

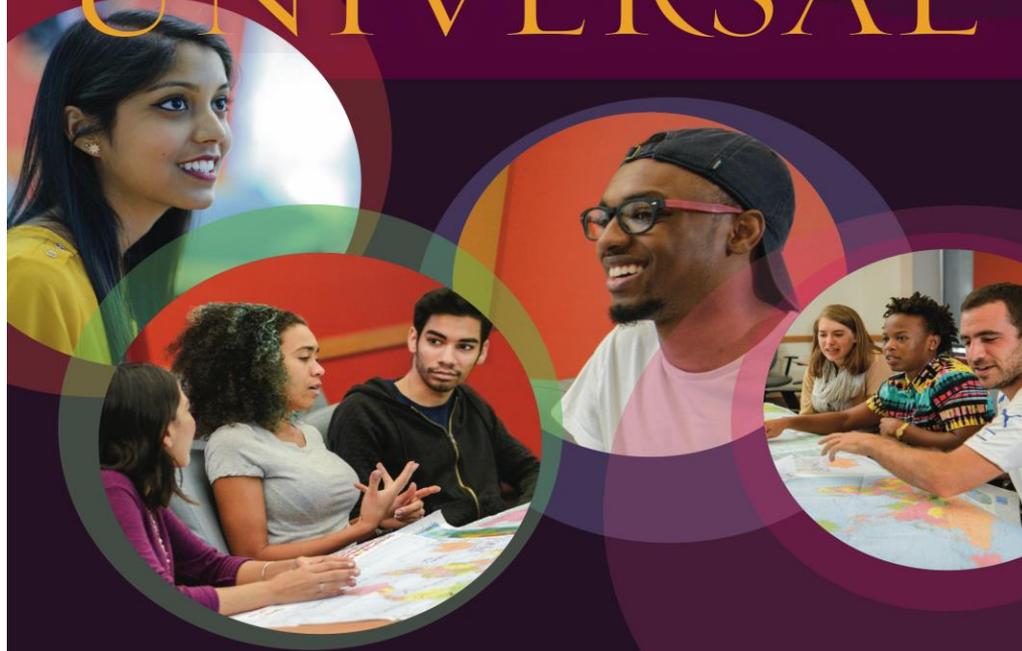
# **A Model for Making Global Learning Universal at Your Institution**

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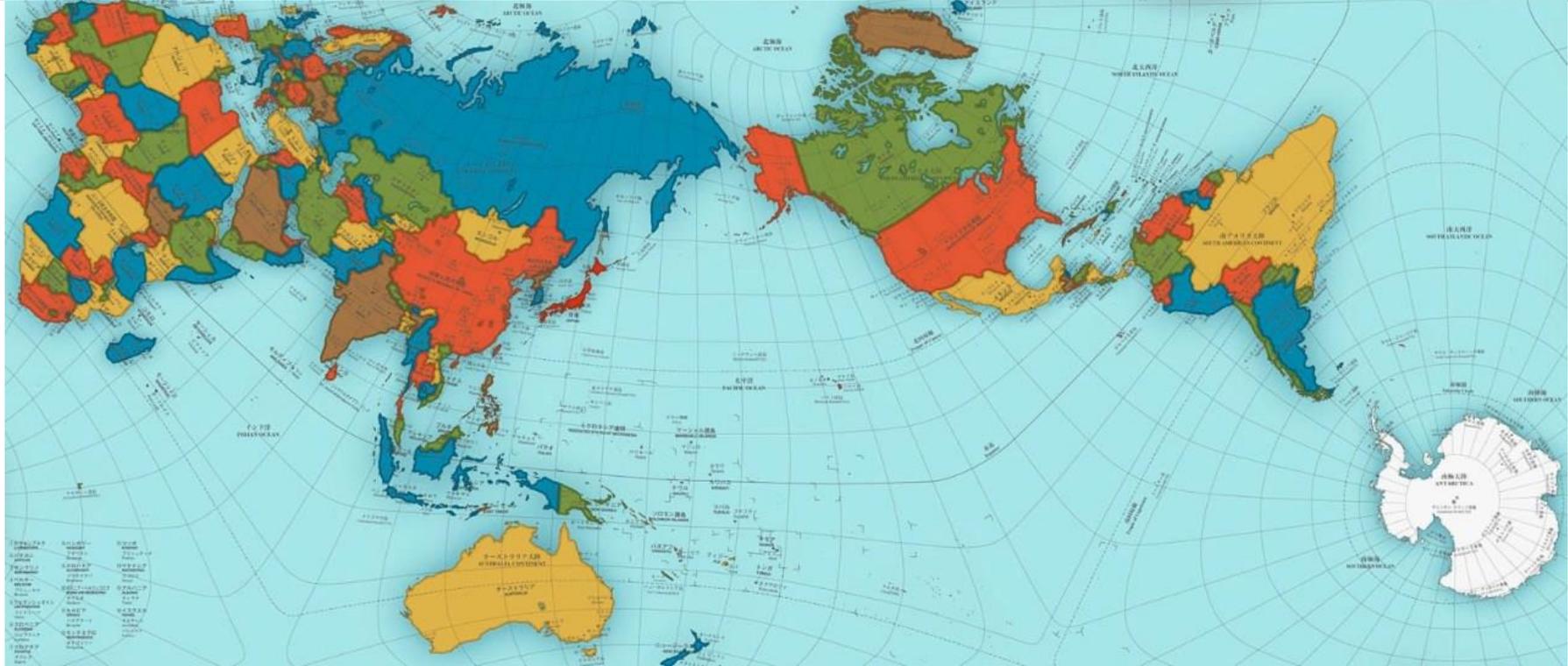
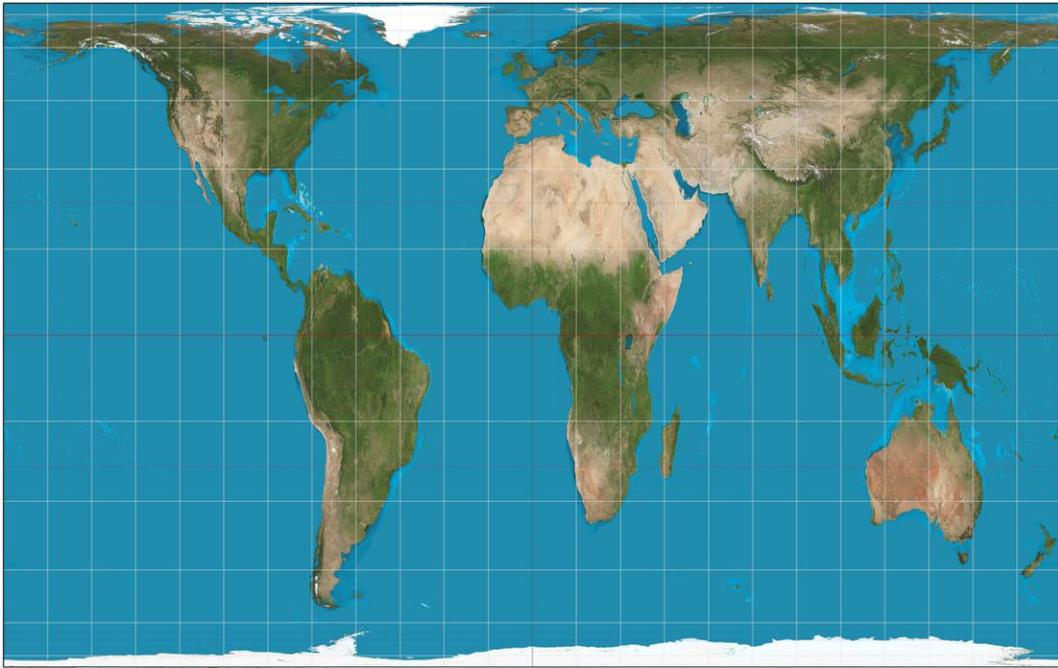
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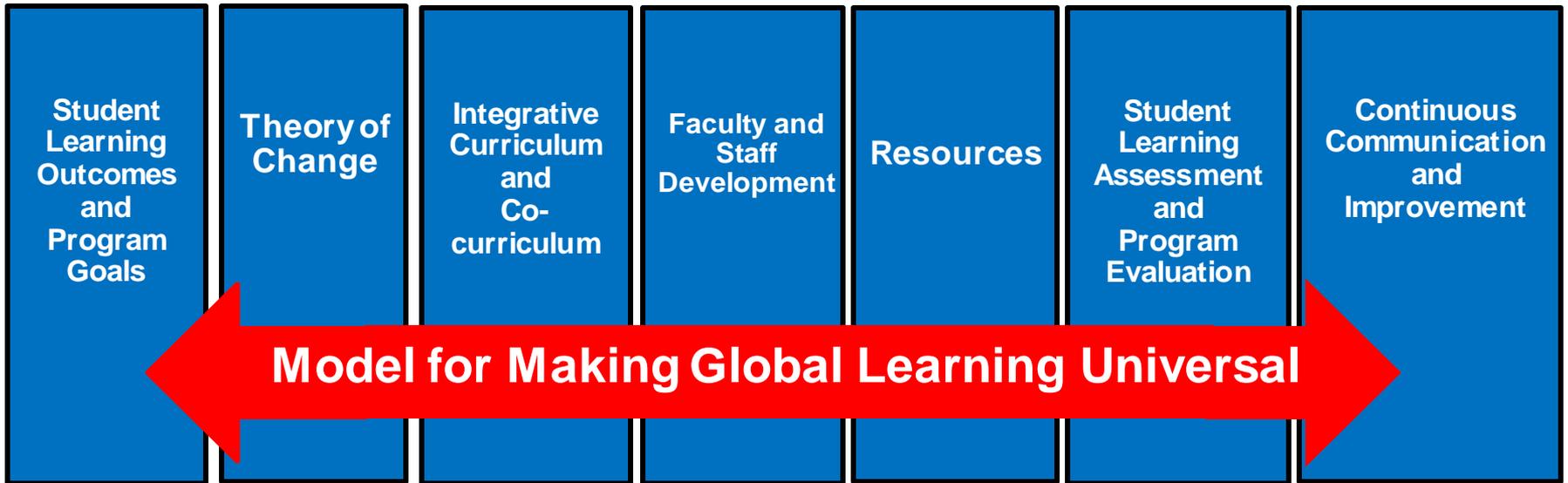
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Student Learning Outcomes and Program Goals

Theory of Change

Integrative Curriculum and Co-curriculum

Faculty and Staff Development

Resources

Student Learning Assessment and Program Evaluation

Continuous Communication and Improvement

**Model for Making Global Learning Universal**

**Global learning** is the process of diverse people collaboratively analyzing and addressing complex problems that transcend borders.

Landorf, H., & Doscher, S.P. (2015). Defining global learning at Florida International University. *Diversity & Democracy*, 18(3), 24-25.



# Global Learning *for* Global Citizenship

FIU's Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP)

Undergraduate graduation requirement:

- Two global learning (GL) courses
- Integrated co-curricular activities

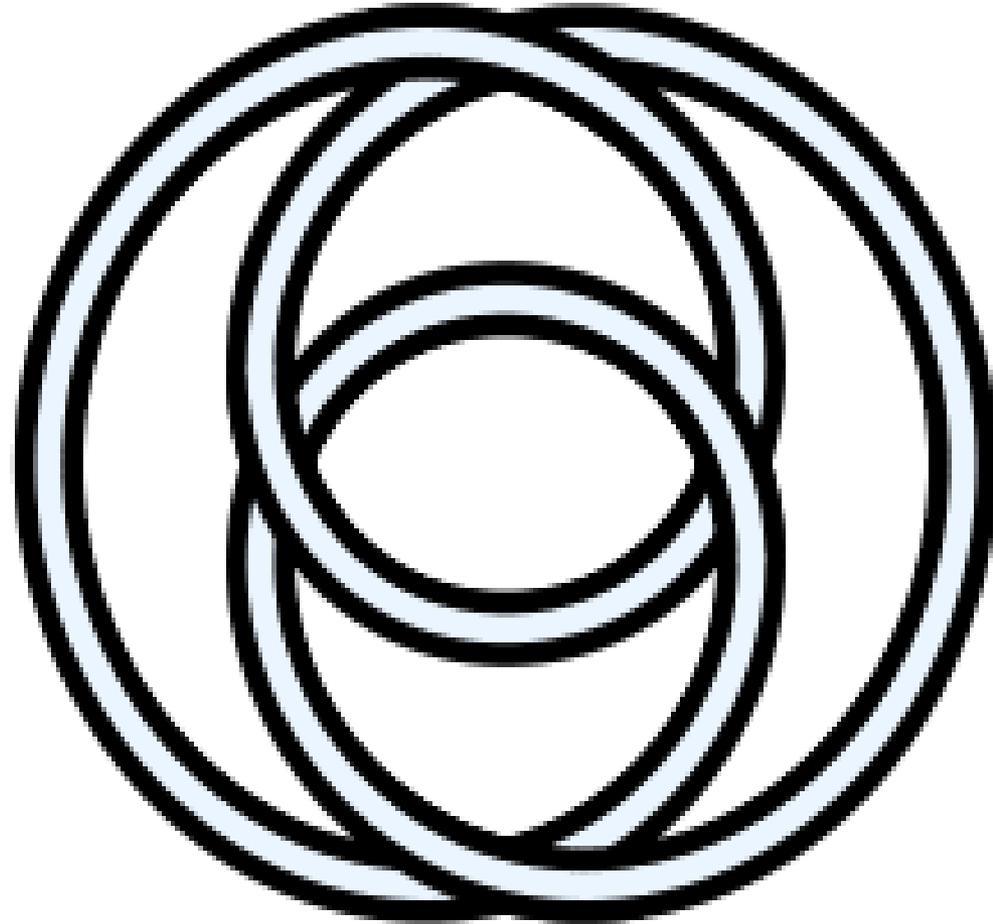
# Global Learning Medallion

- ✓ **Courses:** Complete a minimum of four (4) global learning-designated courses at FIU, with a grade of C or higher.
- ✓ **Activities:** Participate in a minimum number of approved global co-curricular activities.
- **Capstone:**
  - A substantial original research project and presentation on a global topic
  - 4 courses of study in one foreign language
  - Study abroad of 20 or more days
  - Globally-focused internship
- ✓ **ePortfolio & Reflection :** Reflect on your FIU global learning experience in the form of an Web page promoting your global citizenship.
- ✓ **GPA:** A 3.0 final, cumulative FIU GPA at the time of graduation.

# The Four Questions

- Does your institution SLOs and programs goals for your global learning initiative? Who was involved in developing these goals and outcomes?
- Does your institution offer faculty and staff development to infuse global learning into the curriculum and/or co-curriculum?
- Who leads global learning at your institution? Does this person or coordinating body have resources at their disposal?
- Does your institution collect global learning SLO assessment and/or program evaluation data? If so, how does your institution share this data and use it for continuous improvement?

# **Student Learning Outcomes/Program Goals**



# FIU's Graduation-level Student Learning Outcomes

**Global Awareness**: Knowledge of the **interrelatedness** of local, global, international, and intercultural issues, trends, and systems

**Global Perspective**: Ability to construct a **multi-perspective** analysis of local, global, international, and intercultural problems

**Global Engagement**: Willingness to engage in local, global, international, and intercultural **problem solving**

# FIU's Program Goals

- Provide sufficient number of GL courses to ensure on-time graduation for all
- Integrate an increasing number of GL co-curricular activities into the curriculum
- Deliver high-quality GL professional development
- Increase students' proficiency in the GL outcomes

# Theory of Change

- How will you coordinate people across reporting lines? How will you enable them to collaborate?
- How will you coordinate your initiative's different activities?

# Collective Impact

The *commitment* of a group of actors from different sectors to a common agenda for solving a complex problem.

Kania, J. & Kramer, M. (2011). Collective Impact. *Stanford Social Innovation Review*, Vol. 47, Winter 2011.

# **Five Conditions of Collective Impact**

- Common agenda
- Shared measurement systems
- Mutually reinforcing activities
- Continuous communication
- Backbone support organization

# Integrative Global Learning

- Courses “baked into” programs of study
- Activities integrated with coursework
- Integrative global learning “habitats”

# **Global Learning Professional Development**

- Diffusion of innovations
- Differentiated menu of opportunities
- Fundamentals

# Resourcing Universal Global Learning

- What resources does your institution need to provide global learning for all?
- Are needed resources already available? If so, who has access to these resources?
- If resources aren't currently available, how can you acquire them?

# **Resourcing Universal Global Learning**

## **HUMAN RESOURCES**

1. Executive Director
2. Director
3. Program Manager
4. Office Manager
5. Graduate Assistants

## **PHYSICAL RESOURCES**

1. Offices
2. Common area
3. Team-Based Learning Classrooms

## **FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

1. Education & General Expenditure Funds
2. Donations
3. Grants

# **Information Technology Resources**

Tools, processes, and methodologies used to collect, process, store, secure, and exchange electronic data

## **Information + Technology**

# **Student Learning Assessment & Program Evaluation**

- Determine levels of assessment and evaluation
- Collect meaningful, useful data

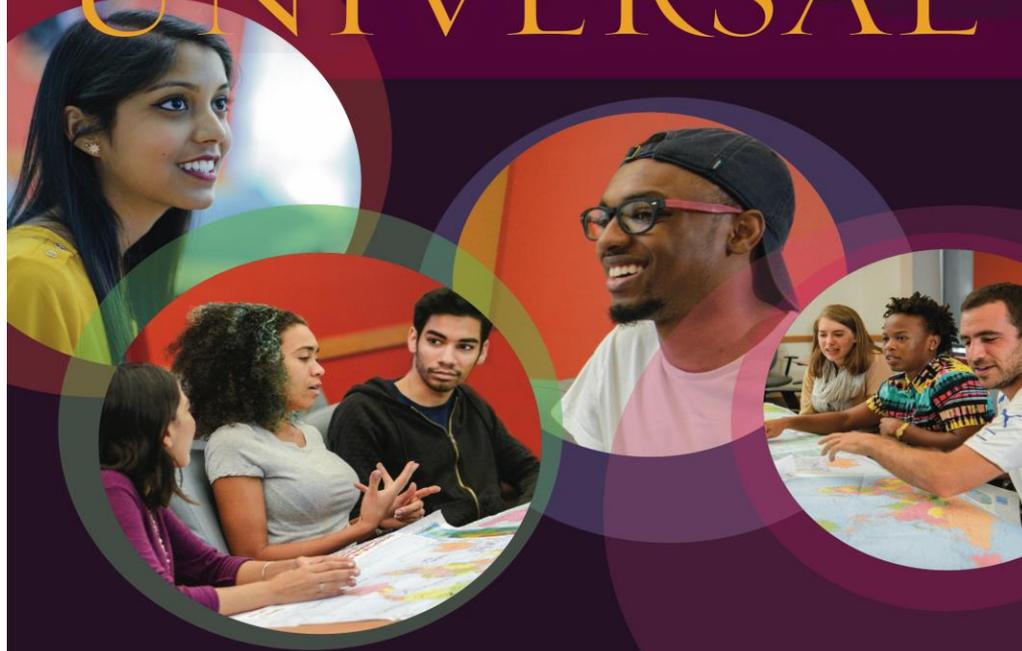
# Continuous Communication and Improvement

Mechanisms for:

- promoting reflection and change
- exchanging information across reporting lines
- sharing stories with internal and external stakeholders

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# THANK YOU!

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