

The Internationalization Laboratory

The Internationalization Laboratory of the American Council on Education (ACE) is an invitational learning community that assists participating institutions in developing goals and strategy for comprehensive internationalization.

The CIGE Model for Comprehensive Internationalization



To promote the process approach, members of the Internationalization Laboratory:

- Form an internationalization leadership team on campus
- Review current institutional internationalization activities, clarify institutional goals, and analyze the findings of this review
- Develop a strategic action plan based on an analysis of the status of internationalization on campus and recommend future internationalization goals and strategies to achieve those goals
- Host a site visit by ACE staff, involving a roundtable discussion with the leadership team and key stakeholders to facilitate dialogue, define key questions and issues, clarify goals, and create support for the process across the campus
- Participate in three meetings of the Internationalization Laboratory, hosted by ACE in Washington, DC, to review progress, share experiences, and discuss possible next steps
- Host a peer review visit and receive a report following the review process
- Maintain regular contact with and receive guidance from ACE staff as the campus conducts its review, analyzes the findings, and develops its action plan

Benefits to institutions that join the Internationalization Laboratory include:

- The opportunity to participate in an international invitational learning community
- Regular access to expert consultation
- The opportunity to learn from the experiences of institutions with which ACE has worked on internationalization
- A customized process to accelerate progress on internationalization and ensure concrete outcomes and deliverables that the institution chooses

Additional work can be done in articulating international learning outcomes, mapping the curriculum and co-curriculum for opportunities to achieve these outcomes, and developing an assessment plan. A nonrefundable fee of \$34,000 is charged for this service, payable over two fiscal years.

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Launched in 2003, the Internationalization Laboratory has included these institutions:

2003-04

California State University, Sacramento
Fairleigh Dickinson University (NJ)
Fordham Schools of Business (NY)
Kalamazoo College (MI)
Kansas State University

2004-05

Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis
Juniata College (PA)
Pacific Lutheran University (WA)
Park University (MO)
St. Mary's University (TX)
University of South Florida
University of Wisconsin-Madison

2005-06

Boise State University (ID)
Northern Virginia Community College
Pace University (NY)
University of Denver

2006-07

Arcadia University (PA)
College of Charleston (SC)
New Mexico State University
Park University (MO)
University of Iowa

2007-08

Appalachian State University (NC)
City University of Seattle
Seton Hall University (NJ)
The State University of New York College at Cortland
University at Albany, State University of New York
University of Kentucky
University of Wisconsin-Stout
Western Kentucky University

2008-09

Central Connecticut State University
Pacific University (OR)
Purdue University (IN)
Saint Mary's College (IN)
Temple University (PA)
University of Colorado Boulder
Western Michigan University

2009-10

CETYS Universidad, Baja California (Mexico)
Drake University (IA)
Inter American University-Metropolitan Campus (PR)

Long Island University (NY)
Marshall University (WV)
Universidad del Este (PR)
University of Tulsa (OK)

2010-11

Case Western Reserve University (OH)
Richard Stockton College of New Jersey
Shepherd University (WV)
The University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Universidad del Turabo (PR)
University of Alaska Anchorage
University of the Pacific (CA)
Valparaiso University (IN)

2011-12

Fielding Graduate University (CA)
Georgia Gwinnett College
Monroe Community College (NY)
Montana State University
Universidad Metropolitana (PR)
University of Wisconsin-River Falls
University of Wyoming
Webster University (MO)

2012-13

Becker College (MA)
Grand Valley State University (MI)
Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis
Merrimack College (MA)
Samford University (AL)
Texas Christian University
University of Minnesota Duluth
Villanova University (PA)
Virginia Commonwealth University

2013-14

California State University, Dominguez Hills
Clemson University (SC)
Emerson College (MA)
Hawai'i, Leeward, and Windward Community Colleges (HI)
Lewis University (IL)
Orange Coast College (CA)
Sacred Heart University (CT)
The State University of New York College at

Geneseo

University of Alabama at Birmingham
University of Massachusetts Amherst
Western Washington University

2014-15

Dominican University (CA)
Eastern Washington University
Grinnell College (IA)
Holy Spirit University of Kaslik (Lebanon)
LIM College (NY)
New Jersey City University
Queens College CUNY (NY)
Salem State University (MA)
Southern University and A&M College (LA)
University of Hawai'i System and at West Oahu and Hilo
University of Maryland, College Park
University of Montana
University of North Dakota

2015-16

Brenau University (GA)
Bridgewater State University (MA)
California State University, Monterey Bay
Fort Hays State University (KS)
Hofstra University (NY)
Inter American University of Puerto Rico-Arecibo
Inter American University of Puerto Rico-San German
LaGuardia Community College of the City University of New York
McMurry University (TX)
Miami University (OH)
Northern Illinois University
Salisbury University (MD)
Syracuse University (NY)

2016-17

Central Michigan University
Inter American University of Puerto Rico-Barranquitas
Lehigh University (PA)
Loyola University Maryland
Missouri University of Science and Technology
Mount Saint Mary's University (CA)
Northeast Ohio Medical University
Old Dominion University (VA)
Southeast Missouri State University
Universidad Antonio Nariño (Colombia)
University of Nebraska Omaha

