



Global Leadership Summer Symposium
July 8-10, 2019

Program Goal: To help global educators develop personal leadership skills, strategize for program development, and establish deep connections within our professional community.

Program Description: The GEBG Global Leadership Summer Symposium will focus on leadership development as facilitators offer practical advice and insights into leveraging your institution's resources to build a high-quality and comprehensive global program. All new global education program directors (with 1-5 years of experience in the position) who are interested in building their leadership acumen and furthering their collaborative work with internal and external school colleagues should plan to attend. Participants will begin with their schools mission, expand upon the vision for global education at their school, and develop a strategy and plan for how to move forward over the next few years to bring that vision and plan to fruition. Participants will have access to the insight of model practices and practical essential resources from within the GEBG community of schools.

AUDIENCE: Global Directors in years 1-5

DATES: July 8-10, 2019

SCHEDULE: 3-8pm on Monday July 8, 9-3pm Tuesday July 9, and 9-2:30pm on Wednesday July 10

LOCATION: New York City, New York

PARTNER: Hosted at Packer Collegiate Institute

COST: \$950 member schools, \$1100 non member school attendees. Housing not included but one dinner, two breakfasts (for those staying at recommended hotel) and two lunches included

HOUSING: Recommended Hotel, Nu Hotel Brooklyn, 85 Smith Street, Brooklyn, New York 11201
Please make a reservation at www.nuhotelbrooklyn.com. There are also many other options nearby.

"This has been one of the best professional development experiences of my entire academic career"
- 2018 Global Leadership Summer Symposium Participant

To register: please visit www.gebg.org

GEBG 2019 Summer Leadership Symposia Agenda Overview

Monday July 8

3:00-5:00 pm *Overview and Goals of the Symposia*
Opening Session

5:00 - 8:00 pm *Creating a Professional Community*
Group Dinner and Dialogue

Tuesday July 9

Before 8:30am Breakfast at the hotel for those staying at Nu Hotel Brooklyn

8:30 am Walk to Packer Collegiate School (10 minutes from hotel)
Those staying elsewhere meet by 9am at Packer Collegiate School

9 am - 12:00 pm *Mission and Values, Governance and Leadership*

12:00 pm Lunch provided on campus

1:00 - 3:00 pm *Developing Curriculum, Communications*

Dinner on your own, suggestions provided

Wednesday July 10

Before 8:30am Breakfast at the hotel for those staying at Nu Hotel Brooklyn

8:30 am Walk to Packer Collegiate School (10 minutes from hotel)
Those staying elsewhere meet by 9am at Packer Collegiate School

9 am - 12:00 pm *Program Development, Risk Management*

12:00 pm Lunch provided on campus

12:30 - 2:00 pm *Leadership Action Plans*

2:00 - 2:30 pm *Whole Group Reflections*

Summer Leadership Symposia Facilitator Bios



CLARE SISISKY

Clare Sisisky is currently the Executive Director of the Global Education Benchmark Group. She spent 8 years at the Collegiate School in Richmond, Virginia as the Founding Director of the Institute for Responsible Citizenship and the Director of Strategic Planning. Her leadership responsibilities included overseeing all the global engagement, service-learning, inclusion, entrepreneurship and sustainability programs and developing curriculum in these areas in partnership with faculty. She also led the school's strategic planning process working closely with the Head of School and the Board of Trustees. She began at Collegiate as the Director of Global Education, where she created the International Emerging Leaders program and a network of 12 partner schools around the world with students and faculty programming.

She previously worked as an administrator for a large public school district, for the National Committee on U.S.-China Relations in Beijing, and was on the faculty at Phillips Academy Andover. Clare has an undergraduate degree from George Washington University and a graduate degree from Harvard University where her research included a year-long fellowship in Mauritius and extended time in India. Clare has written and presented on many topics relating to global and cross-cultural competencies in K-12 education. She is a founding Board Member of the Global Education Benchmark Group (GEBG) and is a Board Member of the Council for Standards in International Education Travel (CSIET).



DAVID THOMPSON

David L. Thompson is the Director of International Programs at the Hotchkiss School in Connecticut. David joined the Hotchkiss admission office in 1999 after four years as Director of Admission at School Year Abroad (SYA). After six years as an admission officer, David took a leave of absence and completed a degree in Intercultural Relations with a focus on study abroad and international student advising (Lesley University, M.A. 2006). While at Lesley, he worked as the advisor for undergraduate study abroad/study away, and returned to Hotchkiss to lead all areas of the International Programs, including all international travel programs and international students.

David's interest in travel was fostered at an early age by spending his junior year of high school in Spain with SYA ('87), studying abroad in Argentina as part of his Latin American Studies work at Vassar College (A.B. 1992), and living for an additional two years in Buenos Aires following graduation. In addition to his work as Director of International Programs at Hotchkiss, David is on the executive committee of the New England Prep School Ultimate League, which he co-founded in 2001, serves on several advisory committees for Round Square (Hotchkiss has been a global member since 2004), and works with the global education committee of the Eight Schools Association. David is a founding member of the GEBG Board of Directors.