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Update From the Vice President



I am pleased to share the October issue of the USF World Newsletter with you on the heels of an exciting announcement from U.S. News and World Report. For the fifth consecutive year, USF has placed among the top 50 public universities in America. Notably, this year USF reached its highest-ever overall position at No. 89 among all universities public or private. USF is No. 45 among public universities.

Our main story features a journey to Montreal, where USF World joined a delegation led by the Canada-Florida Chamber of Commerce for a trade and cultural mission. As a delightful surprise, we got to meet the first student from Concordia University to travel to USF as an exchange student 20 years ago!

Don't miss our heartwarming story about a dream come true for two international students from India. Additionally, we showcase remarkable collaborations between USF faculty in Asia and share inspiring student projects in the Americas.

I'm also excited to congratulate Amanda Maurer, education abroad director for being honored as the Person of the Year by the Tampa Bay Organization of Women in International Trade. She will be celebrated at their **annual luncheon on Oct. 26** for bringing the world to USF students and enriching their lives for almost 15 years! Don't miss your opportunity to explore the world through the lens of a Bull through student testimonials in the study abroad article.

On behalf of my colleagues at USF World, we look forward to welcoming you to our programs and events throughout the year. Stay connected with USF World and we will take you on a global journey every month, sharing our programs, events, international alumni profiles and updates from over 45 faculty-led study abroad programs! Be sure to check out our **Global Networks** and become involved with USF's activities. No matter where you are, we are global!

Sincerely, Dr. Kiki Caruson

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USF World supports Canada-Florida Chamber of Commerce trade mission to Montreal

USF World recently traveled with a delegation from the Canada-Florida Chamber of Commerce to Montreal for a trade and cultural mission that included representation from the business and diplomatic communities, economic development agencies, and universities.

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Events

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