

SUPERVISOR APPROVAL FOR EMPLOYEE PARTICIPATION

The World Affairs Council of Atlanta is thrilled to introduce a first-of-its-kind international leadership training experience for early career Atlantans! This program is designed to transform high-potential young professionals with 5-15 years of career experience into globally astute leaders.

Program Highlights

Dynamic Master Classes

Immersive, full-day themed programs during which Fellows gain first-hand exposure to international ecosystems that fuel Atlanta. This experiential learning includes high-level dialogue with senior executives, subject matter experts, distinguished diplomats and dignitaries, and exclusive behind-the-scenes tours of key Atlanta organizations.

Professional Coaching

Fellows hone their leadership skills by working with professional coaches who guide them through hands-on personal and professional development training.

International Immersion

A week-long international travel experience.

Organizational Value, Importance, and Prestige of Participation

The Global Leadership Fellows program is a prestigious opportunity for employees to grow their leadership capabilities, gain a global perspective, and build high-value networks. Departmental teams and whole organizations benefit from employees' personal and professional development.

Advanced Leadership Skills

Strengthening leadership capabilities through hands-on coaching.

Global Perspective

Gaining insights into international best practices and strategies by engaging with experts from diverse backgrounds and industries.

Networking Opportunities

Building a local and global network of professionals for peer and business collaboration and partnerships.

Enhanced Innovation

Contributing innovative solutions to organizational challenges through exposure to new ideas and approaches.

Knowledge Sharing

Sharing acquired knowledge and skills with colleagues to foster a culture of continuous learning.

Personal Transformation

Discovering self-knowledge through a deep sense of belonging within a supportive local peer community.

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Program Dates

Refer to the attached exhibit for detailed information on the program dates, the responsibilities of the Fellows, and the expectations for their active attendance and participation.

Approval for Employee Participation

Employee Name

Job Title

Supervisor's Name

Supervisor's Email

I approve of the above-mentioned employee to attend and participate in all events, programs, and the International Immersion experience associated with the Global Leadership Fellows program and support their commitment to this transformative professional opportunity, should they be selected. If accepted, I understand the employee is responsible for the \$300.00 participation fee.

Supervisor's Signature

Date

For any questions or additional information, contact us at wacatl@gsu.edu.