students
- Introduction to the support services for engineering students at UC Davis
- Professional development activities led by practicing engineers

The 2017 LEADR Summer Bridge is planned for Sunday, September 17th– Friday, September 22nd. This is an opportunity for students to build a community before fall quarter begins, learn from practicing engineers, and be exposed to campus resources, all while living on campus in a residence hall.

Applications for this year’s program will be available in early May. For any questions about this program, please email coeleadr@ucdavis.edu.
Read more about LEADR Summer Bridge from the College of Engineering, [here](#).

**LEADR Summer Bridge 2016 Photos**

"Bridgers" work together to build a spaghetti tower with AT&T

From day one, Resident Mentors help teach students about teamwork and building community
Chevron leads students in interview technique exercises

“Bridgers” and their Resident Mentors (back row)
A list of what the “Bridgers” will do when they begin Fall Quarter, after the LSB program.