

# **April 2022**



### Gender Equity & Social Inclusion With Dr. Ramos-Mattoussi

The Center for Global Engagement's <u>Engage Your World Speaker Series</u> on Wednesday, March 30, 5 - 6:30 p.m. on Zoom. Click below to register.

This presentation will focus on deconstructing accepted frameworks for Gender Equity and Social Inclusion (GESI) that the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) has integrated in the implementation of its projects.

Understanding that equity and inclusion challenges manifest differently in different countries and societies, the speaker will discuss how these efforts towards inclusion have been perceived, accepted, or rejected in diverse contexts.

Dr. Flavia Ramos-Mattoussi is a Senior Research Associate at <u>FSU's Learning Systems Institute</u> and Associate Director of the <u>Center for International Studies in Educational Research and</u> <u>Development (CISERD)</u>.

She is an international education and development professional with more than 30 years of experience in project design, and evaluation of education initiatives in multicultural, post-conflict and development settings.

This event also counts toward one of the intercultural event requirements for the <u>Global</u> <u>Citizenship Certificate</u>.



# **Global Café**

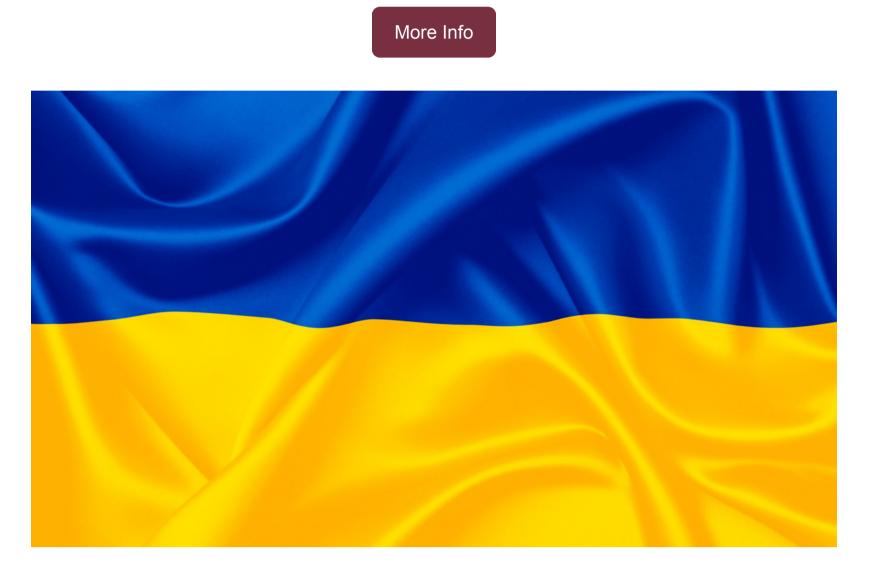
# **Vietnamese Student Association**

The Center for Global Engagement is excited for you to join us Friday, April 1, for <u>Global Café</u> cohosted with the Vietnamese Student Association.

Students, faculty, staff, and members of the Tallahassee community have the opportunity to enjoy authentic international cuisine and music at this student-let fundraiser for just \$10 per plate (cash or check only). The event begins at 11:30 am and lasts until the food runs out!

Please enjoy Com Tấm (broken rice paired with grilled pork), Gỏi cuốn (spring rolls with shrimp, vermicelli noodles, vegetables, and herbs, served with peanut or sweet fish sauce), Xà Lách (salad topped with tomatoes, cucumbers, and sliced pickled carrots), Pandan ice cream (served with coconut shreds and peanuts), with a passionfruit drink. Vegetarian options will be provided.

Global Café counts as an intercultural event for undergraduates enrolled in the <u>Global Citizenship</u> <u>Certificate</u> or faculty and staff completing the <u>Global Partner Certificate</u>.



### **Understand the War in Ukraine: A Roundtable With FSU Faculty**

April 12, 2022 | 5 - 6:30 p.m. | Location: Globe Auditorium & Live Stream

The Office of the Provost, College of Communication and Information, and Center for Global Engagement's Engage Your World Speaker Series present a roundtable on the war in Ukraine on April 12th at 5:00 p.m. This event will be held in person at the Globe Auditorium as well as live streamed.

Many argue that the war in Ukraine is both a massive human catastrophe and a defining event for world politics in the early 21st century. This event will draw upon the research expertise of our faculty to help the FSU community make meaning of these significant events. We invite the FSU and Tallahassee communities to attend the event and become better equipped to understand the war and to interpret the news.



For more information and live stream like click here.

### International Student Graduation Reception 2022

Attention: Graduating Students Fall 2021, Spring and Summer 2022 Globe Auditorium -- Wednesday, April 20, 3:00 p.m.

We are pleased to invite all the international students who graduated in Fall 2021, or who will graduate in Spring or Summer 2022, to the annual International Student Graduation Reception to be held on Wednesday, April 20, at 3 p.m. in the Globe Auditorium. Please mark your calendars now.

FSU's Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, Dr. Sam Huckaba, will make the congratulatory address. Having Dr. Huckaba attend this event is a honor and reflects his recognition of the valuable contributions international students make to FSU. Melissa Shahbandeh, graduating in August with a Ph.D. in physics with a specialty in astrophysics, will be the student speaker at the reception.

# **Highlights & Programs**

#### **International Coffee Hour**



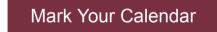
**Every Friday When Classes Are in Session** *The Globe Dining Room* | *5*–6:30 p.m.

Join us every Friday when classes are in session from 5– 6:30 p.m. in The Globe for refreshments from a featured culture and interaction with students, scholars, and faculty from around the world.

Please mark your calendars for the April schedule and featured cultures.

- 4/1: Arab Student Union
- 4/8: Filipino Student Association
- 4/15: Hispanic Latinx Student Union
- 4/22: CGE

This event is open to all current FSU students, faculty, and staff.



#### **English Conversation Club**



Monday – Friday The Globe Lounge | 4–5 p.m.

CGE invites all levels of English as a Second Language (ESL) speakers to meet and practice conversational English in a relaxed atmosphere during its English Conversation Club. These sessions are led by experienced English speakers.

English Conversation Club is free for FSU students, scholars, and their family members.

Mark Your Calendar

## **CGE Student Spotlight**

Dr. Edmundo Bello, Florida State University international alum from Brazil, claims his experience at FSU presented him with invaluable opportunities to network with worldrenowned scientists and passionate faculty who inspired him to change the world for the better with science.

Bello, who graduated in 2019 with a Ph.D. in Chemistry, is an instrumental analysis chemist at the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (FDACS) where he assists in the conservation of the endangered ecosystems of Lake Wales Ridge, a National Wildlife Refuge.



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## **Spring Info Sessions**

#### **Global Citizenship Certificate Information Sessions**



Mondays at 4 p.m. | Wednesdays at 12 p.m. The Globe Room 2600

Through a combination of taking academic courses (1 required and 3 electives), attending 8 intercultural events, and completing 1 sustained experience, you can earn your Global Citizenship Certificate and develop intercultural and communication skills and enhance your knowledge of global issues.

Attend an info session so you can learn more about how our program can help you achieve your goals.

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#### **Global Exchanges Information Sessions**



Wednesdays at 1 p.m. | Fridays at 12 p.m. The Globe Room 2300

Join us to find out how you can study at one of FSU's 45+ international partner universities while earning FSU credits, paying FSU tuition and using your financial aid! Topics covered include: selecting the right program, application process, and course selection and financial aid.

View the complete list of FSU's Global Exchange programs by clicking below.



# **FSU Global Events**

For a full list of FSU's events with a global focus, <u>check out this full calendar of events</u> or visit <u>global.fsu.edu</u>.

# **Global Citizenship Certificate Events\***



FSU's Global Citizenship Certificate prepares undergraduate students to succeed in a diverse and multicultural world. Students take four academic courses (choose from a list of 500+ approved liberal studies courses), attend 8 intercultural events, and completed a sustained experience.

An asterisk (\*) is used to denote which events qualify as an intercultural event toward the Global Citizenship Certificate. For more information, click below.

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#### **Support CGE Programs**



The Center for Global Engagement facilitates international diversity, fosters global understanding and awareness, and enhances internationalization efforts throughout the FSU community.

We envision a welcoming campus environment where students, faculty, and staff value cultural diversity and actively engage in a global community.

If you would like to support our mission by making a donation to our programming fund, please click the 'give' button below. On behalf of the CGE, the Division of Student Affairs, and the FSU Foundation, we thank you for supporting Florida State University.



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