

Global Learning in Agriculture: A multilevel collaboration for internationalization of curriculum

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- First conference on Global Learning in Agriculture
- November 2014
- 56 attendees from 10 states representing 17 institutions



What is Global Learning?

"Global learning is a critical analysis of and an engagement with complex, interdependent global systems and legacies and their implications for people's lives and the earth's sustainability."

Association of American Colleges and Universities, 2010

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Core Values

- Purposeful, meaningful global learning can occur on and off campus
- K-20 participation to ensure maximum student growth on the global learning continuum

Why K-20?



"Global learning cannot be achieved in a single course or a single experience, but is acquired cumulatively..."

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- Pre-conference:
- I. Financing global experiences
- 2. Risk management
- 3. Communicating core values



Pre-conference Continued:

4. Creating co-curricular global learning opportunities

5. New partnerships

6. Lessons learned in conducting international experiences





Conference:

- Individual assessment of global competency
- 2. Frameworks for internationalizing instruction
- 3. Instructional materials

Conference Continued:



- 4. Engaging in innovation
- 5. Exploring additional resources

Partnerships and Funding

- Harbaugh Faculty Scholars
 Endowment
- Center for Professional Personnel Development, Penn State
- Association of Public and Land Grant Universities Innovation in Teaching Award

- Strategic Initiatives Fund, Department of Agricultural Economics, Sociology and Education, Penn State
- Department of Agricultural Education and Communication, University of Florida

Future Plans

Save the Date

#GLAG16 Online event: January 8, 2016 I-5 PM

