



Campus Compact Mid-Atlantic

GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP AWARD

DEADLINE to be submitted via email: September 23, 2021

Award Information

This award recognizes outstanding contributions in shifting campus and community culture to develop global citizens and mutual understanding at the local, regional, or international scale. Applicants/nominees should be actively advancing or engaging with the concept of global citizenship in a way that promotes and upholds justice, equity, diversity, and inclusion. **All application/nomination packets and letters of recommendation must be received by 5:00pm, September 23, 2021.** Applicants/nominees will receive an email confirming their packet has been received.

Eligibility

- Applicants/nominees may be an administrator, faculty member, current student, campus-community partnership, volunteer office, or another collegiate or community-based program that advances global citizenship and mutual understanding in their community.
- Applicants/nominees will be judged according to their work, participation, and innovative ideas that contribute to the development of global citizens and increased mutual understanding.
- All applicants/nominees must be employed or enrolled at a Campus Compact Mid-Atlantic member institution in good standing or a non-governmental organization in the CCMA region.

Requirements

1. A completed **application/nomination form**.
2. A **professional summary** addressing all professional activities, including approaches and efforts that demonstrate a commitment to the concepts of global citizenship and mutual understanding. *Summary should be a maximum of 2 pages, Calibri font, 11-point, and double-spaced. Photographs may also be included.*
3. **Two letters of recommendation (with two completed recommendation forms)**, from a campus administrator, faculty member, student, or community representative who is familiar with the nominee's work.
4. **Curriculum Vitae or Resume.**

Application Instructions

- Professional summary should be a maximum of 2 pages, and 11-point Calibri font.
- Letters of recommendation should be a maximum of 1 page, and 11-point Calibri font.
- Compile application/nomination form, professional summary, completed recommendation forms and recommendation letters, and resume into ONE DOCUMENT, either Word or pdf.
- Attach this document to an email with the subject: Global Citizenship: NAME OF NOMINEE IN ALL CAPS
- **Send to awards@ccmidatlantic.org by 5:00 pm, September 23, 2021.**

For questions, please contact us at awards@ccmidatlantic.org or 301-696-3280.



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2021 CCMA Global Citizenship Award
Criteria for Selection

The inaugural CCMA Global Citizenship Award will be presented to an individual or group within the CCMA network and/or region that demonstrates significant leadership or contributions to the advancement of global citizenship and mutual understanding.

Nominees/applicants for the Global Citizenship Award should be active in creating global citizens or advancing the concepts of global citizenship and mutual understanding via activities aligned with our definition of global citizenship and included in one or more of the following three pillars of global citizenship. The definition and pillars are interconnected and serve only as a framework and are not meant to limit the concept of global citizenship, its reach, and potential throughout our member institutions and region. As such, we welcome all nominees and applicants, including those whose methods or experiences do not perfectly fall within the definitions outlined below.

I. DEFINITION OF GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

Global citizenship is a universal value that connects individuals and communities across both global *and* domestic boundaries to create sustainable and meaningful action and change within interconnected communities and throughout the world.¹

II. TEACHING AND LEARNING

“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.”

– Nelson Mandela

Activities occurring within either formal or informal academic or community institutions of learning that lead to an increased awareness of self, other, community, and world. Teachers, professors, mentors, and other individuals may be engaged in this work, and their efforts should advance a holistic understanding of the world and each individual’s place in it, ultimately leading students of all ages and backgrounds to embrace their role as conscious community members and engaged global citizens.

III. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND COLLECTIVE ACTION

“I am often asked what can people do to become a good global citizen?”

I reply that it begins in your own community.”

– Kofi Annan

¹ We acknowledge and affirm the [Melton Foundation for Global Citizenship’s](#) vision for global citizenship, which states that global citizenship is “a way for individuals and organizations to work together across boundaries of place and identity to solve challenges in an interconnected world.”

Positive action and/or change arising from an individual or group that substantially contributes to increased justice, equity, global awareness, mutual understanding, or the solution of a community and/or global problem. Community organizers, civic leaders, service-learning initiatives, volunteers, non-governmental organizations, and other individuals or groups may be engaged in such actions or change. Their work may be focused on a specific community, problem, or population, but should be mindful of its and their connection to the greater world.

IV. GROWTH AND SUSTAINABILITY

“Once social change begins, it cannot be reversed...We have seen the future and the future is ours.”

– Cesar Chavez

Initiatives or actions that tackle the complexities of current issues and problems in a global context, but in a way that acknowledges and embraces the idea that any solution, mindset, or framework developed in the present moment should lead to a more prosperous and sustainable future. The concept of global citizenship connects past, present, and future individuals, institutions, and communities, emphasizing that present efforts and initiatives that create global citizens and mutual understanding will benefit future generations of people living in the Delaware, Maryland, and Washington, D.C. region and beyond.

**CCMA’s Global Citizenship Initiative (GCI) Taskforce, which will convene throughout the 2021-2022 academic year, will develop and recommend ways that CCMA and its network of higher education institutions and communities can expand or institutionalize existing efforts or develop new ways to create global citizens and mutual understanding in our region, nation, and world. Criteria for future editions of the CCMA Global Citizenship Award will be developed from the Taskforce’s work. Thus, we anticipate that the criteria found above will be used only for the 2021 CCMA Global Citizenship Award.*



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**GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP AWARD
Recommendation Form**

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Applicant/Nominee's Last Name

First Name

Recommender's Last Name

First Name

Recommender's Title

Recommender's Email

Recommender's Phone

Fax

Campus/Organization Address

City

State

Zip

Letter of Recommendation

Please attach your letter of recommendation explaining why you believe the applicant/nominee deserves to be recognized for promoting global citizenship and mutual understanding.

Please include this form and your one-page, 11-point font Calibri letter of recommendation within the full nomination packet to awards@ccmidatlantic.org with the email subject line reading *Global Citizenship: NAME OF NOMINEE IN ALL CAPS*, by 5:00 pm, September 23, 2021.

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