

DCC VIRTUAL EXCHANGE

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During February, March and April 2021, the Global Training Initiative at NC State offered twenty-five sessions of our Developing Cultural Competence Virtual Cultural Exchange and Student Certificate Program. Of the 790 students who enrolled, 634 students from NC State University and our global partner institutions earned the Spring 2021 Certificate.

GTI THANKS OUR GLOBAL PARTNERS FOR YOUR WORK IN PROMOTING AND RECRUITING THIS FANTASTIC COHORT OF CULTURAL LEARNERS:



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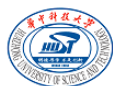
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We also appreciate our self-enrolled participants from the following universities: Beijing Normal University (CH), Coastal Carolina University (US), Nagoya University (JP), Nanjing Normal University (CH), Shandong University (CH), Soochow University (CH), Technical University of Panama (PA) and University of International Business and Economics (CH).

"Happy Cultural Learning"

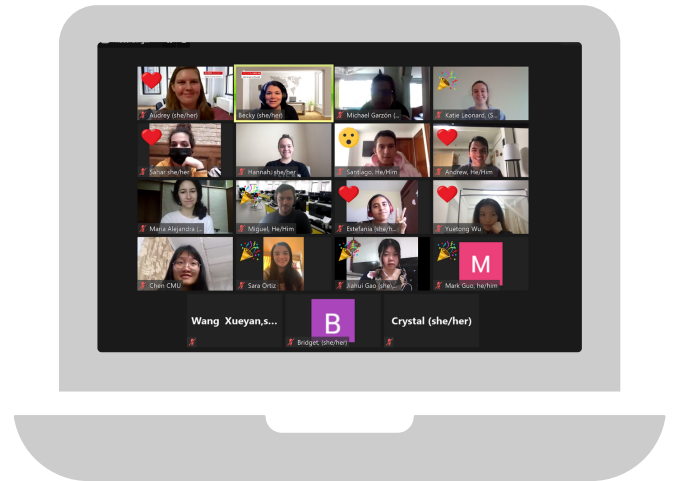
The DCC provides a theoretical framework for understanding culture, learning about cultural dimensions, and improving cultural competency. In four weeks, students build an international network while studying global cultures. The certificate program appeals to students in all academic disciplines and prepares students to:

- Develop an understanding of their own cultural context
- Promote cultural awareness in personal and professional settings
- Practice communication skills and implement strategies for working effectively across cultural difference

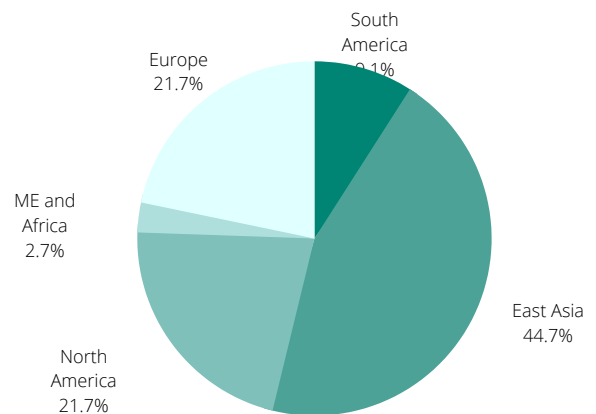
Self-paced learning content, large group lecture, and small group discussion were complemented by a series of individual assignments which challenged participants to apply the concepts of the course to their own experience.

Participants demonstrate growth through non-judgmental observations of others, assessment of personal behaviors, and increased interest and appreciation for cultural diversity.

Among the course outcomes, students most consistently indicated a greater understanding of global cultures, greater connectedness to others and competence in intercultural communication, for both native and non-native English speakers.



Our Spring 2021 learning community represented more than 20 nationalities and hundreds of unique majors.



Developing Cultural Competence
Student Certificate & Virtual Exchange

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STUDENTS COMPLETING THE PROGRAM WERE ISSUED A PDF CERTIFICATE, A VERIFIED ONLINE BADGE, AND INVITED TO JOIN A LINKEDIN COMMUNITY OF PEERS.