Washington State Coalition for International Education presents the 2nd Preschool – Graduate School International Education Summit

Building Global Relationships

INVEST in our CHILDREN’S FUTURE. Join educators, business and political leaders, parents, students, and community members as we work together to prepare Washington students for today’s interconnected world.

Wednesday, October 27, 2004
Red Lion Hotel
2300 Evergreen Park Drive
Olympia, WA 98502
10:00 - 5:00 (Followed by a reception co-sponsored by NAFSA (Association of International Educators))

Admission to the Summit is free. Join us for the special “Global Relationships” lunch with guest panelists Bill Center, President of the Washington Council on International Trade, and Karen Kodama, Principal of Seattle’s award-winning John Stanford International School, for $25 per person with advance registration.


Highlights of the Day

- Broaden your networks and gather information at the Resource Fair, featuring dozens of local international education organizations and schools
- Interact with student leaders, educators, and parents, and learn why they think international education is important
- See how international education and technology work together to build global relationships
- Hear why business leaders think international education is vital to our state’s economy, and learn how to teach about global connections in trade
- Find out where, when, and how world languages are being taught in our state
- Learn how to connect students to the world (while meeting state standards) through classroom-based curriculum and assessments in Social Studies
- Discover how to advocate for international

Sponsors

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