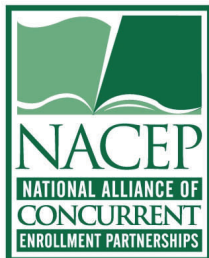


# What is UConn Early College Experience?

UConn Early College Experience (ECE) is a concurrent enrollment program that allows motivated high school students to take UConn courses at their high schools for both high school and college credit. Every course taken through UConn ECE is equivalent to the same course at the University of Connecticut. Students benefit by taking college courses in a warm setting that is both familiar and conducive to learning.

High school instructors who have been certified through the University of Connecticut serve as adjunct faculty members and teach UConn ECE courses.

Established in 1955, UConn Early College Experience is one of the nation's longest running concurrent enrollment program and is nationally accredited by the National Alliance of Concurrent Enrollment Partnerships (NACEP).



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# Globalization's Effect on Education



Globalization Conference for  
UConn Early College Experience  
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Wednesday, March 31, 2010



# Globalization

Globalization is a highly charged topic that is seen as either a positive force that speeds economic sustainability of underdeveloped countries or as a negative movement that diminishes the importance of a nation and marginalizes the poor. This interdisciplinary conference will host noted University of Connecticut scholars, Fairfield County business leaders, and over 100 UConn Early College Experience students to debate the effects of globalization and discern the many aspects of this political, social, and educational reality.

## ROOM ASSIGNMENTS

Students are divided into ten groups by color. During the roundtable discussion sessions, groups are to meet in these rooms:

**Red Room 138**

**Orange Room 222**

**Green Room 224**

**Blue Room 137**

**Purple Room 226**

**Gray Room 216**

**Brown Room 234**

**Black Room 225**

**Yellow Room 240**

**Teal Room 218**

After the session groups are to return to the auditorium for the awards ceremony and closing remarks.

## STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

**Bridgeport Regional Vocational Aquaculture School**  
—UConn ECE Environmental Science

Country: Canada

**Brien McMahon High School**—UConn ECE French

Country: Senegal

**Fairfield Warde High School**—UConn ECE  
Environmental Science

Country: India

**RHAM High School**—UConn ECE Spanish

Country: Spain

**Warren Harding High School**—UConn ECE Spanish

Country: Venezuela

**Frank S. Bunnell High School**—UConn ECE Biology

Country: Mali

## AGENDA

8:30—9:00 Registration

9:00—9:10 Opening Remarks

9:10—12:00 Student Presentations

12:00—12:30 Lunch

12:30—1:45 Roundtable Discussions

## DISCUSSION LEADERS

The first name in each pairing is a faculty member at UConn Stamford and the second name is a Fairfield County Business/Community Leader.

**Claudia Kraemer** — Ecology & Evolutionary Biology

**George Paik**—Managing Director LCP/ Former Foreign Serv. Officer

**Leslie Burton** —Psychology

**Eileen Heaphy** — Retired U.S. Diplomat/ Stamford Board of Representatives

**Wynd Harris**—Marketing

**Paul Edelberg**—Attorney, **Murtha Cullina**

**Serkan Gorkemli** — English

**Ashok Vasudevan** — CEO, Preferred Brands International

**William Alpert** - Economics

**Laure Aubuchon**—Stamford Director of Economic Development

**Annamaria Csizmadia** — Human Dev. & Family Studies

**Hamid Malakpour** — Regional Manager, TD Banknorth

**Shelley Cudiner** — Jeremy Richard Library

**Jason Liu** — President, General Network Services

**Joel Blatt** — History

**Robert Clark** — Managing Principal/ LucidPointe

**Jud Saviskas** — School of Business

**Garry Feldman** — CEO, U.S. Computer Connection Corp.

**Yu Zheng**—Political Science

**Scott MacDonald**—Sr. Managing Director/ Aladdin Capital

## PANEL OF JUDGES

Brian Boecherer—Associate Director, UConn ECE

Morty Ortega—Professor, Environmental Science

Terry Reilly—Associate Director, Enrollment & Outreach