

Individual Membership Levels

\$25 Young Professional (39 & younger)

\$40-65 Attaché \$80 Attaché (family)

- Opportunities to meet & host emerging leaders to dinner in your home
- A CultureGram™ description for each international guest invited to your home
- Quarterly email newsletter
- Invitations to Council events

\$75-124 Counselor, as Attaché plus

- Hotel discounts based on availability at the Mutiny Hotel in Miami. Reservations must be made through the Council. Hotel is subject to change.

\$125-249 Minister, as above plus

- Listing in Annual Membership Party Program

\$250+ Ambassador, as above plus

- Invitations to private invitation-only visitor receptions
- Research of visitor alumni for contact when traveling abroad

Corporate Membership Levels

\$250 – 499 Corporate Supporter

- Logo on our website & acknowledgment in our quarterly newsletter
- 2 Minister Level memberships

\$500 – 999 Corporate Sponsor

- Logo on our website & acknowledgment in our quarterly newsletter
- 4 Minister Level memberships

\$1,000 & above Ambassador Circle

- Logo on our website & acknowledgment in our quarterly newsletter
- 8 Minister Level memberships
- Opportunities to host private receptions
- Research of visitor alumni for contact when traveling abroad
- Business information included in every delegate's welcome packet

Membership Application

Name _____

Address _____

Tel: _____

Email: _____

(Notifications are sent via email.)

- Please check here if you do NOT wish your contact information to be printed in our membership directory

Countries of Interest: _____

Languages Spoken: _____

Membership Level: _____

I am interested in:

- Hosting a delegate for dinner in my home
- Meeting delegates professionally; Areas of interest or expertise are: _____

- Escorting delegates to local appointment(s)

Optional donations to the Ashley Hardaway Theriot Memorial Study Abroad Scholarship should be made out to the UWF Foundation with "AHT memorial scholarship" in the memo line.

As a 501(c)(3) organization, donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

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**GULF COAST
CITIZEN DIPLOMACY COUNCIL**

*Promoting global relationships
"one handshake at a time"*



**Citizen
Diplomacy &
the Gulf Coast
Citizen
Diplomacy
Council**

About Us

Since 1940, participants of the United States Department of State International Visitor Leadership Program (IVLP) have come to the U. S. from all over the world to meet with their professional counterparts and to experience the nation firsthand. The emphasis of the IVLP is to increase mutual understanding through communication at the personal and professional levels.

Delegates are up-and-coming leaders in a variety of fields including business, government, education, journalism, and the arts. Over 500 IVLP alumni are current or former Heads of Government or Chiefs of State and include President Anwar Sadat of Egypt, President Nicolas Sarkozy of France, Prime Minister Indira Gandhi of India, and Prime Ministers Gordon Brown, Tony Blair, and Margaret Thatcher of the United Kingdom.

The Gulf Coast Citizen Diplomacy Council brings IVLP delegates to northwest Florida so that our region can participate in this important program.

Citizen Diplomacy

is the idea that an individual citizen has the right & responsibility to help shape U.S. foreign relations.



Volunteering in Pensacola

The IVLP Benefits the Community by:

- Promoting the area as a center of commerce, culture, and tourism
- Presenting opportunities for businesses and universities to create new ties with foreign counterparts and to strengthen existing ones
- Offering extra hands to volunteer organizations; As a word for “volunteerism” does not exist in some languages, an important part of many IVLP projects is for delegates to spend a half-day volunteering.
- Having delegates available for presentations to students & local civic organizations



Members of the Council Benefit by:

- Learning about other cultures & exchanging ideas with foreign counterparts
- Knowing that their service helps the U.S. government meet its foreign policy goals
- Meeting tomorrow’s world leaders today

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