

Insights into the Field

Fundamentals for Marketing to Diverse Audiences



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Introduction

Welcome to Diversity Abroad's Insights into the Field Resource. This short e-learning resource is designed to provide professionals with insight and practical tools to support and advance inclusive excellence in global education.

Insights into the Field is curated by members of the Diversity Abroad community who are passionate about the field of diversity, inclusion, and global education. This video includes tip captions, a resource slide, and further information from a wide representation of institutions.

- Celebrate fruitful campus partnerships across a variety of institutions
- Center the Student Experience by hearing from different students in their Study Abroad journeys
- Share best practices from a variety of institutions to spark inspiration for new approaches to the work



Session Objectives

Leverage Partnerships

- Build your On Campus Network
- Create Sustainable & Reciprocal Relationships
- Be Where the Students Are





Grow Your Campus Network

Broaden your network of campus collaborators. Examples include:

- Academic Advising, TRIO programs
- Marketing & Communications
- Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion
- Admissions/Orientation
- Dormitories/College Houses
- Career Office/Fellowships Office

Here are some video examples of what campus partners have to say...



Activate Your Student Stories

Leverage the student alumni network to create focus groups to reach the students you're looking for. Examples include:

- Center student voices in the content creation
- Diversify content in marketing materials
- Amplify student stories in marketing materials
- Hold focus groups on how to shape messaging to get past barriers and dispel myths of study abroad.

Here are some video examples of what students have to say...



Collaborate with DA Colleagues

Some of our greatest resources included one another. Examples from insights of the Task Force include:

- Collaborate on shared documentation amongst key contacts
- Shape Study Abroad culture as toward larger ecosystem of change
- Use a combination of different strategies involving multiple stakeholders to multiply your campus impact

Here are some video examples of what Task Force Members have to say...



Reflective Questions

What campus partners have not yet been tapped on your campus?

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How do you invite and integrate student input in your marketing strategies?

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What are lessoned learned that are worth sharing with the DA community?

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What has the last year taught us about marketing in times of COVID?



Final Tip: Partner with an influencer.

To end our presentation, we now present a comprehensive bonus clip from one of our student rockstars!



Resources

NAFSA: Marketing and Communications MIG https://www.nafsamcmig.com/

Diversity Abroad – Free Resources & Membership Options https://www.diversitynetwork.org/

Diversity Abroad Community Discussions (Member Access) https://www.diversitynetwork.org/general

MIUSA – Resources for Supporting Students with Disabilities throughout the study abroad process https://www.miusa.org/build/exchange-professionals

Forum on Education Abroad – Equity, Diversity and Inclusion – Guidelines for Education Abroad Offices https://forumea.org/resources/equity-diversity-and-inclusion/

Forum on Education Abroad – Standards for Good Practice https://forumea.org/resources/standards-6th-edition/





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Thank you!

