



**GLOBAL  
CITIZEN  
ACADEMY**

# YOUR EDUCATION **ON PURPOSE**

## **140 SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 2020 UWC GRADS**



UWC International patron Shelby M.C. Davis is pleased to offer up to 140 need-based scholarships to UWC graduates to participate in Global Citizen Academy. This fall semester, join a diverse, global cohort to build leadership skills for a lifetime of social

### **ELIGIBILITY**

2020 UWC  
Graduates

### **SEMESTER**

August 31 through  
December 18, 2020

### **SCHOLARSHIP**

Full and partial scholarships  
available, deposit required.  
Full tuition is \$7,500.

### **DEADLINES**

June 30 &  
July 30, 2020



**MINERVA®**

Global Citizen Year and Minerva, two pioneers in global education, have teamed up to offer a truly innovative learning experience that brings leadership training to a new level.

- ▶ Connect with hopeful and determined young leaders from around the world.
- ▶ Explore topics from effective communication and systems thinking, to mindfulness, emotional intelligence, and ethical decision-making.
- ▶ Get inspired with workshops from some of today's most innovative leaders.
- ▶ Engage in dynamic courses on Minerva's cutting-edge Forum™ learning platform.

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## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **HOW DO COLLEGES VIEW A GAP EXPERIENCE LIKE GLOBAL CITIZEN ACADEMY?**

Almost all colleges are supportive of meaningful gap years because they find gap students arrive prepared to make the most out of their college experience. Yale, Harvard, Stanford, Dartmouth, and Middlebury are examples of colleges that actively encourage their applicants to take a meaningful gap year before college.

### **HOW WILL MY PARTICIPATION IN GLOBAL CITIZEN ACADEMY AFFECT COLLEGE?**

Many high school graduates who intended to start university this fall remain uncertain about what college will look like next year. Many students have decided to defer enrollment in order to take a gap year or semester. Global Citizen Academy is designed to make the gap experience a meaningful launchpad; one that will prepare you to approach college with purpose. Through our courses "Leadership As A Practice" and "Global Systems and Society," students will gain new skills for engaging with complex global issues as well as the leadership skills to make an impact. Rooted in the goals of self-development and social impact, Global Citizen Academy will help you build a foundation for learning, living and leading with purpose.

*"Global Citizen Academy is a perfect opportunity for exceptional high school graduates who are navigating this unprecedented moment. The experience will help you develop the skills and agency to become an engaged and effective learner and leader — in college, and beyond."*

— JEREMIAH QUINLAN  
DEAN OF ADMISSIONS, YALE UNIVERSITY

### **CAN I GET COLLEGE CREDIT FOR GLOBAL CITIZEN ACADEMY?**

Yes, course credit is available. You can receive four credits through Minerva Schools at KGI. If you choose to receive credit, the Shelby Davis Scholarship will cover the \$300 accreditation fee on top of your scholarship amount.

### **WHAT DO YOU LOOK FOR IN AN APPLICANT?**

Global Citizen Academy is designed for hopeful and determined high school grads who are ready to get in the arena, level up and lead. We are looking to build a well-rounded global cohort that brings a diversity of experiences and perspectives. Strong candidates will demonstrate a commitment to self-reflection, learning, and collaboration.