

INTRODUCING THE GLOBAL CITIZENS PROJECT'S
INTERDISCIPLINARY, TRANSFORMATIVE, HIGH-IMPACT PRACTICE EXPERIENCE



OPERATION: GLOBAL ACTION

MAKING SMALL CHANGES WITH BIG IMPACT

MAY 2020

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GCP's very first study abroad program took students to the University of Exeter for a week-long immersive experiential learning program.



From left to right: Tracey Vilvert, Rachel Miller, Selena Alpuche, Chrisna Lindor, Avalon Jade Thiesen, Jordan Davis, Latrice Pickett, Nicholas Page, and Megan Burkey



GCP Study Abroad Scholarship recipient, Valeria Gamarra, in Amalfi Coast, Italy.



GCP Study Abroad Scholarship recipient, Amina Namroui, in Cinque Terre, Italy.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: YEAR 4

USF's Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP), the Global Citizens Project, is a comprehensive five-year plan to globalize the USF undergraduate experience in order to provide students with opportunities to learn and practice global competencies.

Three programmatic goals define the QEP:

- Global General Education (globalizing General Education courses),
- Global Pathways (globalizing the Majors), and
- Global Citizen Award (an undergraduate award to encourage students to engage in global experiences).

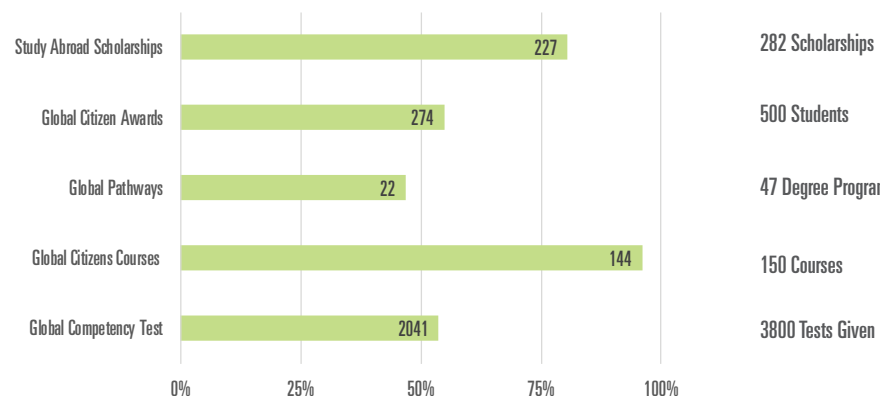
The primary focus of 2018-19 was the continued implementation of programs, processes, and procedures supporting the three QEP goals, including professional development and assessment, which are central to the plan.

Specific accomplishments include:

- Collaborated with the General Education Council to incorporate GCP learning outcomes into all levels of USF's Enhanced General Education curriculum
- Certified 11 degree programs as Global Pathways
- Certified 34 courses as Global Citizens courses
- Awarded 152 students with the Global Citizen Award
- Offered \$145,500 in study abroad scholarships to 66 students
- Offered 20 Global Faculty Fellowships, an Accelerated Global Pathway Learning Community for 8 departments resulting in the first ever college-wide Global Pathway, Muma College of Business

2018-2019 QEP Performance Dashboard

2020 Targets



- Formalized a partnership with the University of Exeter and sent nine students and a delegation (two Faculty, five Administrative Staff, and two GAs) in summer 2019. This resulted in the development of Operation: Global Action, May 2020
- Further integrated the United Nations Sustainable Development goals into campus-wide programming
- Administered the Global Competency Test (GCT) to 2041 participants total
- Developed a GCT presentation for the Association of American Colleges & Universities' Global Citizenship for Campus, Community, and Careers Conference

The work completed in 2018-2019 indicates the university's progress in meeting the 2020 QEP performance targets.



GCP Study Abroad Scholarship recipient, Suyog Thengale, in Pisa, Italy.



GCP Study Abroad Scholarship recipient, Deliyanis Rosa Fontanez, in Tokyo, Japan.