

# Global Opportunities Abroad Leader (GOAL) Application

## Organization Purpose:

As part of International Education Center's commitment to internationalization and student development, the Global Opportunities Abroad Leader (GOAL) program provides returning study abroad students with an opportunity to cultivate overseas' educational goals and cultural experiences with the engagement of University of California, Riverside's student cohort for potential international undergraduate or post graduate opportunities.

GOAL participants serve as mentors to anyone considering international opportunities. This includes but is not limited to study, internship, volunteer, and work abroad opportunities. In addition, GOAL participants will assist with study abroad recruitment, marketing/outreach, event programming, and peer-advising.

## Preferred Requirements:

- Prior study abroad or international related experience
- Computer literacy: Microsoft Office suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Publisher,) Adobe Software (Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash), Database Management (File Maker Pro)

## Description of Duties:

- Conduct Information Sessions, Application Workshops and Class Visits
- Host Information Tables at Noon Time Activities/Fairs/ Special Events
- Assist with Club/Dorm Visits
- Assist with International Education Center activities and outreach
- Design posters, banners, flyers, and advertisements
- Contribute and coordinate to IEC Newsletter/Pawprint, sent quarterly

## Skills required:

- Positive role-model for EAP, OAP, and UCR
- Knowledge of Education Abroad Program and Opportunities Abroad Program
- Willing to share their international experiences
- Strong work ethic and hard-working, regardless of task assigned
- Maintain professionalism with students, staff, and faculty
- Excellent communication and public speaking skills
- Outgoing personality
- Strong creative skills
- Reliable person

## Receive a certificate based on hours of service and credit towards your co-curricular transcript!

Now that you know a little bit about GOAL, we hope you have decided to become a GOAL mentor.



If you'd like to be a part of our team, please take a few minutes to fill out the following application so that we may learn a little about you and your background. If you have any questions or would like more information, please feel free to contact the International Education Center at 951-827-4113.

## Please return this application to:

**The International Education Center  
Statistics and Computing Building 1669 (1<sup>st</sup> floor)  
900 University Avenue  
University of California  
Riverside, CA 92521-0307**

After reviewing all of the applications, we will be contacting you for an interview. Thank you.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID Number \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ Class Level \_\_\_\_\_

Local Address \_\_\_\_\_

Local Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ UCR Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Summer Address (effective from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_)

\_\_\_\_\_

Summer Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Which of the above addresses is your permanent address? If neither, please list your permanent address and phone number.

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Please answer the following questions to help us get to know you better.**

1) What are your reasons for applying to be a Global Opportunities Abroad Leader (GOAL)?

2) Have you studied, interned, or volunteered outside of the U.S.? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes: Where? \_\_\_\_\_

When? \_\_\_\_\_ How long? \_\_\_\_\_

3) Please describe what you think the duties and responsibilities of a GOAL are. In your answer, please include what you think the three most important personal qualities for a GOAL should be and why.

4) Please discuss any employment, volunteer experience, or community service in which you have participated that may be relevant to the position of GOAL or that demonstrate your personal qualities. (You may attach a resume).

5) Please answer the following questions regarding your desired hours of service:

QUESTIONS	Yes	No
Are you applying for a Bronze level certificate equaling 40 hours of service?		
Are you applying for a Silver level certificate equaling 80 hours of service?		
Are you applying for a Gold level certificate equaling 120 hours of service?		

6) Are you willing to volunteer for an early morning shift at the Worldfest Study Abroad Fair on October, 12, 2009 for double the hours of service? Yes\_\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_\_