



Developing Cultural Competence (DCC) Virtual Cultural Exchange for Undergraduates

Online Open Enrollment

Live Sessions and Self-
Paced Online Modules

\$100 per student

Open to the global partners
of NC State University

NC State University Global Training Initiative (GTI) offers a virtual and transformational cultural exchange experience for undergraduate students in the NC State College of Engineering to connect with and learn from other undergraduate students from around the globe. Students gain a valuable theoretical framework and practical skills through this e-learning course which prepares participants to:

- Implement strategies for living, studying and working in international and cross-cultural settings
- Articulate the connection between cultural understanding and solving real-world problems
- Integrate new perspectives and ways of thinking into their professional portfolio
- Appreciate and navigate culturally-based approaches to design, teamwork, decision-making, leadership, conflict management, and effective understanding.

This one month course includes four 90-minute live Zoom facilitated discussion, independent study, personal reflection, and a group presentation component. Small groups of diverse students meet together for four weeks in Feb, Mar, or April.



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"Having these conversations helped me dispel misconceptions about other cultures and share perspective on my own culture. It was designed as a respectful, judgement-free environment and opened up my mind to the cultures of the world."

Learning Community Expectations: Participate. Engage. Complete. | Take Space. Make Space. | Ask questions. | Share. | Hold judgement.

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Spring 2021 Sessions

FEBRUARY 2021

Mondays 9:00-10:30 AM February 1, 8, 15, and 22
Wednesdays 9:00-10:30 AM February 3, 10, 17, and 24
Thursdays 9:00-10:30 AM February 4, 11, 18, and 25
Fridays 9:00-10:30 AM February 5, 12, 19, and 26
Fridays 2:00-3:30 PM February 5, 12, 19, and 26

MARCH 2021

Mondays 9:00-10:30 AM March 1, 8, 15, and 22
Mondays 2:00-3:30 PM March 1, 8, 15, and 22
Tuesdays 9:00-10:30 AM March 2, 9, 16, and 23
Tuesdays 2:00-3:30 PM March 2, 9, 16, and 23
Thursdays 9:00-10:30 AM March 4, 11, 18, and 25
Thursdays 2:00-3:30 PM March 4, 11, 18, and 25

APRIL 2021

Thursdays 9:00-10:30 AM April 1, 8, 22, and 29
Thursdays 5:00-6:30 PM April 1, 8, 22, and 29
Fridays 9:00-10:30 AM April 2, 9, 16 and 23
Fridays 5:00-6:30 PM April 2, 9, 16 and 23
Mondays 9:00-10:30 AM April 5, 12, 19, and 26
Mondays 2:00-3:30 PM April 5, 12, 19, and 26
Tuesdays 9:00-10:30 AM April 6, 13, 20, and 27
Tuesdays 2:00-3:30 PM April 6, 13, 20, and 27
Wednesdays 9:00-10:30 AM April 7, 14, 21, and 28
Wednesdays 2:00-3:30 PM April 7, 14, 21, and 28

Registration for each session ends one week before the first class date.

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