CALL FOR PROPOSALS
Global Learning Student Fellowship – Fall 2020

Overview
The Office of Global Learning Initiatives (OGLI) invites you to apply for an FIU Global Learning Student Fellowship. This fellowship is designed to provide undergraduate students with the resources needed to conduct research and innovative projects that increase students’ global awareness, global perspective, and global engagement. In addition to financial support, the OGLI will provide mentoring opportunities throughout the duration of the student’s project. The fellowship consists of two different tracks: Research and Engagement/Action. Students can only apply to one of the tracks.

- Research Track: Student designs and conducts a research project with the guidance of a faculty member. OGLI can assist in identifying a faculty mentor if student does not have one at the time of application.
- Engagement/Action Track: Student devises and implements an innovative global learning project. OGLI can assist in identifying an advisor if student does not have one at the time of application.

Eligibility
Undergraduate students currently in good standing with the University. Students must be enrolled throughout the duration of the project.

Criteria
Applications should describe a well-defined project to be carried out during the 2020-2021 academic year (project begins in Fall 2020). The concept of global learning, which we define as the process of diverse people collaboratively analyzing and addressing complex problems that transcend borders, should be at the core of the project. The application must outline how students’ global awareness, global perspective, and global engagement will be infused throughout the project. For full descriptions of these global learning concepts, please refer to our website: http://goglobal.fiu.edu

Project Award
$2000 fellowship stipend; up to four projects will be awarded.

Application Requirements
- Application form (Please choose the appropriate application form for your project – either Research or Engagement/Action.)
- Resume
- Reference letter

A high-quality application clearly articulates why the project is important to the field and how it contributes to the literature. It demonstrates students’ innovative approach to global problem solving.

Apply online at http://go.fiu.edu/glfunding by Friday, January 31st, 2020. A committee will evaluate proposals and awards will be announced by April 1, 2020.

Questions regarding the application process should be sent to: Yenisleidy Simon Mengana, Program Manager, Office of Global Learning Initiatives, ysimonme@fiu.edu.
Research Track Application

Name:

Email:

Panther ID:

Major:

Phone:

Faculty Mentor Name (if already identified):

Faculty Mentor Email (if already identified):

Project Title:

Application Components:

1. **Overall project description (300 words max)**

   Describe the goals and objectives of this project. What does it seek to accomplish?

2. **Rationale for support (300 words max)**

   Explain why the Office of Global Learning Initiatives should support this project. State the significance of this project and identify how it is innovative.

3. **Research questions and methodology (500 words max)**

   State your research problem and research question(s). How will you identify, select, process, and analyze the data?

4. **Incorporation of global learning outcomes: global awareness, global perspective, global engagement (300 words max)**

   Identify how you will incorporate the above-mentioned global learning outcomes into your project.

5. **Research collaboration (300 words max)**

   Is this an individual or group project? Does the project have an interdisciplinary approach? If so, please explain.

   Have you explored opportunities to collaborate with other individuals and/or entities? If so, please explain.
Engagement/Action Track Application

Name:

Email:

Panther ID:

Major:

Phone:

Project Advisor (if already identified):

Project Advisor Email (if already identified):

Project Title:

Application Components:

1. **Overall project description (300 words max)**
   How and why did you decide to pursue this project? What does it seek to accomplish? What impact do you expect it to make?

2. **Rationale for support (300 words max)**
   Explain why the Office of Global Learning Initiatives should support this project. State the significance of this project and identify how it is innovative.

3. **Project implementation (500 words max)**
   What issues does your project address? How will you implement it?

4. **Incorporation of global learning outcomes: global awareness, global perspective, global engagement (300 words max)**
   Identify how you will incorporate the above-mentioned global learning outcomes into your project.
5. **Collaboration (300 words max)**

Is this an individual or group project? Does the project have an interdisciplinary approach? If so, please explain.

Have you explored opportunities to collaborate with other individuals and/or entities? If so, please explain.