

SCIENCE DIPLOMACY & LEADERSHIP PROGRAM



June 21 - 30, 2015 | Washington DC

A new international summer course for scientists and engineers to broaden their training to understand and address the emerging challenges of the Americas.

Who should attend?

Early career scientists and engineers interested in the regional and global implications of science, technology and innovation for societal benefit in the Americas.

What to expect?

Academic module: includes lectures by Arizona State University faculty, national and international speakers, and visits to federal agencies, non-profits, multilateral bodies and think tanks focused on regional engagement with Latin America.

Leadership module: training in communication, teamwork, cross-cultural awareness, innovation and entrepreneurship.

Networking: join a growing inter-American network of young leaders and innovators reaching across borders to positively impact the region.

How much does it cost?

\$4,500 includes tuition, shared lodging at George Washington University, all breakfasts and lunches and local transportation. Does not include travel and visa costs to Washington DC.

\$3,500 without lodging and breakfast.

Questions?

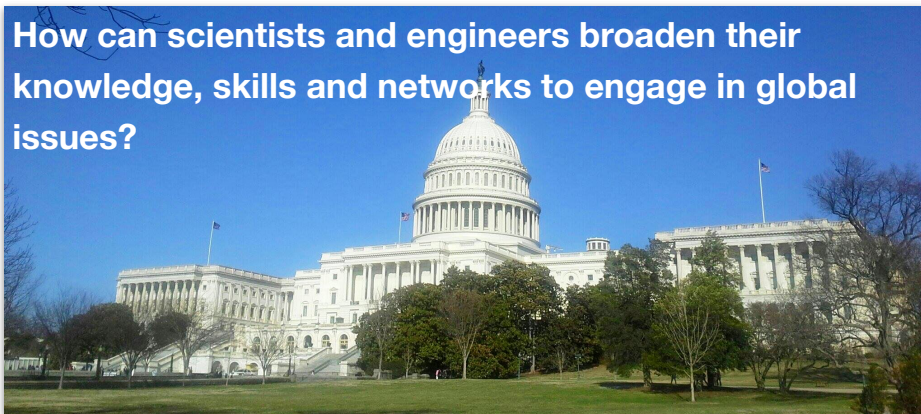
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What is the role of science in global challenges?
How do nations engage in scientific cooperation?
How are shared spaces and natural resources governed?
How can science stabilize difficult political relations?

Solutions to challenges that know no borders, such as ensuring energy, health, water or food security in a sustainable world lie at the intersection of science and international relations. However, the combination of multiple cultures, development histories and political differences adds to the complexity of achieving common goals.

Science diplomacy is an emerging concept that promotes the common language and values of science to cooperatively solve global problems.

How can scientists and engineers broaden their knowledge, skills and networks to engage in global issues?



The **Science Diplomacy & Leadership Program** is a new international Science Outside the Lab course presented by the Consortium for Science, Policy & Outcomes to expose scientists and engineers to key transnational issues relating to science, technology, environment and health in the Americas. Participants will develop a broad set of skills and practical tools to work across borders, cultures and disciplines and become agents of change in their countries and in the region.

Apply by March 31, 2015

<http://cspo.org/program/science-outside-the-lab>