

2026 Entrepreneur's Cup Schedule

Nov 11	Entrepreneur's Cup Advisor Info Virtual Workshop
Nov 18	Entrepreneur's Cup Info Virtual Workshop
Nov 20	Black Oak Social Innovation Award Virtual Workshop
Jan 5	Applications Open <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entrepreneur's Cup • Paulsen Scholarship Award • Black Oak Social Innovation Award
Jan 22	Entrepreneur's Cup Virtual Fireside Chat Q&A
Jan 29	One-Page Summary Due Must be completed to be eligible to compete.
Feb 12	Virtual Coaching Session
Mar 5	Application Deadline <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business Plan Due • Paulsen Scholarship Award Application Due • Black Oak Social Innovation Award Application Due
Week of Mar 23	Finalists Announced <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pitch Presentation Finalist • Paulsen Scholarship Award Finalist
Mar 27	Announce Finalist Presentation Times <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pitch Presentation • Paulsen Scholarship Award • Black Oak Social Innovation Award (virtual)
Week of Mar 30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Black Oak Social Innovation Award Virtual Interviews
Apr 7	Pitch Presentations & Paulsen Scholarship Award Interviews (in-person)
Apr 23	Awards Dinner (in-person)

For more information and questions, please email ecup@i2E.org.