

"Even though you are thousands of miles away from home, you soon get to realize that you have a family in the U.S. too—the Global UGRAD one."

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Biljana Konatar (University of Missouri), Montenegro

## Benefits of being a Global UGRAD student.

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- Experience the United States in a unique and meaningful way
- Get out of your comfort zone and, in doing so, gain the skills to adapt to new environments
- Develop skills that allow you be a productive global citizen and a contributing member of your home community
- Form life long connections with people from across the globe
- Participate in a virtual professional skills development course which will allow you to take full advantage of your Global UGRAD experience
- Gain access to a variety activities and grants available only to U.S. Department of State alumni

## What is the Global UGRAD program?

The Global UGRAD Program is a U.S. Department of State sponsored initiative that grants scholarships to undergraduate level students from over 55 countries. Students are placed at colleges and universities across the United States where they participate in one semester of undergraduate, non-degree study. Global UGRAD is administered by World Learning.

Since 2008, World Learning has facilitated the placement of almost 1,800 Global UGRAD students. Students leave the U.S. with the tools to become leaders in their professions and home communities.

## "I have developed more skills in each area of my life. I feel more connected with the world in general. I feel more confident to face new challenges."



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