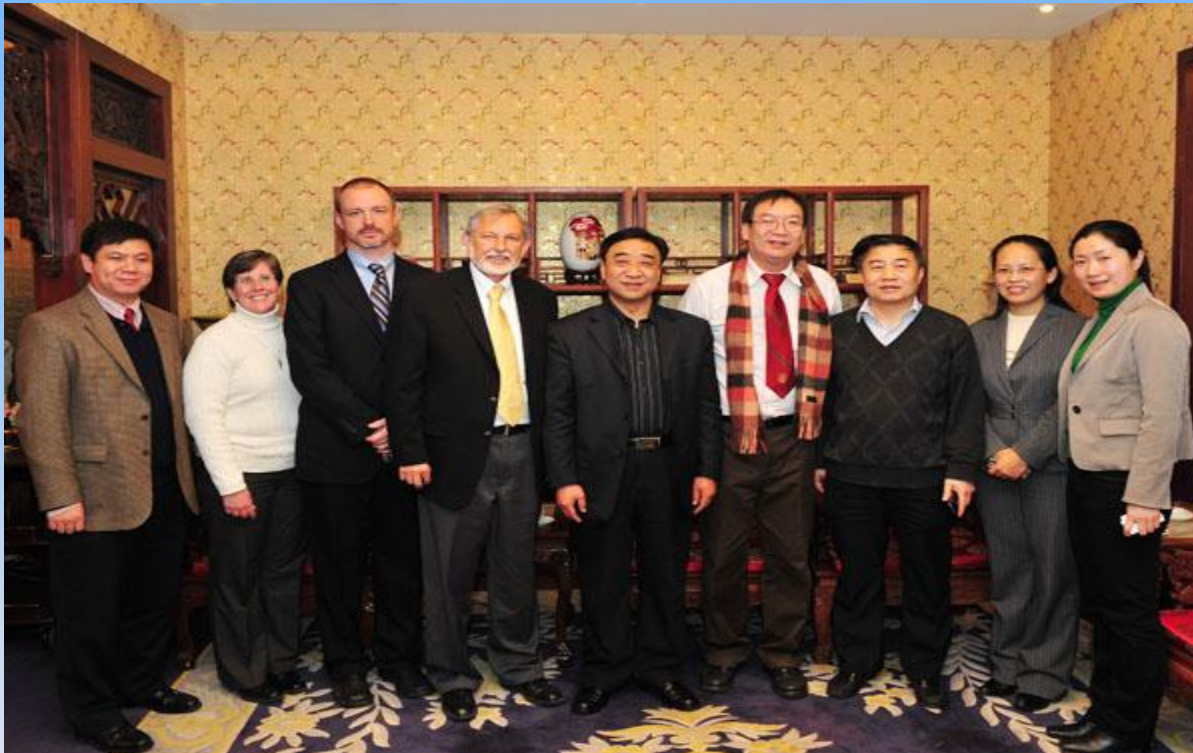


YOUR ROLE IN INTERNATIONALIZING UF



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FUNDAMENTAL QUESTION:

Why build an international profile into your career track?



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- International engagement makes you a better faculty member: more engaged with your peers and what is current in your discipline globally.
- An international presence, through you, makes UF a better institution – a world class institution committed to a global agenda.

THE PRINCIPAL ROLE OF A UNIVERSITY

...is to make the world a better place through the application of our gifts and skills in discovery and learning.



YOUR ROLE IN THIS AGENDA

Seek and embrace opportunities in research and education with peers around the world that are consistent with your interests, skills, and responsibilities – and that are consistent with the mission of the University.

Building an International Profile: Tools Available at UF

- Peers in your units with appropriate experience, contacts, and insight
- Your college's administration
- Area Study Centers (African, European, Latin American)
- Center for International Business Education and Research
- UF International Center (UFIC)

UF International Center (UFIC)

A central focal point for campus internationalization in all dimensions of the work of the University.



Principal Goals of UFIC

- Strengthen global activities in all mission areas: learning, discovery, engagement.
- Project UF into the world as an engaged, committed, and credible partner in research, education, and outreach.
- Bring the world to the UF campus and our stakeholder community beyond the boundaries of our campus.

UFIC Mission Statement

The International Center motivates and leads the UF community to think and act globally in fulfilling the university's missions of learning, discovery, and engagement.

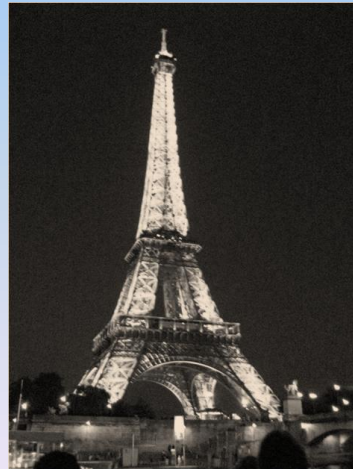
Organizational Units at UFIC

- International Student Services
- Exchange Visitor Services
- Study Abroad Services
- Program Development and Outreach



UFIC Affiliate Centers

- UF Beijing Center for International Studies
- Paris partnership
- UF International Education Center (Hyderabad)
- UF Chile Center, Santiago



Related Campus Units

- Center for African Studies
- Center for Latin American Studies
- Center for European Studies
- Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER)

SACS Reaccreditation and the QEP

- ❑ UF is scheduled for a reaccreditation review during the academic year 2013/14.
- ❑ A core component of the reaccreditation review is the preparation and implementation of a Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP).
- ❑ The QEP theme is “Internationalization.”
- ❑ The plan is under development now – and your input will be welcome.

UFIC Website

<http://www.ufic.ufl.edu>

