Active Global Citizenship—and How to Educate for It

9 - 11 October
Montreal, Canada

AGENDA AT A GLANCE

Join AFS at the 2019 Global Conference to develop new insights, learn new strategies and find new ways to invest in our future leaders—active global citizens determined to make a positive difference.

Our 75 sessions are designed to engage delegates in rich conversations focused on making global competence education a right for all young people.

Connect with the doers, thinkers and funders transforming education around the world.

Anies Baswedan
Governor of Jakarta

Diana Robinson
Teach For All

Ian Jamison
Tony Blair Institute for Global Change

Jenny Buccos
ProjectExplorer

Veronica Boix Mansilla
Harvard Graduate School of Education (Project Zero)

Register now: conference.afs.org
Pre-conference Workshops
Take a deep dive into creative ideas and approaches that are fueling global competence education today. Motivating. Inspiring. Results-focused.

**SHOWCASE:** Tapping the power of story circles to develop global competence.

Meet Dr. Darla Deardorff, Executive Director of the Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) to experience why UNESCO is embracing storytelling.

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**WED–FRI 9–11 OCT**

Plenary Sessions
Hear how extraordinary active global citizens use global skills to bring together experts, resources and communities to tackle SDG challenges.

**WEDNESDAY:** World Premiere of Crash Test World TV Show & Curriculum. This exciting new made-for-classrooms-and-beyond TV series showcases fascinating everyday active global citizens harnessing global skills, expertise and tech for social good.

Meet Kari Byron and Jenny Buccos, the host and founder of Crash Test World, to learn how multimedia curricula is transforming classrooms.

**THURSDAY:** Are We There Yet? Level-set your expectations as educators, researchers and policymakers monitoring the state of global competence education around the world.

**FRIDAY:** Building a Worldwide Coalition. Help set a global competence agenda to make this resource a right, not a privilege for young people worldwide.

**THU–FRI 10–11 OCT**

Concurrent Sessions
Engaging and creative panels, workshops, Idea Dates and poster presentations offer hands-on tools and best practices in global citizenship education, developed by 105+ organizations joining us in this movement.

Meet Alfredo Ortega from the Ministry of Public Education of Costa Rica discuss Establishing a Public-Private Partnership to Introduce Intercultural Learning in Schools.

**AFS NOW Stage**
These four sessions are designed to introduce you to real-world solutions that can help you further your global competency work.

**THURSDAY AM:** Rethinking Global Ed. What’s Hot, What’s Not, What’s Next

**THURSDAY PM:** Trusted sources? Why Media Literacy is Crucial for Global Citizenship

**FRIDAY AM:** Back to Basics: What Makes a School Global Ready

**FRIDAY PM:** Funding & Partnerships: Crafting your Pitch to Funders

Meet Kathleen Martinez of BP, who will discuss how this global company looks at corporate social responsibility in building global skills, educating active global citizens, and helping young people become interculturally competent.

**Innovation Stage**
Cutting-edge research, ideas and solutions are needed to make active global citizenship a part of education. Check out the innovators leading the path forward.

Meet Dr. Milton J. Bennett to discover what “Intercultural Citizenship” is and how to build capacity for it in our classrooms, workplaces and communities.

**THU OCT 10 AT 5:30 PM**
Celebrating Active Global Citizens: Award Ceremony
Revealing the winner of the inaugural AFS Prize for Young Active Global Citizens and recognizing five outstanding champions of intercultural learning and global competence education.

**THU OCT 10 AT 8:00 PM**
Networking Dinner (PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED AT conference.afs.org)
Build new connections, discuss global competence with distinguished speakers and special guests, advocate your cause at this featured event for select delegates.

**Featured Speakers**

Darla Deardorff
Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA)
Kathleen Martinez
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