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Welcome to the Global Living-Learning Community!

The Global Living-Learning Community is home to 120 other students like you, seeking to expand their knowledge of world affairs and foreign languages and cultures. You are bright students who are passionate about learning to understand the world in all its diversity, from politics and religion to art, food, language, and science. By bringing your unique experiences, beliefs, and values to the GLLC, you will be able to enlighten the minds of those whom you talk to during a culture night, language microlesson, or just late-night hang outs in the kitchen-lounge. As you share your own experiences, you will also be exposed to a wide array of new cultures and ideas, both from your peers and from the programs offered by the GLLC. Your thoughts, creativity, and leadership are a going to help drive us to become the best possible community. We look forward to working with you all to help make this a wonderful year at the Global LLC!

Our Mission and Vision

The mission of the Global Living-Learning Community is to provide an enhanced educational experience for Indiana University students with a common interest in global affairs—whatever their major or career path. Students will live together attending classes, networking, and exploring the world with its interconnections and opportunities.

The Global LLC seeks to cultivate an environment where students inspire each other, receiving support by programming that helps define professional goals, identifies campus resources and opportunities, provides academic direction, and prepares students both for their study at Indiana University and for their future success in the world. The Global LLC integrates residential living with formal and informal learning for motivated undergraduates with international interests regardless of academic discipline or major. The GLLC is multinational, multicultural, multilingual, and multidisciplinary.

Residents are selected on the basis of academic background, intellectual curiosity, international interests, experiences, aspirations, and commitment to being a contributor to this community. Residents are actively involved in the GLLC’s governance, in shaping its curricular, co-curricular, and extra-curricular activities, and in managing its day-to-day activities. There are numerous opportunities to develop and showcase leadership skills within this very diverse community.

In addition to the required Q class (GLLC-Q199) which introduces residents to the GLLC and global affairs, the GLLC also sponsors events focusing on formal language instruction and informal language practice. Informal chats, film and video series, international guests, special interest groups, workshops, meals, and many other activities all contribute to the GLLC’s atmosphere. By engaging its residents in international living, the GLLC offers a supportive environment for international students pursuing their degrees at IU Bloomington, as well as for students planning for or returning from study abroad. Additionally, faculty, graduate students, and staff with international interests and expertise are involved in the GLLC by teaching courses, providing academic and social support, and interacting informally with residents.

Like all of IU’s living-learning centers and learning communities, the Global LLC personalizes this large university, breaks down walls between living and learning, and promotes intellectual growth through student engagement in learning. Residents of the Global LLC shape their community and become better prepared for life in the globalized world of the 21st century.
Global LLC Staff

Brian Gilley—Director
Dr. Gilley's research engages the logic of late liberalism with a focus on the relationship between ‘tradition,’ power, and cultural practices of colonialism. Dr. Gilley's most recent ethnographic and historic field projects investigate the role of affinity between the Italian colonies and the homeland. This research includes projects on the colonial uses of sport during the interwar period, body nostalgia among vintage sport enthusiasts and the creation of a pan-Mediterraneanism between North Africa and Italy.

Dr. Gilley has also conducted research on gender, sexuality and HIV/AIDS among American Indians (specifically GLBTQ:2-Spirit) as well as performance enhancing drug use among collegiate and professional cyclists.

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Peter Roeth—Associate Director
Peter is responsible for working closely with the Executive Council to plan co-curricular and extracurricular events and orchestrating many aspects of the Q199 course. He has been involved in the student affairs profession for almost ten years and enjoys promoting college student development through experiences and challenges. He is specifically drawn to the GLLC because of the program's commitment to global connectedness and cultural awareness, and he loves the variety of international activities in the community. Peter is also a part-time doctoral student in the School of Education studying higher education and student affairs. In his free time, he enjoys cooking, playing racquet sports, and hanging out with his dog, Zoey.

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Vera Marinova—Associate Director
Vera grew up in the small but beautiful Eastern European country of Bulgaria and moved to the US to further her personal and academic goals. As an undergraduate, she attended Berea College in Kentucky, where she received a B.A. in Asian Studies with a German language minor. During her graduate studies at IU, Vera pursued a joint M.A./M.P.A. degree that combined the fields of East Asian Studies (with a focus on China), Comparative and International Affairs, and Nonprofit Management (with a focus on Environmental NGOs). Upon graduation, she spent a year at Berea College teaching Mandarin Chinese and Environmental Issues in China and a summer teaching Intensive Chinese Language at Transylvania University. She has traveled extensively throughout Asia and has explored a large array of languages, hoping to delve into her tenth in the near future. Vera has worked in the study abroad field for a number of years and remains committed to promoting tolerance, knowledge, and understanding through international education, engagement, and cultural exploration.

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Graduate Assistant

Shijing Zhang—Graduate Assistant
Shijing Zhang is a PhD candidate in the Department of Anthropology. She hails from Guangzhou, China, a city she loves for its food, cultural vibrancy, language and volunteerism. While her research interest lies in youth-led grassroots NGOs in China, she indulges in hand lettering, interior design, *Harry Potter*, detective novels, and dancing when she needs creative fulfillment and a mental outlet. Moving from cities to cities with her family since childhood, she has developed a curiosity for languages and cultures, and has travelled to Turkey, Israel, Sri Lanka, Vietnam, Cambodia, Japan, South Korea, Malaysia, Philippines, Thailand, and Australia. Her engagement in NGO activities both in the U.S. and in China over the past few years, as well as her experiences teaching in college drive her to explore career opportunities that connect college students and NGOs. She is really looking forward to joining GLLC and working with the residents the coming academic year.

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# Global LLC and RPS Roles and Responsibilities

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| **Brian Gilley**  
(Director) | ✓ Oversees all aspects of the Global LLC  
✓ Sets the mission and objectives for the community  
✓ Advises programming  
✓ Provides curricular, cocurricular, and extracurricular direction  
✓ Advises review committees for Global LLC course selections  
✓ Convenes advisory board meetings | |
| **Peter Roeth**  
(Associate Director) | ✓ Advises the Executive Council  
✓ Organizes and implements events and activities with student support  
✓ Oversees the Q Class  
✓ Supervises peer instructors  
✓ Supervises student office assistants  
✓ Handles day-to-day Global LLC matters | × Resolving roommate conflicts  
× Overseeing RAs  
× Cleaning lounges  
× Receiving repair requests  
× Administering study abroad  
× Processing IU conduct issues |
| **Vera Marinova**  
(Associate Director) | ✓ Directs Books & Beyond  
✓ Supervises B&B Leadership Team  
✓ Oversees B&B courses  
✓ Supervises student office assistants  
✓ Coordinates Global LLC communications  
✓ Oversees Global LLC recruitment and marketing | |
| **Administrative Assistant** | ✓ Supports all aspects of the Global LLC  
✓ Liaises with RPS for housing and assignment issues  
✓ Assists with event and activity details  
✓ Manages finances and fiscal protocols | |
| **Student Office Assistants** | ✓ Post advertisements  
✓ Assist with clerical tasks  
✓ Help with events and activities  
✓ Coordinates special projects  
✓ Supports the professional staff with tasks | |
| **All Global LLC Staff** | ✓ Help create and nurture Global LLC community and culture  
✓ Connect Global LLC members with university and Bloomington resources  
✓ Provide advice and direction related to higher education and IU | |
| **RPS Staff** |
| **Residential Assistants (RAs)** | ✓ Assist with roommate and resident conflicts  
✓ Handle complaints and conduct issues  
✓ Ensure that residence halls maintain a safe and welcoming environment  
✓ Build floor community  
✓ Connect residents to campus resources (CAPS, Health Center, etc.)  
✓ Program events on student life (health, safety, diversity, etc.) | × Cleaning the kitchenette, counters, refrigerator, or dishes in the Global LLC lounge  
× Planning Global LLC events  
× Replacing CrimsonCards  
× Providing parking passes |
| **Environmental Operations Staff** | ✓ Maintain common areas (lounges, bathrooms, stairwells, classrooms)  
✓ Restock bathroom supplies  
✓ Maintain cleanliness and functionality of Global LLC and quad facilities | |
| **Read Center Desk** | ✓ Handle mail  
✓ Receive room and building maintenance requests  
✓ Handle room lockouts  
✓ Schedule space reservations | |
| **Read Quad Administrative Staff** | ✓ Handle roommate change requests  
✓ Handle judicial matters in conjunction with others  
✓ Organize quad-wide events, grounds, facilities  
✓ Oversee RAs  
✓ Oversee Read government | |
Executive Council

The Executive Council (EC) is the student leadership body for the Global LLC. Early in the school year, we explain the role and responsibilities of EC members and begin the selection process. These leaders will direct much of the programming for the year by organizing events, approving expenditures, arranging guest speakers, creating an international culture, and voicing the concerns of students.

Along with the professional staff, the EC is also responsible for Global LLC finances. This fund is created by the $100 per semester activity fee that residents pay to live in the GLLC. These funds help pay for various events and activities, such as dinners, trips, and kitchen supplies.

The EC relies on student suggestions and recommendations in order to help make the GLLC a great place to live and learn. Students are welcome to attend the weekly EC meetings and offer input. Of course, students are always welcome to talk in person or email EC members or staff to share opinions and ideas.

Global LLC Activities

A living-learning center, as the name implies, combines living with learning—in our case, learning about all things international. Much of the learning in the Global LLC, unquestionably, occurs informally, through interaction with each other. But, there are also formal activities, ranging from Executive Council and staff-initiated programming to events individually organized by members of the Global LLC community.

Planning your own program is also an option. The only requirements are that the event be consistent with the Global LLC’s mission, be open to our entire community, and be submitted to the Executive Council using a Program Proposal Form. If you have an idea for an intercultural event or activity, no matter how small or how grand, see a Global LLC staff member or an EC member and we will help you think through your proposal.

Books & Beyond

Books & Beyond (B&B) is the largest programmatic initiative of the Global LLC. The collaborative project involves IU students, select Bloomington elementary schools, and Kabwende Primary School in Kinigi, Rwanda. Books & Beyond engages students in authoring, illustrating, publishing, and marketing collections of short stories by and for children. Each year, IU students visit Rwanda through the project to deliver books, work with teachers, and learn about Rwandan history and culture. Check out the B&B website (http://www.indiana.edu/~booksb/) or talk with Vera for more information.

B&B Team Leads

Student Director: Patricia Davis
Writing Partners: Dorothy Nguyen
Fund Development: Rebecca Gilbert
Rwandan Culture & Communication: Imari Moore

Collaborators Team Lead: TBD
Public Relations: Solomon Mabry
Evaluation: Zoie Hancock
Documenting: Toni Pringley and Alyssa Woolard
Global LLC Courses

GLLC-Q199 (6442) Introduction to the Global LLC (1 cr.) (fall semester)
The Global LLC community is unique and gives residents many opportunities to become global citizens. They have the opportunity to engage in learning together with friends, create initiatives, develop leadership skills, participate in service-learning projects, and gain valuable teaching experience. Through this one credit Q199 course, new Global LLC members enjoy the benefits of teaching, learning, and living. The Q class engages students in conversations about world affairs and global issues, and inspires them to think about their own role in global society.
This course is open to Global LLC residents only and is required for all first-time Global LLC Residents. Students will sign up for a specific day and time upon arrival to campus in August. All sections are taught by undergraduate peer instructors.

EDUC-L495: Literacy and Leadership In Rwanda–A Service-Learning Course (1 cr.) (spring semester)
This course prepares students for an international summer service-learning trip to work at an educational camp at Kabwende Primary School in Kinigi, Rwanda. The 8-week session in the second part of the spring semester will address service ethics, history, culture, and politics, language, and training for camp instructors. The spring semester section of the course serves as an introduction to Rwandan culture and pre-departure orientation for interested students. The course will be followed by a month-long service trip that will take place during the summer term (July–August, 2019).
Students interested in travelling to Rwanda will also have to register for an additional two-credit section. This month-long summer course (Summer 2019) will take place in Kinigi, Rwanda.
For details, contact Vera.
Global LLC Facilities

Read Residence Center
Being a member of the Global LLC means you are a resident of Read, so all the facilities throughout the building are available for your use. Feel free to explore the building to discover its many rooms and areas. Talk with the Read Center Desk for more information or to reserve spaces.

Kitchen-Lounge
We have the privilege of having a kitchen-lounge in the center of the GLLC on the third floor. Please remember that the oven, sink, microwave, refrigerator, and counter space in the lounge are a privilege, not a right, for our community. They are for common, community use, so PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELF. Take your own personal dishes and food back to your room rather than leaving them in the common area. If you use the kitchen area, clean up after yourself. Keep in mind that the EO Staff is not responsible for cleaning the sinks, counters, dishes, refrigerator, etc. We as a community are responsible for our area.

You may store personal food in the refrigerator, but please use small containers, mark what is yours, and finish food as quickly as possible. If you store food in the refrigerator, you must write your name and the date on each item. Food older than two weeks or without a date will be discarded. Food and other supplies for Global LLC events have priority and will often be stored in the refrigerator or cabinets in the lounge. Please do not use food or supplies that are not yours. If there are items that we do not have that you would like, please contact the GLLC staff or the Executive Council.

We have purchased silverware, bowls, plates, and dish towels in order to cut down (or eliminate) paper and plastic waste. Please use these whenever possible. Wash them immediately after use and put them away once they are dry. If dishtowels are dirty or begin to smell, please place them in the white bin under the sink so that they can be laundered.

And please use dishtowels only for drying dishes and hands, not for cleaning up food spills. We are a community so from time to time you might need to wash or put away things that are not yours.

If you are involved in a program using the kitchen or the lounge, please help clean up immediately after those events end. If you are an event organizer, please make sure to arrange a clean-up crew in advance.

Curry Elevator Lobby
The administrative offices for the GLLC are located in the Curry elevator lobby. Brian’s office (D104), Peter’s office (D101), Vera’s office (D103), the administrative office (D106) are in this area, and the GLLC storage room is located just down the hall (D128). Feel free to stop by and visit!
Health and Wellbeing

We want you to thrive and succeed as an IU student, and the Global LLC will support you in your personal health and wellbeing. There are several offices and experts on campus to assist and help you as a college student. Check out a selection of some of the many available resources below.

Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS)
http://healthcenter.indiana.edu/counseling/index.shtml
CAPS works with thousands of IU Bloomington students each year. While their well-trained staff are prepared to handle serious mental health crises, they also offer support for students who are looking for an opportunity to discuss problems with someone they can trust. Some of the problems they treat include: depression, anxiety, relationship issues, sexual assault, feelings of inadequacy, substance abuse, and difficulty adjusting to college. Two counseling sessions per semester are available at no charge when you pay your IU Health Fee. Additional visits are available at a low cost. Your treatment will depend on your situation. You may meet one-on-one with a counselor. Or you might join an ongoing therapy group where you can hear from people going through the same things you are.

Culture of Care
http://care.indiana.edu/
Culture of Care is a campus wide, student-led and staff-supported initiative focused on creating a campus culture in which members of the Indiana University Bloomington community demonstrate “care” for one another. Through bystander intervention, the Culture of Care initiative empowers students to support their peers. The Culture of Care initiative promotes helping one another, behavioral change, and raising awareness in four core areas: sexual well-being, mental health, alcohol & drug awareness, and respect.

IU Health Center
http://healthcenter.indiana.edu/
The Health Center offers a variety of services, such as medical services, pharmacy, and counseling. Many of these services are free or offered inexpensively for you as an IU student. Check out their website for a full list of services, updated costs, and hours of operation.

OASIS
https://studentaffairs.indiana.edu/oasis/
OASIS is the campus hub for alcohol and other drug prevention, intervention (brief counseling), and education. OASIS not only supports students who have been adjudicated by the campus conduct system, but others who may have questions about substance use or abuse, individual drugs of abuse, concerns about a friend or family member, or students who need support living in abstinence or in recovery. OASIS can also help students with academic assignments that cover topics involving substance use, abuse, or addiction.

Recreation Sports
http://recsports.indiana.edu/
Physical health is also an important aspect of overall wellbeing. IU has many facilities in which to exercise, and there are a wide variety of intramural sports and exercise classes available. Visit the Student Recreational Sports Center or Wildermuth Intramural Center to learn more, or check out the website for the latest information.

Important Contact Information
- Life-threatening emergencies: 911
- IU Police Department: 812-855-4111
- IU Health Bloomington Hospital: 812-353-5252
- IU 24-hour Sexual Assault Crisis Line: 812-855-8900
- IU Psychological Crisis Line: 812-855-5711
- After-hours Medical Advice: 812-303-2631
- IU Safety Escort: 812-855-SAFE (7233)
IU International Resources

**College Office of International Affairs**
https://college.indiana.edu/international/index.html
The College of Arts and Sciences Office of International Affairs serves as a clearinghouse for international activities, both for domestic and foreign students. Academic resources, study abroad trips, student organization lists, and service opportunities can be found on their useful website.

**Office of International Services (OIS)**
http://ois.indiana.edu/
The Office of International Services is located in the Poplars Building and supports international students, scholars, and their families during their time at Indiana University. In order to develop a strong sense of a university community, OIS acts as a link between international students and faculty, international student organizations, and the Indiana University Bloomington community. A variety of volunteer opportunities, internships, and unpaid practical experiences are available through OIS.

**Office of Overseas Study**
http://overseas.iu.edu
Most Global LLC members will study abroad at some point during their career at IU. The Overseas Study website is filled with information about studying abroad, but we are happy to help you with any questions you might have. Keep an eye out for study abroad preparation workshops offered at the Global LLC and for study abroad events at the Global LLC where students who have recently returned from overseas study will come and share their experiences with us. The Office of Overseas Study is located in the Leo R. Dowling International Center which is very near Read Hall.

**The Language Flagships**
https://flagship.indiana.edu/
Indiana University’s Flagship Programs in Arabic, Chinese, and Turkish allow students to major in any of IU’s fields of study while gaining proficiency in languages critical to U.S. security and business. The Language Flagship is an innovative language-learning initiative that incorporates advanced language study, international internships, and study abroad. Students complete programs with professional language proficiency and work in diverse fields like business, government, arts, and nonprofits.

**Teaching English as a Second Language (TESOL/SLS)**
http://dsls.indiana.edu/
Many Global LLC members informally tutor in English and foreign languages while they’re undergraduates, and many go on to teach English abroad after graduation. Therefore, if you can fit it into your undergraduate schedule, we highly recommend taking at least one practical course in TESOL.
International Restaurants

Bloomington has over 75 international restaurants representing 18 different countries. You can find a list of these restaurants through the Bloomington Visitor’s Center website (https://www.visitbloomington.com/restaurants/international-cuisine/).

International Grocery Stores

B-Town International Market
2901 E. Covenanter Dr.
812-323-7718

Bloomingfoods Market & Deli
3220 E. 3rd St.
812-336-5400

Oriental International Market
408 E. 4th St.
812-333-1396

Sahara Mart
106 E. 2nd St.
812-333-0502

Saraga Oriental Market
1305 S. College Mall Rd.
812-330-1821

Tenth Street Market
1809 E. 10th St.
812-336-1833

Transportation Information

Bus service in Bloomington is available through two options: Campus Bus Service (https://iubus.indiana.edu/campus_bus/) and Bloomington Transit (https://bloomingtontransit.com/). Download the apps or visit their websites for more information about routes and schedules. Bloomington Transit is free for IU students with CrimsonCards.

There are several means of transportation between Bloomington and the Indianapolis International Airport. GO Express Travel (https://www.goexpressstravel.com/) is a popular bus option.

Campus Commute (http://www.campuscommute.com/) offers transportation between IUB and IUPUI on weekdays.