

# Geneva Programme on Global Leadership: 2030 Development Agenda and Sustainable Future



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**Arrival:** Morning of Wednesday, 19th August, 2020

**Departure:** Thursday, 3rd September 2020

## Course Venue:

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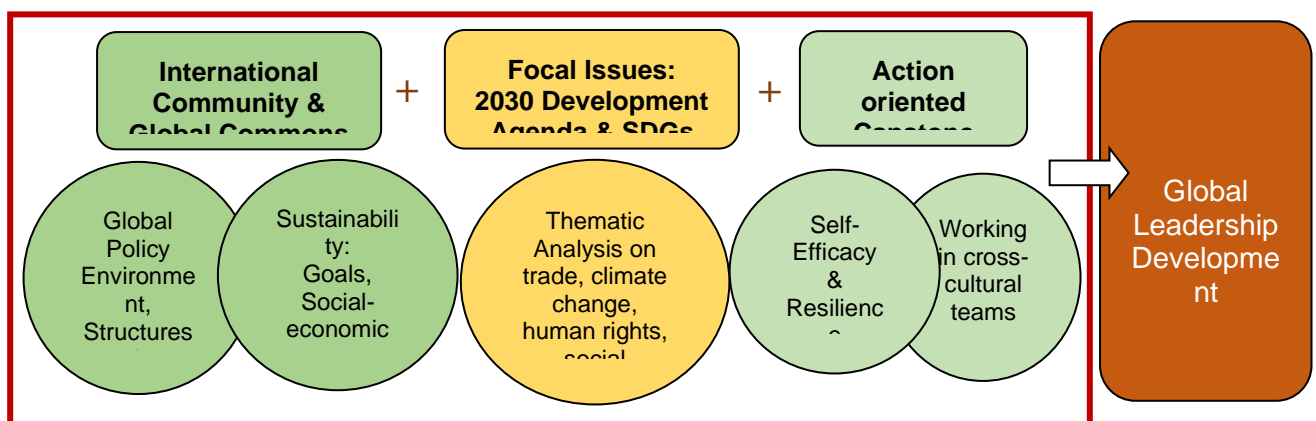
In partnerships with Nagoya University and National Chung Chang University, this Global Leadership programme in Geneva has been developed as an overseas component of their regular study programmes on campus.

## Programme Objectives

This Global Leadership programme aims to provide future young leaders with an in-depth briefing and exposure to the global governance structure and sustainable development debates. It is envisioned that such briefing and first-hand exposure will enable a more global perspective and strengthen global leadership quality. In addition, with this new mindset, insights would be gained regarding needed social innovations regarding products, services, processes and systems.

This learning programme will focus on a multistakeholder approach to promote ecosystem thinking and mind-set, and inclusive practices. In turn, a critical mind will be encouraged in facing new phenomena and changes.

## Programme Components



## Course Outline

### 1. Learning Objectives:

- a. To gain an overview of the international governance structure and the current policy deliberations on global sustainability
- b. To connect the current issues regarding trade, environment, human rights, social development and partnerships with the 2030 Development Agenda and explore innovative and sustainable solutions
- c. To understand the ecosystem and multi-stakeholder approach to governance of public affairs
- d. To acquire skills in policy analysis and leading diverse teams

### 2. Learning Methods:

- a. **Classroom based activities** - Lectures, discussions, case studies, simulation and dialogue sessions with experts from key international organisations and other actors of the international community in Geneva
- b. **Site Visits based activities** - Study visits to select international organisations and non-state actor organisations based in Geneva for a thematic discussion selected for each year
- c. **Capstone group research project** – Mixed research teams, dedicated mentor and team presentation at the end of the programme.

### 3. Working Language: English

### 4. Number of Participants: Max 30 per programme

### 5. Qualification Requirements for Participation:

- 5.1 English proficiency (Listening comprehension, speaking and reading)
- 5.2 Interest in global public affairs
- 5.3 Good academic standing
- 5.4 Adaptability and intellectual curiosity

### 6. Programme Components (10 study days in Geneva within a 15-day course duration)

#### Component 1 - Orientation & Culture Activities (Day 1 - 20/8/2020)

- ✓ Course introduction and team formation – Day 1 (Morning)
- ✓ Guided walking tour of historical Geneva (2-3 hours) – Day 1 (Afternoon)

#### Component 2 - Learning Modules (21/8 – 2/9/2020)

- ✓ **Transversal topic # 1:** 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development
- ✓ **Transversal topic # 2:** United Nations and International Organisations
- ✓ **Transversal topic # 3:** Stakeholder Participation and Engagement for Development
- ✓ **Transversal topic # 4:** Socio-Economics and Solidarity
- ✓ **Transversal topic # 5:** Policy Analysis and Solution Generation
- ✓ **Thematic topic # 1:** Trade and Development
- ✓ **Thematic topic # 2:** Decent Work and Labour Conventions

- ✓ **Thematic topic # 3:** Climate Change and Responsible Consumption
- ✓ **Thematic topic # 4:** Human Dignity and Inclusive Society
- ✓ **Thematic topics #5:** Partnerships for a fair world

**Component 3 - In-Situ Lectures and Visits** at the International Organisations – ILO, WTO, IOM, UNHCR, WMO, WBCSD WIPO, ITU etc. based on the GLP programme requirements and availability of the host organisations

#### **Component 4 - Capstone Team Project**

- ✓ **Research methodology** and project team sessions
- ✓ **Capstone Presentations**

#### **THEMATIC Areas of Student GLP Research**

subject to the final approval of the Focal Issues by the partnering institutions.

1. Trade for Green Energy Transformation
2. Decent Work for Poverty Reduction
3. Climate Change Adaptation & Food Security
4. Rights to Development and Social Inclusion for an ageing society
5. Partnership for Global Health Security

#### **Certification**

Upon successful completion of the course work and submission of the final group project report in PowerPoint format, the participants will be granted a GLP certificate issued by CSEND.

#### **CSEND Profile**

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