



CALL FOR WORLD ACADEMY FACILITATORS

WHAT

World Academy Facilitators are women or men committed to the acceleration of women's leadership who volunteer for a five-week assignment to deliver the World Academy for the Future of Women curriculum at a university site. Facilitators pay their expenses to the site; all lodging and meal costs are provided by the host university. Global Interactions, a Phoenix-based 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization manages the World Academy, vets the applicants, and prepares the facilitators for their assignment.

The World Academy for the Future of Women is a bold and daring leadership program to accelerate women's leadership worldwide. Begun in 2009 in China, there are now Academies in Nepal and Bangladesh. More than 1500 alumni have completed 1 to 4 years of the program which covers a full academic year and requires members to spend a minimum of 10 hours each week in seminars, labs, coaching, and leading projects focused on the UN Sustainable Development Goals ... in addition to their university courses.

WHO

We are seeking facilitators who:

- are willing to go beyond their personal and geographic boundaries to engage with university students committed to campus, community, country and global leadership;
- will seize the opportunity to contribute through their engagement and build relationships around creating a future with equality, social justice, and human dignity for all;
- are extraordinary, embrace ambiguity, and are flexible in face of change;
- honor and respect the rights and dignity of all people;
- manage their time and resources with ease;
- are curious and eager to engage and support the next generation of leaders in creating a world of workability for everyone.

WHEN

Facilitators are being recruited for the 2022-23 academic year beginning in September 2022 and ending in June 2023. Recruitment, vetting, and preparation will occur during the summer (2022) in locations where interest is expressed, and applications are received. Current location is Sias University, Zhengzhou, CHINA. India, South Africa, Zambia, and Kenya have MOU's and are negotiating times. Bangladesh and Nepal will be coming back next year.

HOW TO ENGAGE

STEP 1: Complete the application attached and send a one-page resume to jerrie@globalinteractions.org.

STEP 2: Schedule a call to discuss your experience, your commitment and availability

STEP 3: Arrange to participate in a Facilitator Preparation introduction to select and organize the materials you will use in delivering the curriculum module you will facilitate

STEP 4: Commit to an assigned location and date to be a World Academy Facilitator

Facilitator Comments:

"The 5 weeks I spent at the World Academy were the most valuable 5 weeks I've spent in my life."

"Being a World Academy Facilitator was a transformative experience for me, as well as the World Academy members."

"I have facilitated in all three locations and will return as soon as the Pandemic allows me to travel."



2022-23 FACILITATOR APPLICATION

Name: _____ (As it appears on your Passport)

Title: _____ Academic Degree: _____

Company/Institution: _____

Preferred Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: Office _____ Cell _____ Home _____ Fax _____

Email: _____ Website: _____

Please describe the leadership qualities you would bring to the Academy:

Briefly describe your areas of interest, experience, and related training/expertise:

Briefly describe your cross-cultural and/or international experience:

PLEASE PROVIDE THREE REFERENCES:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

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**PLEASE EMAIL YOUR APPLICATION AND
A ONE-PAGE RESUME (PDF) AND PHOTO (JPG or PDF)**

I UNDERSTAND THAT FACILITATORS SERVE ON A VOLUNTEER BASIS AND AGREE TO:

- 1) A 2 ½ day preparation training session prior to going on site to deliver the World Academy curriculum,
- 2) Monthly facilitator zoom calls to engage with other facilitators relative to the delivery and results being achieved at the World Academy sites,
- 3) travel to a World Academy site for 5 weeks to deliver one of the World Academy modules within a year of the preparation training session,
- 4) During your time as a Facilitator on campus have weekly communication and update with a designated World Academy staff member regarding the delivery and results of the module and the outcomes being achieved.

Lodging and meals in China are provided on campus at SIAS University. Facilitators are responsible for travel and incidental expenses.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____