Global Leadership Forum
Asia Pacific

Disruptor or innovator, campaigner or catalyst, revolution or evolution.

How will you change the world?

The Global Leadership Forum — Asia Pacific brings together up to 2,000 students online for three hours to engage with a global network of visionary leaders representing massive international brands, as well as unsung heroes who make change happen in their local communities.

Speakers join from across the globe to share insights into the challenges faced by leaders in their cities and societies. Students can join from anywhere in the world too, leveraging the convening power of technology to create a unique learning experience with a worldwide audience.

At a time of social distancing, with both domestic and international students unable to attend campus, this is a chance to continue the development of their knowledge, insights and ability to effect the change they are passionate about—and to demonstrate this by earning the embedded Global Leadership micro-credential.

“All the speakers were outstanding! I hope to have more speaker sessions like these, very inspiring and can't help but think that this was almost better than a TED Talk. We were able to ask questions and get answers in the comfort of our homes. Really appreciate this opportunity!”

Student, RMIT University
Global Leadership Forum, May 2020
Our powerful learning journey

The Global Leadership Forum is a carefully designed and curated learning journey which offers students the flexibility to explore the issues which matter most to them. Each session is facilitated by our expert team, and students are able to put their burning questions to the speakers.

Opening keynote (35 minutes)
A powerful speaker challenges and inspires the students to step up as the next generation of leaders.

Leadership Masterclass and Insight (45 minutes each)
Students choose one Leadership Masterclass and one Leadership Insight each with expert speakers, covering pressing issues in the workplace and society, and how these leaders have led across boundaries. Whether a session speaks to their head or their heart, their academic or career interests, they can self-direct their learning by choosing the sessions that resonate with them.

Closing keynote (35 minutes)
We reconvene as a whole group to hear from a closing keynote speaker who pulls the learning together across the sessions, and further inspires the students to go and change the world.

Reflection
Students’ learning and development is reinforced and articulated through reflective activities and the embedded Global Leadership micro-credential. This can be shared on LinkedIn and via digital backpacks.

Impact
We assessed the learning and development of over 1,500 participants on a recent Global Leadership Forum, who gave an average score of:

- **5.23 out of 6** when asked if they have a better understanding of **what it means to be a leader**.
- **5.27 out of 6** when asked if they have a better understanding of **how leaders tackle key challenges**
- **5.51 out of 6** when asked if the Global Leadership Forum had been a **valuable learning experience**.

How does it work?

The Global Leadership Forum will bring together students and universities from across Asia-Pacific from 2.30—5.30pm SGT on 29 October.

Speakers joining us from Singapore, Vietnam, Australia and beyond include:

- **Ida Uusikyla**
  Innovation Officer
  **UNDP**

- **Alvin Ng**
  Vice-President and General Manager
  **Johnson Controls**

- **Amita Chaudhury**
  Head of Sustainable Business, South East Asia and Australasia
  **Unilever**

- **Eugene Ho**
  Head of Corporate Affairs
  **SAP**

- **Rana Flowers**
  Head
  **UNICEF**

- **Phoebe Jones**
  Senior Consultant, Climate Change and Sustainability
  **Ernst & Young**

- **Ed Kitchen**
  Head of New Business Verticals
  **Uber Eats**

- **Angela Bee Chan**
  Microgrid Evangelist, North America
  **Schneider Electric**

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