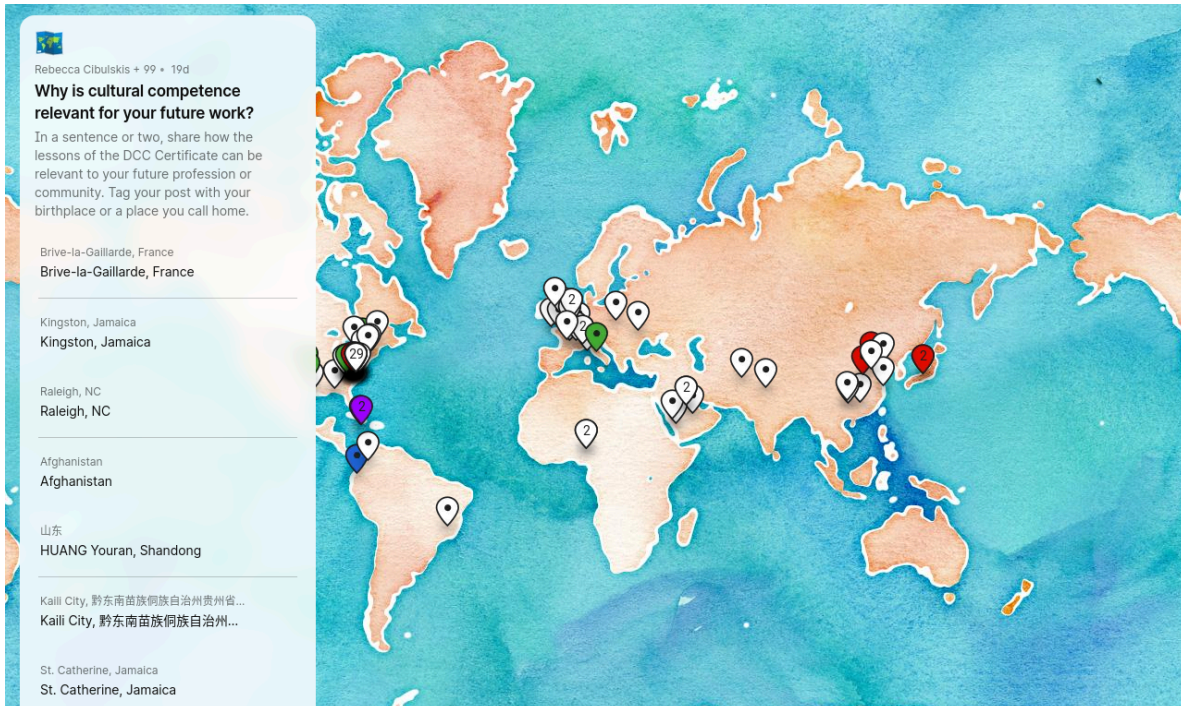


Developing Cultural Competence (DCC)

Virtual Exchange & Certificate Program



The Global Training Initiative (GTI) at NC State University provides a co-curricular high-impact cultural training program each semester. The 4-part course is offered to NC State students and students from our global partner institutions. Our curriculum includes live instructor-led meetings to discuss self-paced individual lessons as well as practical assignments. Students from all disciplines are encouraged to participate.

Successful DCC participants will be awarded a PDF certificate, a digital badge and be added to a LinkedIn network of hundreds of DCC alumni around the globe.



Program Fee: \$25 USD for CCYK students, use Sponsor Code: Beca GTI
Colleges and programs may sponsor students' participation!

DCC Program Overview

Developing Cultural Competence meets weekly for 4 facilitated discussions, with classes offered in Summer, Fall and Spring semesters.

GTI uses the [TMC/Berlitz](#) Cultural Orientations Model as our guiding framework for discussing culture. Cultural competence is the perpetual process of individual growth in successfully navigating culturally diverse situations and working with people of other cultures.



Each of the course topics engage students through:

- Self-paced learning modules
- 90-minute facilitated discussions
- Reflective exercises (3 individual + 1 group)

Topic	Objectives
1 - Orientation to Cultural Competence	Introduce the learning community Consider common language Connect traditions to cultural identities
2 - Foundations for Developing Cultural Competence	Exchange memes to share about personal cultural identities Strategize a team approach to researching cultural knowledge
3 - Developing Cultural Knowledge	Present a group report Study U.S. cultural values Identify cultural gaps
4 - Skills & Application	Consider four cultural skills and how they mitigate cultural gaps Apply learning to personal experiences and common cultural scenarios

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