

Office of Global Strategy and Initiatives

Atlanta Global Partnerships

Atlanta Global Student Engagement Program (AGSEP)

The Office of Global Strategy and Initiatives (GSI) supports, promotes, and expands Emory University's global engagement. The university's strong international network of academic, nonprofit, and governmental partners stems from its unique advantage of being located in the globally connected City of Atlanta. Recognizing that Atlanta is a gateway to the world, GSI has launched **Atlanta Global Partnerships** to facilitate and steward conditions for synergy among groups engaging in international work within the Emory and Atlanta communities.

Atlanta Global Partnerships seeks to implement and support student-focused programs connecting Emory and Atlanta's global communities through enriched learning experiences. GSI's Atlanta Global Partnerships is offering the Atlanta Global Student Engagement Program for faculty and staff from schools, units, centers, and divisions to submit projects across all disciplines.

Projects should foster global engagement in Atlanta with innovative student-focused programs that provide new pathways to global collaboration or add a new component of global engagement to an existing initiative in the city. Proposals may address community issues with a global component, develop relationships with local international communities or organizations in pursuit of a shared goal, or introduce students to a culturally enriching experience to deepen awareness and participation in global citizenship.

Atlanta Global Student Engagement Projects may include but are not limited to fellowships, internship programs, summer projects, workshops, seminars, and other educational collaborations involving constituents in Atlanta from international communities or an internationally-based partner with a connection to Atlanta. Interested academic and non-academic units at Emory may apply for funding in the range of **\$500-\$10,000** (funds must be expended by the end of the fiscal year, expect for multi-year projects).

Deadline: Applications are accepted on a rolling basis year-round.

The proposed outcomes/deliverables could include:

- Creation of teaching resources that expose students to global work and collaboration;
- Lasting student programs that could include a fellowship or engagement in the form of an extracurricular activity involving local and global communities;
- Resources for developing student competencies necessary for thriving in a global workforce.



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Project Eligibility

- Must be submitted by an Emory faculty or staff member on behalf of an Emory department, unit, organization, center, or division.
- Must introduce a new form of global engagement in connection to Atlanta. If seeking funding for an existing initiative, must address how funds will enhance or add a new global component connecting Atlanta.
- Must partner with one or more community organizations, a corporation, or a public sector organization in Greater Atlanta or abroad.

Principles of Partner and Community Engagement

These are guiding principles for establishing partnerships in the community:

- Aligns with the university and partner organization's vision and mission
- Partnership must be mutually beneficial
- Results must be measurable (e.g., # hours served, benefits to students and organizations)
- Impact must focus on connecting local and global dimensions
- Partner(s) must be fully engaged in the project with mutual benefits
- The project must provide new opportunities to grow (faculty expertise, resources)
- Partner organizations must be appropriately compensated for time and resources

Application Materials and Process

The following documents should be submitted as a single PDF:

- 1. Application form and project description (2-5 pages)- please see below
- 2. A detailed budget Budget notes:
 - Awardees can use awarded funding for travel, student living expenses, events, materials, and stipends for community partners.
 - Faculty/graduate student salary support is not encouraged but will be considered under exceptional circumstances and will require justification.
 - There is no indirect cost.
- 3. Letter of support/intent from the community partner(s) when applicable

For questions, please contact Obse Ababiya, Assistant Director, Office of Global Strategy and Initiatives, Atlanta Global Partnerships obse.ababiya@emory.edu

https://global.emory.edu/atlanta/atlanta-global-partnerships.html



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Application Form and Project Description

Name of Department/ Emory Affiliation:

Applicant Name:

Project Manager (unless the applicant is also the project manager):

Applicant Contact information – Phone and Email:

Project/program Contact information – Phone and Email:

Funding Amount Requested:

Project Description

Please provide your project description by answering the questions below. This section should not exceed five pages, dedicating one to two paragraphs per question:

- **1.** Is this a new or existing project?
- 2. What is the Atlanta global component of this project? What global/local problem does the project address and where does Atlanta fit into the equation?
- 3. What is the proposed project and its potential impact?
- **4.** What are the student outcomes and benefits?
- 5. What is the potential significance of the proposed project in relation to current programs?
- 6. How will you measure the success of the project?
- 7. What are the contributions/roles of each team member when applicable?
- **8.** Is there a specific sustainability/continuity plan once the project is completed?
- 9. What is the project timeline?
- **10.** How does the project connect to the Emory University Global Strategy?