



Georgia Council for International Visitors

The Atlanta Summit on Citizen Diplomacy

Friday, November 16th, 2007

at Georgia State University

- 8:30 AM** Networking Fair Opens
- 8:30 AM – 9:00 AM** Registration
- 9:00 AM – 9:20 AM** Welcome from Atlanta City Councilman Jim Maddox, GSU Assistant Provost for International Affairs John Hicks, Reece & Associates President Wayne Reece, and GCIIV Executive Director Shell Stuart
- 9:30 AM – 10:45 AM** Session One: *“The World around Us”*
Concurrent Workshops
- Understanding the Arab and Muslim Worlds
 - Knowing Latin America
 - Learning about the African Continent
 - Exploring Asia
 - The Diplomatic Life, Featuring Atlanta’s Consular Corps
 - Expand Your Horizons: Introductory French Language Class
 - Expand Your Horizons: Introductory Arabic Language Class
- 11:00 AM – 12:15 PM** Session Two: *“Survival Skills in an Era of Globalization”*
Concurrent Workshops
- Cross Cultural Communication
 - Global Business Skills
 - What You Need to Know about Protocol
 - The Diplomatic Life, Featuring Atlanta’s Consular Corps
 - Expand Your Horizons: Introductory Spanish Language Class
 - Expand Your Horizons: Introductory Chinese Language Class
- 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM** Lunch
- 12:45 – 1:30 PM – Keynote Speaker Brad Minnick, Director of the U.S. Department of State’s International Visitor Leadership Program
- 1:45 PM–3:00 PM** Session Three: *“Becoming Engaged”*
Concurrent Workshops
- GCIIV Host Orientation
 - Tales from Exchange Participants
 - Working with Elected Officials
 - Citizen Diplomacy: Opportunities for Participation