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## RESOURCE GUIDE FOR EDUCATORS

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The Global Resource Guide for educators is a listing of non-profit organizations, museums, university institutes, and funders that help K-12 teachers and students learn about and engage with the wider world.

Part one of this guide includes organizations that have a national or international reach. Part two is a state-by-state breakdown of local organizations that may offer specialized services to those nearby.

Many of the resources are free and available online, while some products may involve a small cost or fee for service.

Resource offerings change all the time. Please see the organizations' websites for the latest information and contact the organizations directly with your questions.

# National or International Programs

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **AFS**

<https://www.afsusa.org/>

AFS-USA honors the legacy of its founders—volunteer WWI and WWII American Field Service ambulance drivers—who emerged from the wars with a bold mission: to help prevent future conflict through educational and cross-cultural exchanges. More than 70 years later, the AFS Mission continues to respond to the needs of an increasingly complex world, offering programs abroad in more than 50 countries and hosting international students from more than 80 countries.

### **ASCD Globally Competent Learning Continuum**

<http://globallearning.ascd.org/lp/editions/global-continuum/home.html>

Globally Competent Learning Continuum (GCLC) is an online self-reflection tool that helps educators develop globally competent teaching practices. The GCLC provides 12 concrete globally competent teaching elements with descriptions of what each looks like at different levels of development. The GCLC also contains resources to help educators move along the continuum. The resources are geared for teachers of all grade levels and disciplines.

### **Asia Society**

<https://asiasociety.org>

The Center for Global Education at Asia Society brings together leaders and institutions from around the world to study and put into practice how to transform education systems for a rapidly changing world. Beyond research and collaborative partnerships, the Center for Global Education works directly with schools and districts to develop student global competence through instructional coaching, standards-aligned curriculum design, and student demonstrations of mastery.

### **Choices**

<http://www.choices.edu/>

The Choices program offers participatory learning units for students that address international and public policy issues. At the core of each unit is informed discourse and decision-making. The Choices Program offers curricula on current and historical international and public policy issues. In each unit, a central activity challenges students to consider multiple viewpoints on a contested issue. Students examine the historical, cultural, and political background of the issue to prepare a coherent presentation. Follow-up discussion demands analysis, and evaluation of conflicting values, interests, and priorities. Ultimately, students are expected to formulate persuasive arguments and express their own views.

Teachers can access professional development opportunities.

### **Consortium for Educational Resources on Islamic Studies**

<http://www.cerisnet.pitt.edu/>

The Consortium for Educational Resources on Islamic Studies foster understanding about Islamic Studies, which encompasses many languages, literatures, and disciplines, and extends from the seventh century to the present and across broad geographical areas of the world. It maintains an online, searchable database of educational resources, such as events, courses, and expertise, related to Islamic studies. See the curriculum resources section to access lesson plans for high school and peruse some of the college-level material, too.

### **Facing History and Ourselves**

<https://www.facinghistory.org/>

Facing History and Ourselves engage students of diverse backgrounds in an examination of racism, prejudice, and antisemitism in order to promote the development of a more humane and informed citizenry. It offers a broad collection of teaching resources searchable by keyword, topic, and material type.

### **Global Education Certificate**

<http://gloaledcertificate.org/>

Global Education Certificate is an online resource developed by Longview Foundation that outlines state, district, and school-based approaches to starting and growing global education diploma programs. Use the tools and see models nationwide.

### **Global Education Events**

<https://www.globaledevents.com/>

Global Education Events is a virtual organization that organizes online and in-person gatherings focused on global education. Their signature event is an annual online, around the clock gathering where educators from around the world get together to share ideas and materials.

### **Global Nomads Group**

<https://gng.org/>

Global Nomads Group connects the world's youth on topics that matter to them the most via videoconference and other technology. The nonprofit offers curriculum and professional development to help teachers build in real-world, real-time dialogue in their classroom. Global Nomads Group also designs short-term or semester-long technology-assisted exchange experiences that are appropriate for whole-school participation.

### **Hemispheres: The International Outreach Consortium**

<https://liberalarts.utexas.edu/hemispheres/>

Hemispheres is an international outreach consortium at the University of Texas at Austin. It offers a broad educational program to increase knowledge and understanding of Western Europe, Latin America, the Middle East, Russia, East Europe, and Eurasia, and South Asia. Using the resources of one of the nation's largest research institutions, Hemispheres' staff work with educators to increase learning about the world and to address critical gaps in learning. They are actively involved in content-based teacher training and development as well as standards-aligned curriculum development.

### **iEARN**

<http://us.iearn.org>

iEARN is a non-profit organization made up of over 30,000 schools and youth organizations in more than 140 countries. Their motto urges students to "learn with the world, not about it." iEARN uses common Internet applications to allow students and in all areas of the world to engaged in project-based learning. The projects span every subject area. iEARN offers professional development for educators, and a massive project catalogue for classrooms and youth groups.

### **Mapping the Nation**

<http://mappingthenation.net>

Mapping the Nation is an interactive map that pulls together demographic, economic, and education indicators—nearly one million data points—to show that the United States is a truly global nation. See the data in your area to help build a case for student global competence. Mapping the Nation was developed by Longview Foundation in partnership with SAS and Asia Society.

### **NCTA**

<http://nctasia.org/>

The National Consortium for Teaching About Asia taps expertise of some of America's leading universities to create teacher professional development workshops and curriculum material for K-12 classroom use. See their program database, which can be filtered by topic or location, to find what suits you.

### **Peace Jam**

<http://www.peacejam.org/>

PeaceJam is an international education program built around Nobel Peace Prize Laureates who work personally with youth to pass on the spirit, skills, and wisdom they embody. The goal of PeaceJam is to inspire a new generation of leaders who will transform themselves, their local communities, and the world. Units help students develop a sense of personal identity and leadership skills. Other units are topical, offering lessons in anti-bullying practices, juvenile justice, and more. Each unit includes student resources (including videos) and teaching material.

### **People to People**

<https://ptpi.org/>

People to People International (PTPI) offers educational, cultural, and humanitarian exchanges. Teachers and students alike take part in travel and the sharing of ideas and experiences alongside people of different countries and diverse cultures. In addition to international travel, PTPI also offers conferences and book studies.

### **Project Zero, Harvard University**

<http://www.pz.harvard.edu/>

A Harvard University-based research institute that examines inquiry's role in the realms of understanding, thinking, creativity, cross-disciplinary and cross-cultural thinking, and ethics. Project Zero publishes research and how-to guides on a variety of subjects, among them, Global and Cultural Understanding.

### **Pulitzer Center**

<http://pulitzercenter.org/education>

The Pulitzer Center builds global awareness by bringing together international journalism and education. Help your student understand pressing international issues by learning directly from Pulitzer-winning journalists and by taking on student reporting assignments. Educators can access lesson plans that use journalistic articles as source materials.

### **Teach SDGs**

<http://www.teachsdgs.org/>

Teach the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) offers free resources, lessons plans, and global projects that support the global sustainable development goals. Teach SDG also links educators online and through events.

### **Teaching Tolerance**

<https://www.tolerance.org/>

Teaching Tolerance is a free educator resource with extensive curriculum and teaching guides, podcasts, webinars, policy manuals, online publications, and classroom materials to encourage respect and appreciation of cultural diversity. Teaching Tolerance's Social Justice Standards help educators incorporate anti-bias education into lessons and programs through identity, diversity, justice, and action.

### **UNESCO Associated Schools Project Network**

<https://aspnet.unesco.org/en-us>

UNESCO's Associated Schools Project Network links schools throughout the world. Classrooms connect with partners around the world to carry out project-based work. All projects foster global understanding and collaboration. The website includes helpful tools, including a project catalogue, network directory, calendar, and more.

### **World Savvy**

<http://www.worldsavvy.org/>

World Savvy partners with educators, schools, and districts to integrate global competence teaching and learning into classrooms for all K-12 students. World Savvy provides a range of high-quality, targeted programs and services including the Global Competence Certificate Program. See [globalcompetencecertificate.org](http://globalcompetencecertificate.org) for more information.

### **Worlds of Words**

<https://wowlit.org/>

Worlds of Words builds bridges across global cultures through children's and adolescent literature. They offer three online journals that explain strategies and share resources for integrating global books into classrooms. They also offer a searchable database of global literature, a weekly blog on global issues, and annual reading lists of recommended global books for K-12.

### **World's Largest Lesson**

<http://worldslargestlesson.globalgoals.org/>

World's Largest Lesson offers free and creative resources for educators to teach lessons, run projects and stimulate action in support of the UN's The Global Goals for Sustainable Development.

## Alabama

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Alabama World Affairs Council**

<https://alwac.org>

Alabama World Affairs Council (AWAC) is a nonprofit organization that sponsors lectures and programs on current and recent events of national and international interest. Through these programs, which take place in Montgomery, AWAC aims to promote public awareness and understanding of international affairs as they relate to U.S. interests in the context of political, economic, cultural, historical, and military issues. AWAC leadership states that the organization works to



foster a democratic society through increasing individual knowledge of world affairs.

### **Birmingham International Center**

<http://www.tic-al.org/>

The International Center (TIC) is the nation's oldest cultural education organization. Since 1951, TIC has grown into a resource for international business-education needs, including intercultural training, heritage and arts programming. TIC is a connection to global opportunity, leadership, and social competency. The Center offers in-school speakers and programs, as well as teacher professional development events.

## Alaska

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Alaska World Affairs Council**

<https://www.alaskaworldaffairs.org/>

The Alaska World Affairs Council focuses on public education. In the K-12 realm, there's an annual Academic WorldQuest Student Competition where students from across Alaska may compete on their knowledge about the world. The Alaska World Affairs Council also sends experts to classrooms to help students take a deep dive into international topics and events.

## Arizona

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Center for Educational Resources in Culture, Language and Literacy, University of Arizona**

<https://cercll.arizona.edu/>

CERCLL is a Language Resource Center that offers professional development for the meaningful integration of culture and literacy into world language teaching and learning. A wide range of resources,

workshops, and on-line communities are available for K-12 educators aimed at developing language capacity in the U.S..

**Center for Latin American Studies, University of Arizona**

<https://las.arizona.edu/educational-resources>

The Center for Latin American Studies' outreach mission is to provide professional development, informational and instructional resources on Latin America to K-16 educators. The center offers curriculum units, videos and books, workshops, and guest speakers for educators.

**Center for Middle Eastern Studies, The University of Arizona**

<https://cmes.arizona.edu/>

The Center supports understandings of Middle Eastern languages and cultures through workshops for K-12 educators and educational tours to the Middle East. Information and resources to facilitate learning about the region and its people are available on its listservs, lending library, lesson plan resources, and workshops.

**Worlds of Words: Center of Global Literacies and Literatures, University of Arizona**

<https://wowlit.org>

In addition to the many resources available on the website focused on building bridges across cultures through global children's and adolescent literature, the center itself is open to the public. The center includes a large global collection of literature, special collections of Indigenous books and books from world languages, along with original illustrations and exhibitions of books and art. Regular workshops and author events are offered for K-12.

# Arkansas

# California

RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

**Asian Art Museum of San Francisco**

<http://education.asianart.org/>

Videos, backgrounders, and digitized art. The Asian Art Museum of San Francisco offers over a thousand resources for teachers to use anytime, anywhere. The topics range from ancient history to contemporary society, and stretches the expanse of the Eurasian continent. Check it out.

**California Global Education Project**

<http://www.cispisglobal.org>

The California Global Education Project (CGEP) inspires and supports educators to develop global competence and active citizenship among PK-12 students. CGEP provides on-going professional development designed by university faculty, teacher leaders, and teacher practitioners to bolster instructional practices and lead to increased achievement for all students.

**Center for Latin American Studies**

<https://clas.berkeley.edu/>

University of California at Berkeley's Center for Latin American Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

**Center for Near Eastern Studies**

<http://www.international.ucla.edu/cnes/home>

University of California at Los Angeles's Center for Near Eastern Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

**Center for Southeast Asia Studies**

<http://ieas.berkeley.edu/cseas/>

University of California at Berkeley's Center for Southeast Asian Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Southeast Asia's nations, cultures, and current affairs.

**East Asian Studies Center**

<http://dornsife.usc.edu/eascenter/>

University of Southern California's East Asian Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about East Asian nations, cultures, and current affairs.

### **Institute for South Asia Studies**

<https://southasia.berkeley.edu/>

University of California at Berkeley's Institute for South Asia Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the Indian subcontinent.

### **Institute of European Studies**

<https://ies.berkeley.edu/>

University of California at Berkeley's Institute of European Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about European history, people, cultures, and current affairs.

### **Los Angeles World Affairs Council**

<http://www.lawac.org/>

The Los Angeles World Affairs Council does not have a formal school program. Rather, they invite students to be special participants at their events, offering students opportunities to meet speakers and ask questions. Furthermore, LAWAC has set up a special scholarship fund for members to donate so that students may attend the event without cost.

### **Pacific Century Institute**

<https://www.pacificcenturyinst.org/>

The Pacific Century Institute runs an international youth leadership program called Project Bridge. Each year, over a dozen public school students in Los Angeles and New York are selected to travel to Korea for an immersive cultural experience.

### **SPICE**

<https://spice.fsi.stanford.edu/>

Stanford Program on International and Cross-Cultural Education (SPICE) produces multidisciplinary curricular materials on

international topics, conducts teacher professional development seminars, and offers distance-learning courses.

### **World Affairs Council of Northern California (Bay Area)**

<http://www.worldaffairs.org>

The World Affairs Council convenes thought leaders, change makers, and engaged citizens to share ideas, learn from each other, and effect change. The Council has an active outreach program to schools who are under resourced. All students may participate in a student-led simulation of international events.

### **World Affairs Council of Orange County**

<http://worldaffairscouncil.org/education/>

The World Affairs Council of Orange County's mission is to educate and inform its members and community citizens on important and critical issues concerning world affairs.

## Colorado

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Center for Asian Studies**

<http://www.colorado.edu/cas>

University of Colorado's Center for Asian Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Asia .

#### **Colorado Springs World Affairs Council**

<https://csworldaffairs.org/>

Colorado Springs World Affairs Council's mission is to create and sustain study, discussion, and public participation in international relations—in essence, non-partisan, grassroots education on world affairs. They work to help prepare the rising generation to be more informed citizens of a global power and more effective participants in a global marketplace. They organize an annual all-day symposium for area high school students and teachers will examine the role of media

in understanding news about foreign affairs. They also host a local WorldQuest competition for high school students.

# Connecticut

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Council on East Asian Studies**

<https://ceas.yale.edu/>

Yale University's Council on East Asian Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about East Asian nations, peoples, cultures, and current affairs.

### **Council on Middle East Studies**

<https://cmes.macmillan.yale.edu/>

Yale University's Council on Middle East Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Middle Eastern nations, peoples, cultures, and current affairs.

### **International Education Resources in Connecticut (IERC)**

<https://www.ierconn.net>

International Education Resources in Connecticut (IERC) provides information about the resources and opportunities that help internationalize participating Connecticut institutions. They collect and disseminate data pertaining to study abroad opportunities, international students, faculty international expertise, international campus events, and comparative statistics.

### **World Affairs Council of Connecticut**

<https://www.ctwac.org>

World Affairs Council of Connecticut hosts programs and discussions on critical international issues that impact the local community and the world at large. The Council also works with Connecticut schools to provide programs for students and educators that increase awareness of our world and the challenges facing us as global citizens.

# District of Columbia

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Center for Eurasian, Russian, and East European Studies**

<https://ceres.georgetown.edu/>

Georgetown University's Center for Eurasian, Russian, and European Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Eurasian nations.

### **Freer-Sackler**

<https://www.freersackler.si.edu/>

The Freer Sackler Gallery is a Smithsonian Institution museum focused on the arts and culture of Asia. Its collections span from Iran to Japan. It hosts in-gallery teacher workshops, offers arts-based curricula, and a bevy of online resources that look at histories and traditions behind the art.

### **World Affairs Council of Washington, DC**

<https://www.worldaffairsdc.org/>

The World Affairs Council of Washington DC's mission is to provide programs to educate, enlighten, and empower students, educators, and the public about international affairs. The DC affiliate offers teacher professional development institutes and workshops, exchange programs, and guest speakers for the classroom. It also runs youth programs, including a Youth Forum, a WorldQuest competition, as well as a Youth Ambassador program that involves sending teens to Costa Rica for a cultural immersion travel experience.

### **U.S. Institute of Peace**

<https://www.usip.org/education-training>

Grounded in the U.S. Institute of Peace's original mandate from Congress, the institute offers classroom toolkits about how to resolve international conflict and build peace. It also offers teacher professional development events, as well as a Peace Day Challenge for students.

# Florida

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Center for African Studies**

<https://africa.ufl.edu/>

University of Florida's Center for African Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Africa.

### **Center for Latin American Studies**

<http://www.latam.ufl.edu/>

University of Florida's Center for Latin American Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

### **World Affairs Council of Jacksonville**

<https://www.worldaffairsCounciljax.org/>

The World Affairs Council of Jacksonville works to promote an understanding of world affairs by sponsoring public programs for all ages, fostering discussion of international issues, and providing a venue for people to meet others with similar interests. It has a range of educational programming: a WorldQuest competition for students as well as a Great Decisions forum designed for students. It also offers teacher workshops, travel opportunities, as well as tailored lesson plans.

# Georgia

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Focal Point Global**

<http://www.focalpointglobal.org>



Focal Point Global (FPG) connects youth (ages 12-19) from different countries using educational technology programming to discuss and learn about a global issue facing their communities.

## Hawaii

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Center for Pacific Islands Study**

<http://www.hawaii.edu/cpis/>

University of Hawaii's Center for Pacific Island Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about culture and current affairs in the Pacific Islands.

#### **East-West Center**

<https://www.eastwestcenter.org/professional-development>

The East-West Center's teacher programming focuses on workshops, institutes, and exchange programs in or about the Asia Pacific region. It covers a wide range of topics, from history to social justice to the arts.

## Idaho

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Idaho Humanities Council**

<http://www.idahohumanities.org>

Idaho Humanities Council offers programs, grant opportunities, and resources that promote greater public awareness, appreciation, and understanding of global literature, history, philosophy, jurisprudence, and other humanities disciplines. The Council offers classroom resources, curriculum, teacher professional development, and teacher grants.

# Illinois

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Art Institute of Chicago**

<http://www.artic.edu/>

The Art Institute of Chicago offers teacher workshops and institutes, and a resource center that helps educators use artworks as primary sources in classrooms. The Art Institute has an impressive collection of art from different areas of the world, as well as traveling exhibitions.

### **Center for Global Studies**

<http://www.cgs.uiuc.edu/>

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign's Center for Global Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about international affairs and world cultures.

### **Center for Latin American Studies**

<https://clas.uchicago.edu/page/public-engagement>

University of Chicago's Center for Latin American Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

### **Center for South Asian and Middle Eastern Studies**

<http://www.csames.illinois.edu/>

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign's Center for South Asian and Middle Eastern Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the Middle East and Indian subcontinent.

### **Chicago Council on Global Affairs**

<https://www.thechicagocouncil.org/>

The Chicago Council on Global Affairs convenes leading voices, conducts independent research, and engages the public to explore ideas that will shape the global future. The Council runs the Koldyke Global Teachers Program, which offers a grant to teachers along with in-depth immersion in global affairs through Council programming.

### **European Union Center**

<http://europe.illinois.edu/>

University of Illinois at Urbana Champaigns European Union Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the EU.

### **Southern Asia at Chicago**

<http://southasia.uchicago.edu/>

The Southern Asia Center at The University of Chicago is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about South Asia's history, people, cultures, and current affairs.

### **The Center for East European and Russian/Eurasian Studies**

<https://ceeres.uchicago.edu/>

University of Chicago's Center for East European and Russian/Eurasian Studies is a federally funded institution whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the broad world region.

### **Illinois Global Scholar**

<https://global-illinois.org/>

Allows Illinois school districts to award merit, on the state approved transcript to students who demonstrate global competence through coursework, service learning, global collaboration, and a summative capstone project.

### **International Educators of Illinois**

<http://ieillinois.org/iei/>

Promotes and supports the professional development of individuals in the field of international education through collaboration, workshops, conferences, and leadership opportunities within the state of Illinois. IEI is committed to providing resources and advancing the work of international education and also serves as a liaison to NAFSA Reg. V.

### **International Business of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce**

<https://www.ilchamber.org/councils/international-business/>

Focuses on building strategic partnerships to maximize the resources of the Illinois Chamber's members to expand in foreign markets and

foster trade and investment in Illinois. The Council's outreach includes a high worth global network of diplomatic missions, foreign government agencies and business organizations.

### **Illinois International Film Festival**

<https://filmfreeway.com/IllinoisInternationalFilmFestival>

Celebrates the art and entertainment of film in all its forms.

### **International Trade Association of Greater Chicago**

<http://www.itagc.org/>

Provides a forum for the exchange of up-to-date and practical information on the trends and tools of the ever-changing global market place.

### **Holocaust Museum**

[ilholocaustmuseum.org](http://ilholocaustmuseum.org)

The Museum preserves the legacy of the Holocaust by honoring the memories of those who were lost and by teaching universal lessons that combat hatred, prejudice and indifference. The Museum fulfills its mission through the exhibition, preservation and interpretation of its collections and through education programs and initiatives that foster the promotion of human rights and the elimination of genocide.

### **Field Museum**

[meteorites.fieldmuseum.org](http://meteorites.fieldmuseum.org)

Travel from ancient civilizations through modern times, viewing remnants of bygone cultures and traditions at The Field Museum. The museum collections include biodiversity, gems, meteorites, fossils, and rich anthropological cultural artifacts from around the globe. The museum's library contains books, journals, and photo archives focused on biological systematics, evolutionary biology, geology, archaeology, ethnology and material culture.

## Indiana

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Center for African Studies**

<http://www.afrst.illinois.edu/>

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign's Center for African Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Africa.

### **Center for the Study of Global Change**

<http://www.indiana.edu/~global/>

Indiana University's Center for the Study of Global is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the changing world.

### **Indiana Council on World Affairs**

<https://www.indianaworld.org/>

Indiana Council on World Affairs offers public programs with distinguished speakers representing a wide range of expertise. The Council also hosts an annual student knowledge competition known as WorldQuest. Students are encouraged to form teams and compete with others in the area for a chance to advance to regional and national WorldQuest competitions.

### **Institute for European Studies**

<https://euro.indiana.edu/>

Indiana University's Institute for European Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Europe.

## Kansas

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Center for East Asian Studies**

<http://ceas.ku.edu/>

University of Kansas's Center for East Asian Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and

teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Asia.

### **Kansas African Studies Center**

<https://kasc.ku.edu/>

University of Kansas's African Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about African nations, people, history, and current affairs.

## Kentucky

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Asia Institute Crane House**

<http://www.cranehouse.org/home>

Asia Institute – Crane House (AICH) celebrates and brings to life the cultural diversity of Asia to Kentucky and southern Indiana. AICH provides educational and cultural programs for teachers, including exhibitions and classes.

#### **World Trade Center Kentucky**

<http://www.wtcky.org/pages/international-education-center>

International Education Center works to develop a highly qualified and globally competitive workforce. The International Education Center works with everyone from students to manufacturing companies to educate and bolster capacity to increase international trade. See their educational programming and certificate programs.

#### **World Affairs Council of Kentucky & Southern Indiana**

[www.worldkentucky.org](http://www.worldkentucky.org)

The World Affairs Council of Kentucky & Southern Indiana (WAC) promotes cross-cultural awareness, education, and tolerance through nonpartisan discussions on current international issues. It features speaker series as well as programming for students and educators alike.

# Louisiana

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **World Affairs Council of New Orleans**

<http://wacno.org/>

The New Orleans World Affairs Council offers the WorldQuest competition for high school students, and can arrange guest speakers for classrooms.

# Maine

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **World Affairs Council of Maine**

<http://www.wacmaine.org>

World Affairs Council of Maine connects the citizens of Maine and the world by offering public programming about world affairs. Twice a year, the Council offers a series of eight discussions the focuses on the current Great Decisions publication (from the Foreign Policy Association). The Council also hosts a student WorldQuest trivia competition.

### **Center for Global Humanities at the University of New England**

<https://www.une.edu/cgh>

Center for Global Humanities offers lectures by leading scholars to help locals better understand global challenges outline new solutions for nations and peoples to live together without prejudice. Global in perspective, the Center's lectures are streamed live on the Internet, allowing our speakers to answer questions from anywhere.

# Maryland

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **World Trade Center Institute**

<http://www.wtci.org/gps/>

Global Pathways for Students helps college students (including pre-service teachers) in the greater Baltimore area enhance their readiness for a career in international business through a series of workshops and meetings with Maryland's top international companies.

### **ICONS**

<https://www.icons.umd.edu/education/catalog>

The ICONS project provides interactive role-play adventures for students based on real-world international events. The simulations, backed by research, are shown to deepen students' engagement with world events and deepen international knowledge and skills.

## Massachusetts

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Asia Center**

<https://asiacenter.harvard.edu/>

Harvard University's Asia Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Asia.

#### **Center for Middle Eastern Studies**

<https://cmes.fas.harvard.edu/>

Harvard University's Center for Middle Eastern Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

#### **China Exchange Initiative**

<http://chinaexchange.org>

China Exchange Initiative (CEI) was launched in 1999 to facilitate educational exchange between the United States and China. It was established by two American educators: Charlotte Mason and Carolyn Henderson who were then co-chairs of the Newton-Beijing Jingshan Student Exchange Program, the oldest high school student exchange program in the US. Contact the Exchange to learn how to start and manage a US-China educational exchange program.



### **Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies**

<https://daviscenter.fas.harvard.edu/>

Harvard University's Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies is a partially federally funded institution whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

### **Primary Source**

<https://www.primarysource.org/>

Primary Source offers districts, schools, and teachers professional development courses and resources to ensure global education is an integral part of a student's education. Primary Source offers in-person and online teacher development programs, as well as curriculum resources, and teacher travel programs.

### **The World Affairs Council of Western Massachusetts**

<https://worldaffairscouncil.com/>

The World Affairs Council of Western Massachusetts helps create "world-wise citizens" by to promoting academic exchanges of students and teachers. Students may join the Council for free, and teachers can join for \$30. In addition to public programming, the Council organizes regular exchanges through sister-city partnerships.

### **World Boston**

<https://www.worldboston.org>

WorldBoston fosters engagement in international affairs and cooperation with peoples of all nations. Through public programming and community events, every year WorldBoston provides people from all over the world hundreds of opportunities for learning and connection. For educators and students, take part in the Great Discussions events and participate in a student WorldQuest trivia contest.

## Michigan

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **African Studies Center**

<http://africa.isp.msu.edu/>

Michigan State University's African Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Africa.

### **Center for Advanced Study of International Development**

<http://www.casid.msu.edu/>

Michigan State University's Center for Advanced Study of International Development is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about emerging world regions.

### **Center for Middle Eastern and North African Studies**

<https://www.i.umich.edu/cmenas/>

University of Michigan's Center for Middle Eastern and North African Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

### **Center for Southeast Asian Studies**

<https://www.i.umich.edu/cseas>

University of Michigan's Center for Southeast Asian Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Southeast Asia's nations, cultures, and current affairs.

### **South Asian Studies**

<https://www.i.umich.edu/csas/>

University of Michigan's Southeast Asia Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Southeast Asian nations, their people, cultures, and current affairs.

### **University of Michigan International Institute**

<https://www.i.umich.edu>

Established within the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts in 1993, the University of Michigan International Institute stimulates

research and teaching on critical areas of the world and on international issues that cut across world regions and disciplines.

### **World Affairs Council of Western Michigan**

[www.worldmichigan.org](http://www.worldmichigan.org)

The World Affairs Council is dedicated to educating people in western Michigan about other countries, cultures and regions of the world, as well as providing a forum for discussion of critical foreign policy issues facing this country. The Council is best known for its sponsorship of its award-winning Great Decisions Global Discussion Series, running since the early 1960's. The discussion series is used by local colleges and universities as a credit course (typically through the political science department); and also attended by Council members and the general public.

## Minnesota

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Concordia Languages Village**

<http://www.concordialanguagevillages.org/>

Concordia is one of America's premiere language training schools. It provides day camps for children, credited courses for youth, and as well as educator professional development programs.

#### **Consortium for the Study of the Asias**

<http://asias.umn.edu/>

University of Minnesota's Consortium for the Study of Asia is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Asia, its nations, peoples, cultures, and current affairs.

#### **Global Minnesota**

<https://www.globalminnesota.org/>

Global Minnesota, a World Affairs Council, offers extensive programming for elementary as well as secondary school students.

From field trips, to community volunteer programming, to cultural lessons and frameworks, Global Minnesota's education team works with educators to design ways to help students become world wise. Furthermore, high school students have opportunities to compete in an annual WorldQuest competition, and can take part in discussions about turning events in world affairs.

## Missouri

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **International Relations Council**

<https://www.irckc.org/>

The International Relations Council is a local World Affairs Council that works with educators and students on a wide range of programs. It provides teaching and learning resources—from videos to lesson plans and more—on a wide range of global topics. It also organizes an annual college and career fair for high school students. The organization puts on public programs on international affairs, and also works to connect educational institutions to local and global resources.

#### **World Affairs Council of St. Louis**

<https://wacstl.org/about/>

Founded in 1948, the World Affairs Council of St. Louis connects the citizens of the Gateway region to the world. The Council's mission is to sponsor programs that promote understanding, engagement, relationships, and leadership in World Affairs; they accomplish it through a speakers series for the public as well as through cultural events.

## Montana

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **World Montana**

<https://worldmontana.org/>

World Montana is a cultural exchange organization that brings approximately 150 international leaders to Montana each year.

### **Montana World Affairs Council**

<https://www.montanaworldaffairs.org/>

Montana World Affairs fosters global understanding and awareness in Montana's communities and classrooms. It has a regular radio program that delves into international affairs, along with live public programming at its offices. The Council offers distance learning programming to schools through videoconferencing.

## Nebraska

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Malaika Foundation**

<http://www.malaikafoundation.org/>

Malaika Foundation helps Nebraska youth build a greater understanding of peoples and countries throughout the world. The Foundation offers teacher professional development, fellowships, and study abroad scholarships.

#### **Nebraska Youth Institute, World Food Prize**

[https://www.worldfoodprize.org/en/youth\\_programs/global\\_youth\\_institute/nebraska](https://www.worldfoodprize.org/en/youth_programs/global_youth_institute/nebraska)

A program of the University of Nebraska lets high school students engage with local leaders and experts on critical global challenges, participate in hands-on activities, and explore exciting ways to make a difference in Nebraska and around the world. Youth submit an essay about a world issue and compete for a chance to win a \$500 scholarship.

## Nevada

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Northern Nevada International Center**

<https://www.nnic.org/>

The Northern Nevada International Center fosters citizen diplomacy through international exchange, community and educational outreach, and refugee resettlement projects. Contact the Center to host visiting delegations in homes and workplaces.

## New Hampshire

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **World Affairs Council of New Hampshire**

<https://wacnh.org/>

The World Affairs Council of New Hampshire offers professional development for teachers, classroom enrichment opportunities for schools, as well as the WorldQuest competition for students.

## New Mexico

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Latin American and Iberian Institute**

<https://laih.unm.edu/>

University of New Mexico's Latin American and Iberian Institute is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Iberian and Latin American history, peoples, cultures, and affairs.

### **The World Affairs Council of Albuquerque**

<https://wacabq.org/>

The World Affairs Council of Albuquerque offers high school student fellowships so local high schoolers may participate in Council programs and bring knowledge back to their classrooms.

### **Museum of International Folk Art**

<http://www.moifa.org>

This museum contains examples of folk and traditional arts from around the world, based on the belief that “the art of the craftsman is a bond between the peoples of the world.”

## Nevada

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **World Affairs Council Las Vegas**

<https://waclv.org/>

The World Affairs Council Las Vegas offers two types of international exchange scholarships for high school students. The first is the National Security Language Initiative for Youth, which is an in-country language immersion experience for students interested in one of seven critical foreign languages. The second is the American Youth Leadership Program, which offers travel scholarships for American students to engage in dialogue, leadership development, or service learning opportunities abroad.

## New York

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Center for European and Mediterranean Studies**

<https://as.nyu.edu/cems.html>

New York University's Center for European and Mediterranean Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Europe and the Mediterranean regions.

#### **China Institute**

<https://chinainstitute.org>

China Institute provides in-school workshops as well as gallery talks for students and teachers alike. Educators may sign up for workshops or download curriculum guides that are mostly focused on Chinese history.

### **East Asian Studies**

<http://as.cornell.edu/east-asian-studies-minor>

Cornell University's East Asian Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about East Asian nations, cultures, and current affairs.

### **European Institute**

<http://europe.columbia.edu/>

Columbia University's European Institute is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Europe.

### **Global Nomads Group**

<https://gng.org/>

Global Nomads Group connects the world's youth on topics that matter to them the most via videoconference and other technology. The nonprofit offers curriculum and professional development to help teachers build in real-world, real-time dialogue in their classroom. Global Nomads Group also designs short-term or semester-long technology-assisted exchange experiences that are appropriate for whole-school participation.

### **Hagop Kevordian Center for Near Eastern Studies**

<https://as.nyu.edu/neareaststudies.html>

New York University's Hagop Kevordian Center for Near Eastern Studies is a partially federally funded institution whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the Middle East.

### **International Institute of Buffalo**

<https://iibuffalo.org/>

Elementary classrooms can take part in the International Institute's GlobalKids program, which offers dance, music, arts, and storytelling. Older students can take part in Model United Nations simulations, WorldQuest knowledge competition, or "Great Decision" world affairs



simulations.

### **Jewish Museum**

<https://thejewishmuseum.org/>

The Jewish Museum's collection and exhibitions are global in scope. And they offer a wide range of educational programming. Schools may request in-school exhibitions, film screenings, or customized workshops. The museum will work in partnership with schools to design a standards-aligned program. Teachers can take part in workshops, download teaching guides, and get help with curriculum development.

### **Metropolitan Museum of Art**

<https://www.metmuseum.org/>

The Met Museum has few peers in the world when it comes to world-class art from nearly every corner of earth. Its impressive Timeline of Art History can draw even the greatest historians in for deeper exploration. Teachers can choose from a host of workshops and institutes that are about art, but delve deeply to explore the peoples, places, and cultures that give rise to the art. It offers over a dozen curriculum plans with full-color imagery free of charge for New York City teachers. The curricula can also be checked out from the library, or purchased through the online store.

### **Russian, Eurasian, and East European Studies**

<http://harriman.columbia.edu/>

Columbia University's Russian, Eurasian, and East European Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the world region.

### **South Asia Institute**

<http://sai.columbia.edu/south-asia-institute-columbia-university>

Columbia University's South Asia Institute is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the Indian subcontinent.

### **Southeast Asia Program**

<https://seap.einaudi.cornell.edu/>

Cornell University's Southeast Asia Program is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching

about Southeast Asian nations, their people, cultures, and current affairs.

### **UNESCO Associated Schools Project Network**

<https://aspnet.unesco.org/en-us>

UNESCO's Associated Schools Project Network links schools throughout the world. Classrooms connect with partners around the world to carry out project-based work. All projects foster global understanding and collaboration. The website includes helpful tools, including a project catalogue, network directory, calendar, and more.

### **World Affairs Council of the Mid-Hudson Valley**

<http://www.hvworldaffairscouncil.org/>

The World Affairs Council of the Mid-Hudson Valley offers high school students a number of opportunities, including their Summer Scholars, which sends students for a two-week intensive course at Vassar College; a Student World Affairs Conference; and the WorldQuest knowledge competition. Educators should keep their eyes on the webpage for periodic teacher programs.

## North Carolina

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **African Studies Center**

<http://africa.unc.edu/>

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill's African Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Africa.

#### **Center for European Studies**

<http://esc.umn.edu/>

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill's Center for European Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Europe.

### **Center for International Studies (DUCIS)**

<http://ducis.jhfc.duke.edu/>

Duke University's Center for International Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about international affairs and world cultures.

### **Center for Slavic, Eurasian, and East European Studies**

<http://cseees.unc.edu/>

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill's Center for Slavic, Eurasian, and East European Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

### **Go Global NC**

<http://goglobalnc.org/>

Since 1979, Go Global North Carolina has been delivering global leadership programs and trainings. Among their many activities, the organization facilitates Chinese language and culture learning in North Carolina schools through guest teacher programs and teacher exchanges. It also helps teachers travel abroad for immersive experiences and develop curriculum materials following their travels.

### **Institute for the Study of the Americas**

<http://isa.unc.edu/>

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill's Institute for the Study of the Americas is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the nations and peoples of North and South America.

### **North Carolina Association of International Educators (NCAIE)**

<http://ncaie.org/>

A professional organization of over 600 administrators, educators, and community volunteers, NCAIE promotes international education through workshops, study abroad opportunities, conferences, scholarships, and awards.

### **World View**

<https://worldview.unc.edu/>

World View equips K-12 and community college educators with global knowledge, best practices and resources to prepare students to engage in our interconnected and diverse world. It provides global professional development for educators since 1998.

## Ohio

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Asian Studies Center**

<https://www.ohio.edu/global/cis/asian/>

Ohio University's Asian Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Asia.

#### **Cleveland Council on World Affairs**

<http://www.ccwa.org/>

Join Cleveland Council on World Affairs for their annual Model United Nations program.

#### **Columbus World Affairs Council**

<https://columbusworldaffairs.org/>

The Global Scholars Diploma program is a high-school level honors that is based in experiential learning. It prepares students to inquire, compete, and collaborate globally as future leaders, professionals, and citizens of the world.

#### **Middle Eastern Studies Center**

<https://mesc.osu.edu/>

Ohio State's Middle East Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Middle Eastern nations, cultures, and current affairs.

## Oregon

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

**World Oregon**

[www.worldoregon.org](http://www.worldoregon.org)

Broaden and deepen public awareness and understanding of international affairs.

**Lessons from Abroad**

<https://www.lessonsfromabroad.org/>

Lessons From Abroad, Inc. is an organization consisting of like-minded higher education professionals who aim to assist in the re-entry process individuals experience when coming back to the US from abroad, especially those who have pursued educational sojourns.

# Pennsylvania

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

**Asian Studies Center**

<http://www.ucis.pitt.edu/asc/>

University of Pittsburgh's Asian Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Asia.

**Center for East Asian Studies**

<https://ceas.sas.upenn.edu/>

University of Pennsylvania's Center for East Asian Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Asia.

**Center for Latin American Studies**

<https://www.ucis.pitt.edu/clas/>

University of Pittsburgh's Center for Latin American Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

### **Consortium for Educational Resources on Islamic Studies**

<http://www.cerisnet.pitt.edu/>

The Consortium for Educational Resources on Islamic Studies foster understanding about Islamic Studies, which encompasses many languages, literatures, and disciplines, and extends from the seventh century to the present and across broad geographical areas of the world. It maintains an online, searchable database of educational resources, such as events, courses, and expertise, related to Islamic studies. See the curriculum resources section to access lesson plans for high school and peruse some of the college-level material, too.

### **Global Education Motivators (GEM) Resources**

<http://www.gem-ngo.org/Distance-Learning.html>

GEM is an UN-affiliated non-governmental organization that was created by teachers for teachers. It is a massive catalogue of resources, curricula, teacher professional development opportunities, school-to-school exchange opportunities, and more.

### **Pennsylvania Council for International Education (PACIE)**

<http://pacie.org/>

PACIE was established in 1969 by a group of Pennsylvania colleges and universities in order to advocate for international education. PACIE meets its mission by providing professional development and networking opportunities to K-16 educators, administrators, and students.

### **South Asia Studies**

<https://www.southasia.upenn.edu/>

University of Pennsylvania's South Asia Studies Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about the Indian subcontinent.

### **World Affairs Council of Philadelphia**

<https://www.wacphila.org/>

The World Affairs Council of Philadelphia offers middle and high school programs, from a Junior United Nations to a special global education diploma for high school seniors. Teachers should check-out

their professional development schedule, as well as the resource library.

### **World Affairs Council of Pittsburgh**

<https://www.worldpittsburgh.org/>

The Global Leadership Certificate is designed to increase student knowledge and involvement in international affairs, while providing a means for them to hone their leadership and community engagement skills. The World Affairs Council of Pittsburgh also offers various professional development opportunities for teachers.

## Rhode Island

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies**

<http://watson.brown.edu/clacs/>

Brown University's Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

# South Carolina

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **World Affairs Council of Hilton Head**

<https://wachh.org/>

The World Affairs Council of Hilton Head operates an annual Model United Nations event for high school students.

### **World Affairs Council of Charleston**

<https://waccharleston.org/>

The Charleston World Affairs Council seeks to inform and attract participants of all ages to its public programs on international affairs. Through thought-provoking presentations and discussions, participants are challenged to foster their understanding of the world.

### **Columbia World Affairs Council**

<https://www.columbiaworldaffairs.org/>

The Columbia World Affairs Council runs programs that increase public awareness of international activities in the Midlands of South Carolina. It organizes meet-ups, conversation groups, sister city exchanges, and a WorldQuest competition for high school students.

# South Dakota

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **South Dakota World Affairs Council**

<http://southdakotaworldaffairscouncil.org/>

South Dakota World Affairs Council, based in Brookings, works exclusively on educational programs to provide information and learning opportunities about world affairs to the people of South Dakota and the region. See their events calendar for international affairs programming.



# Tennessee

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Center for Latin American Studies**

<https://as.vanderbilt.edu/clas/>

Vanderbilt University's Center for Latin American Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

# Texas

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **Center for Middle Eastern Studies, University of Texas, Austin**

<https://liberalarts.utexas.edu/mes/center/>

The Outreach Program brings the resources of the Center to schools and the community through a variety of avenues, including a multi-media resource lending library, through which materials are loaned free of charge to users nationwide; development of K-12 curriculum materials; workshops for educators both on campus and on-site around the state of Texas; and educational study tours to the Middle East for K-12 educators.

### **Global Austin**

[www.globalaustin.org](http://www.globalaustin.org)

Global Austin hosts thousands of international visitors to forge relationships that build interest in the economy, architecture, environment, city government, technology, and entrepreneurial, innovative culture. In a single year, we host hundreds of leaders and professionals from dozens of countries through our Global Ties network. Connect with Global Austin to see how the organization can dovetail with your educational projects.

### **Hemispheres: The International Outreach Consortium**

<https://liberalarts.utexas.edu/hemispheres/>

Hemispheres is an international outreach consortium at the University of Texas at Austin. It offers a broad educational program to increase knowledge and understanding of Western Europe, Latin America, the Middle East, Russia, East Europe, and Eurasia, and South Asia. Using the resources of one of the nation's largest research institutions, Hemispheres' staff work with educators to increase learning about the world and to address critical gaps in learning. They are actively involved in content-based teacher training and development as well as standards-aligned curriculum development.

### **Nobelity Project**

[www.nobelity.org](http://www.nobelity.org)

The Nobelity Project provides U.S. students with opportunities that connect local actions to global impact. For example, Austin-area sixth grade World Cultures classes can go to the Paramount Theater to connect with school children in Kenya. See the website for the latest programming

### **Teresa Lozano Long Institute of Latin American Studies**

<https://liberalarts.utexas.edu/lilas/>

University of Texas at Austin's Teresa Lozano Long Institute of Latin American Studies is partially federally funded institution whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Latin American nations, peoples, cultures, and current affairs.

### **Texas International Education Consortium (TIEC)**

<https://www.tiec.org/>

The Texas International Education Consortium (TIEC) advances international partnerships, collaboration, and exchanges for schools and public universities across Texas. See their study abroad programs, teacher professional development workshops, and contact them for curriculum design support.

### **World Affairs Council of Dallas/Fort Worth**

<https://www.dfworld.org/>

The World Affairs Council of Dallas/Fort Worth bolsters student global competence through membership in the Junior World Affairs Council. Through this program, students have access to global resources, a career day event, an annual WorldQuest competition, service learning

projects, and more. Educators have access to professional development workshops, classroom supports (lessons and guest speakers, for example), study abroad opportunities, and may also be nominated for an Educator of the Year distinction.

### **World Affairs Council of Greater Houston**

<http://www.wachouston.org/>

The Council connects students to the global leaders of our time and offers educators personal and professional development opportunities through workshops and international travel.

## Utah

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Middle East Center**

<https://mec.utah.edu/>

University of Utah's Middle East Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Middle Eastern nations, cultures, and current affairs.

#### **Utah Council for Citizen Diplomacy**

<http://utahdiplomacy.org/>

The Utah Council for Citizen Diplomacy believes that everyone has the right, even the responsibility to help shape U.S. foreign relations “one handshake at a time.” Since 1967, the Council has fostered citizen diplomacy by creating meaningful person-to-person interactions with individuals from other countries and cultures. See their lecture series, and connect with the Council to understand how to tap into international visitor programs.

#### **Center for Latin American Studies**

<https://latin-american-studies.utah.edu/index.php>

The Center for Latin American Studies (CLAS) at the University of Utah serves as a hub for Latin American-related activities involving teaching, research and community outreach. Teacher resources are

on the outreach page, including videos and recommendations for AP Art and World History as well as approaches to teaching about the Maya.

### **Asia Center**

<https://asia-center.utah.edu/index.php>

The Asia Center serves as a hub for Asia-related activities at the University of Utah involving teaching, research, and outreach to K-12 schools and the broader community. For teacher resources see the outreach page for videos and recommendations for AP Art and World History.

### **Reading for Empathy, Awareness, and Diversity with U (READ-U)** [readu@utah.edu](mailto:readu@utah.edu)

The READ-U program is a University of Utah based community resource where families and educators can access quality diverse and international books in themed sets, curated by faculty with expertise in children's literature, literacy, and socio-emotional development.

### **Utah Museum of Fine Arts (UMFA)**

<https://umfa.utah.edu>

The Utah Museum of Fine Arts (UMFA) at the University of Utah focuses on global visual arts. From ancient objects to the latest contemporary works, the galleries showcase the breadth and depth of human history and creativity. The UMFA offers extensive resources, professional development and lesson plans for educators, on and off site, see the programs tab for details.

### **Artes de Mexico en Utah**

<https://www.artesmexut.org>

Artes de Mexico en Utah promotes the appreciation of Mexican art in Utah with a vision of a community united by cultural connections. It hosts events and workshops and organizes the annual Sor Juana Prize for Poems and Short Stories in Spanish.

### **Salt Lake Film Society (SLFS)**

<https://www.saltlakefilmsociety.org>

Salt Lake Film Society educates, advocates, and informs by promoting diversity through film exhibition and creation, fostering film talent, and cultivating film appreciation and participation. Global film programs of note are the annual Filméxico program which highlights

contemporary films from Mexico as well as the annual Czech That Film program featuring the newest and best in Czech Cinema.

## Vermont

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **The Vermont Council on World Affairs**

<https://www.vermont.org/vcwa/>

The Vermont Council on World Affairs promotes an awareness and understanding of the world and its people through public forums, hosting international visitors, and working with educational institutions to develop programs for students, faculty, staff and community.

## Virginia

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Richmond World Affairs Council**

<http://www.richmondworldaffairs.org/>

Students can participate in the WorldQuest competition through the Richmond World Affairs Council.

## Washington

### RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Center for West European Studies and the EU Center**

<https://jsis.washington.edu/cwes-euc/>

University of Washington's Center for West European Studies and the EU Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

### **Coalition for International Education**

<http://www.internationaledwa.org/>

Washington State Coalition for International Education was formed in Spring 2003 as an affiliation of individuals and organizations committed to preparing all students for today's interconnected world. The Coalition was initiated by the State Team that attended the States Institute on International Education in the Schools, organized by the National Coalition for International Education.

### **East Asia Studies Center**

<https://jsis.washington.edu/eacenter/>

University of Washington's Middle East Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Middle Eastern nations, cultures, and current affairs.

### **Facing the Future**

<https://www.facingthefuture.org/>

Facing the Future offers tools for educators that equip and motivate students to develop critical thinking skills, build global awareness, and engage in positive solutions for a sustainable future. It is a program of Western Washington University.

### **Foundation for International Understanding through Students (FIUTS)**

<https://www.fiuts.org/>

FIUTS advances international understanding through cross-cultural experiences, student leadership, and community connections.

### **Global Visionaries**

<http://globalvisionaries.org/>

Global Visionaries facilitates a multi-year youth leadership program with an emphasis on social justice and environmentalism. The organization works with a diverse group of high school students from the Greater Seattle area on experiential activities. They hold workshops, retreats, community service programs, and a two-week cultural immersion to Guatemala.

### **Global Washington**

<https://globalwa.org/>

Global Washington was launched as a membership organization in December 2008. In a very short time, Global Washington has become a catalyst for strengthening the global development sector and its member organizations. Global Washington works by leveraging resources, increasing visibility, sharing best practices, convening sectors, advocating for education, global engagement, and foreign policy.

### **Middle East Center**

<https://jsis.washington.edu/mideast/>

University of Washington's Middle East Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Middle Eastern nations, cultures, and current affairs.

### **Southeast Asia Center**

<https://jsis.washington.edu/seac/>

University of Washington's Southeast Asia Center is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Southeast Asian nations, their people, cultures, and current affairs.

### **World Affairs Council of Seattle**

<https://www.world-affairs.org/>

The Seattle World Affairs Council offers teacher support in the form of workshops, resources, book clubs, and more throughout the state. Each year, an educator is selected to receive an international education award. Students can participate in special programming that link youth to international experts, as well as an essay contest.

### **OneWorld Now!**

<https://oneworldnow.org/>

OneWorld Now! is an afterschool program that brings together students from diverse backgrounds for leadership training that foster social, emotional and intercultural skills. It connects American high school students with their peers around the world through language and cultural exchanges.

# Wisconsin

## RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS

### **African Studies Program**

<http://africa.wisc.edu/>

University of Wisconsin at Madison's African Studies Program is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Africa.

### **Center for European Studies**

<http://europe.wisc.edu/>

University of Wisconsin at Madison's Center for European Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about a world region. Use this center to learn more and to teach about Europe.

### **Center for Russia, East Europe, and Central Asia**

<https://creeca.wisc.edu/>

University of Wisconsin at Madison's Center for Russia, East Europe, and Central Asia is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about that world region.

### **Center for Southeast Asian Studies**

<http://seasia.wisc.edu/>

University of Wisconsin at Madison's Center for Southeast Asian Studies is a federally funded resource center whose mission is to strengthen research and teaching about Southeast Asia's nations, cultures, and current affairs.

### **Global Wisconsin**

<https://www.globalwisconsin.org/>

A non-profit organization that brings educators and others together to promote international learning, global awareness, and cross-cultural connections.



### **Institute for Regional and International Studies (IRIS)**

<https://iris.wisc.edu/>

IRIS is a National Resource Center for International Studies funded by the U.S. Department of Education. IRIS provides coordination and administrative support for Wisconsin's eight area studies centers. IRIS has a lending library (including culture boxes) and provides workshops and in-class presentations. It also produces a lecture series and a podcast on international studies.

### **Institute of World Affairs**

<https://uwm.edu/cie/iwa/>

The Institute of World Affairs works with teachers on curriculum development, professional development, and offers teachers a chance to meet directly with international experts. It also offers programming directed at middle and high school students, including Model United Nations and other simulations, as well as workshops around a global topic, and service learning modules.

### **Milwaukee Institute of World Affairs**

<https://uwm.edu/cie/iwa/>

The Milwaukee Institute of World Affairs puts on public programs and engages with educators and students to address current global and local challenges and opportunities.

### **OmniLibros.com**

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