INTERNATIONAL CAREERS NETWORKING NIGHT

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Miller-Ward Alumni House
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10 Tips for Making the Most of the International Careers Networking Night

This event happens once every spring and is for ANYONE who wants to explore international career paths! Join us and mingle with impressive Emory alumni and professionals whose works are international in nature.

1. When you arrive, you'll receive a Guest Directory to review short biographies and photos of our invited guests. Give yourself extra time by arriving early. We will start with a brief Welcome address.

2. Immediately following the Welcome address, it's time to mingle! Our guests will be positioned in different areas of the room. This is NOT a career fair, so guests will be mingling with students - not positioned behind tables. The “mixer” format is a lot of fun and makes networking less intimidating and more enjoyable for everyone!

3. Networking is nothing more than conversation between two people getting to know one another. Your STRATEGY is this: simply take an interest in your conversation partner! Introduce yourself with a smile and a firm handshake, then share your name and bits of information you think your listener might like to know about you (i.e. year in school, academic background, and potential career interests). But your main focus will be getting to know THEM.

4. If you’re still nervous, try watching others to see how they approach conversation. It’s okay to approach a student or group of students and a professional who are already talking. Walk up at a polite distance, make eye contact, listen, and await a verbal or nonverbal cue to join in. You will benefit from hearing others’ conversations - don’t wait in a single file line for your turn. Think CIRCLE! When someone makes eye contact, that’s your opportunity to politely break in and introduce yourself. Similarly, you can encourage others who might be shy to join in on YOUR discussions.

5. Think of what questions you’d like to have answered. Here are some examples:
   • How did you get interested in this area of International work? What were you studying as an undergraduate?
   • What personality traits and skills are critical for success in this area? What training or education is required?
   • What’s your average day or week like? What do you enjoy most/least about your work?
   • Can you suggest ways to gain experience to be more competitive for jobs/internships? Do you know someone else I should talk to outside of this event?

6. Keep an OPEN MIND - you will be surprised at some of the unexpected connections you’ll make with people who do not work for organizations on your “hot list”. If you spot someone standing alone, say hello and let them know how much you appreciate their visit to Emory. You will be surprised at some of the less-obvious connections that exist between you, since many of our guests have worked in different environments and have multifaceted career paths and interests. Almost anyone can potentially introduce you to a colleague (potentially outside of this event) who shares your interests - if you only ask!

7. Don’t spend all of your time talking to one person. It’s a good goal to try to speak with 3-5 people at the event. Stretch your comfort zone: networking is one of the most effective tools in educating yourself about career options and finding the right fit in your next job, internship, volunteer role or gap year experience!

8. FOLLOW UP ETIQUETTE: Before leaving a conversation, it’s customary to ask each guest for a business card. This is very important, because you should plan to send a follow-up email as a way of saying thank you to those you spoke with. This forms a lasting impression and smooths the way for future contact. Building relationships is NOT a “one and done” - if you want to talk further, take the initiative to reach out again after the event, and into the future!

9. Our event organizers strive to attract a diverse group of participants. Occasionally, guests who planned to come have last-minute obligations that prevent them doing so. Let us know if there’s someone you missed and we will do our best to assist you in contacting them!

10. Thanks for coming - enjoy yourself, and have some great conversations!
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Obse Ababiya joined the Institute for Developing Nations in 2015. As Program Coordinator she oversees IDN communications and provides research and support for ongoing initiatives and outreach. Prior to joining the Institute for Developing Nations, Obse was the Southeast Regional Development Officer at the U.S. Fund for UNICEF. Before that she served as Director of Outreach and Development at Alliance Française d’Atlanta. Obse holds a Master of Arts in Ethics and Peace from American University’s School of International Service where she focused on nation state building in Africa and the role of religion in peacebuilding. She earned her Bachelor of Arts from Emory University in International Studies and French Literature with a minor in African Studies. While at Emory, she was also an Intern with the Carter Center’s Conflict Resolution Program.

DANIEL BISCHOF
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Daniel Bischof is the Deputy Director of the State Department’s Office of Korean Affairs, the office responsible for U.S. policy toward both the Republic of Korea and the Democratic People’s Republic of Korea. Prior to this assignment, he was a Senior Watch Officer in the Department’s 24-7-365 Operations Center where he led a team of officers in responding to breaking crises and assisting American citizens worldwide. He has served as Political-Military officer in Seoul and Manila and was responsible for Malaysian Affairs in the State Department’s Office of Maritime Southeast Asia. He also adjudicated non-immigrant visas in Seoul during his first tour. As the officer responsible for Mindanao, he worked with the parties to the Framework Agreement on the Bangsamoro. While serving as the General Services Officer in Vientiane, he was named the State Department’s Post Occupational Safety Health Officer of the year for his work improving safety measures in the Embassy and official residences. He has studied Korean and Lao and is fluent in Thai. Prior to joining the Department of State, Daniel practiced law in Florida. He is a graduate of the Henry W. Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication at the University of Georgia and Northwestern School of Law at Lewis & Clark College. Daniel is an amateur photographer and cruciverbalist.

SUZANNE BLOUD, 84C
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Suzanne Blook has been actively involved in the field of International Education and Exchange for more than 20 years, and has studied, lived, worked and traveled throughout the world. As the former Director of the International Center at the University of Califonia, Irvine, and the Permanent Residence Specialist at Georgia Tech, Suzy has counseled thousands of international students, scholars, faculty, researchers, medical professionals and accompanying family members. She has also worked closely with international and domestic students at various institutions. In addition, Suzy is enthusiastically involved with numerous international and human rights groups, and as a communications consultant, she assists several non-profit organizations. Currently Suzy holds the position of Community Programs Coordinator with the Georgia Council for International Visitors (GCIV), where she works closely with the staff of GCIV to create valuable international experiences and opportunities for the people of Georgia and emerging leaders around the world, seeking to fulfill GCIV’s vision that every Georgian has the opportunity to be globally engaged. Suzy received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Emory University and her Master of Education (M.Ed.) from the University of Georgia.

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Becca Butcher is the Client Services Manager for Lutheran Services of Georgia’s Refugee Resettlement Department. She has been working with refugees and immigrants in Georgia and abroad since 2009. In her current role, she leads a team of case managers that annually resettles 500+ refugees to Georgia and provides extended services to 1200+ refugees and immigrants each year. Becca has a Bachelor of Science in Public Policy and Nonprofit Management. She completed her graduate studies at Georgia State University’s Andrew Young School of Public Policy, and in 2015 she became a Licensed Master of Social Work.

ANTHONY CHASE
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Jessie Chen is a Project Leader, Pacific Strategy for Delta Air Lines. In this role, Jessie is responsible for leading projects to build cross-divisional strategies, focused on improving Pacific performance, that result in positive change through thoughtful collaboration with other Delta commercial organizations. Prior to her current role, Jessie was a Specialist, Sales Strategy and Corporate Analytics where she was responsible for providing corporate travel insights to Delta executives and strategic guidance to an organization of over one thousand sellers across the world. Jessie is a board member of the Asia Pacific Employee Network at Delta Air Lines. Previously, Jessie held roles in Pricing Analytics at Home Depot, where she was awarded for her innovative business diagnostics, and at Office Depot. She graduated Emory College in 2010.

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TODD HARWELL
SOUTHEAST REGIONAL RECRUITER | PEACE CORPS
Todd Harwell is the Atlanta-area and west Georgia Regional Recruiter for the U.S. Peace Corps. He served as a Peace Corps Community-Based Environmental Management Volunteer in Perú from 2012 to 2015, responsible for the training and capacity-building of the park guards of a marine-protected area located near his community, as well as creating projects to broaden and strengthen ecotourism practices. Also in Peru, he led an Environmental Club in the local primary school, hosted a weekly radio program dedicated to discussing local health and environmental issues, and taught conversational English to local fishermen that were hoping to also gain work in the ecotourism industry. Todd is a native of Canton, GA, and received his B.S. in Marine Science from Coastal Carolina University and his M.S. in Environmental Education from the Florida Institute of Technology.

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William Hassall is the Program Coordinator for the International Human Trafficking Institute, a program of The National Center for Civil and Human Rights which cultivates the next generation of youth leaders in the movement to end human trafficking through direct action campaigns. Hassall is an international affairs professional with experience in human rights, democratization, environmental, and media justice issues in the United States and globally. Hassall possesses substantial experience in monitoring and reporting on human rights, political transition, constitutional drafting, and electoral observation missions with The Carter Center and the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE). He holds a Bachelor’s in Arts in Historical Studies from Stockton University and a Master’s in Science in Human Rights and International Politics from the University of Glasgow.
RONALD HUNTER, 09G

SCIENTIST | THE COCA-COLA COMPANY
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Kevin is centrally involved in the development of Emory’s global strategy and directs the implementation of strategic global initiatives. He serves as the GSI lead for India and plays a central role in the implementation of Emory’s new India Initiative. He manages external relations in the international realm with partners in education, business, and government. In this role, he overseas aspects of foreign partnerships and assists with incoming and outgoing international delegations. He also leads Emory’s Global Fellowship Faculty Support resource and serves as the campus representative for the Fulbright Scholar Program. Prior to joining the GSI team, Kevin served as a study abroad coordinator for Louisiana State University’s office of Academic Programs Abroad, managing a broad portfolio including strategic planning, exchanges, technology, and marketing activities. Kevin holds a master’s degree from Emory in cultural and organizational sociology with a strong emphasis on organizational culture and change. He was a Robert T. “Bobby” Jones Scholar and has lived and worked on three continents.

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Tenzin Ngawang currently works for a Non-Profit Lutheran Services of Georgia (LSG) based in Atlanta. The agency provides various services: Foster Care, Adoption, Family Intervention Services, and Refugee Services. Ngawang is the employment coordinator for Refugee Services. From securing their first apartment, jobs up until they become citizens 5 years from their arrival date in the U.S, Refugee Services sponsor newly arrived Refugees from all over the world and help them with the resettlement process in the U.S. Born in Nepal, Tenzin Ngawang arrived in the U.S after completing High school in India. He completed his undergrad degree in Business Management in New York and eventually found his role three years ago at LSG when they were in need of someone who spoke the native language and understood the culture of a huge population of Refugees from Nepal. His role in LSG is employment services, and he assists all Refugees with finding secure employment. He partners with numerous companies in many industries across the Metro Atlanta area that are willing to work with Refugees. The Refugee department at LSG is extremely diverse, almost all staff members are from different corners of the world including many Native born Americans that are in the Social/Human Services background.

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