International Education Week

An opportunity to celebrate the benefits of international education and exchange worldwide, International Education Week will be November 16–20, 2020. This year, the featured speaker is Sandra Uwiringiyimana, co-founder at Jimbere Fund and author of *How Dare the Sun Rise*. Uwiringiyimana is from Democratic Republic of the Congo. In her book, she tells the tale of how she survived a massacre, immigrated to America, and overcame her trauma through art and activism. Her speaking event is scheduled on Wednesday from 6 to 7pm. You can find the zoom link on [https://ihouse.utk.edu/international-education-week/](https://ihouse.utk.edu/international-education-week/).

To kick off the week, CGE is hosting the International Career Day – including sessions with entrepreneurs and leaders in the global industry and speakers representing the Peace Corps, Fulbright Program, diplomatic careers, and JET Program. Registration is required. Visit [https://cge.utk.edu/international-career-day/](https://cge.utk.edu/international-career-day/) for the schedule of sessions and speakers.

Also going on is the virtual 5k/1 mile run/walk to celebrate the culture co-hosted by the Office of Asia Engagement and Knoxville Asian Festival. Free and open to all UT students, faculty and staff. Claim your year of the mouse collectible medal online now. [https://cge.utk.edu/oae/5k2020/](https://cge.utk.edu/oae/5k2020/)

A full schedule of events, mostly virtual, can be found at [https://ihouse.utk.edu/international-education-week/](https://ihouse.utk.edu/international-education-week/).

An Exclusive Virtual Vol Town Hall for our Vols in Asia

If you were able to join us at this week's Vol Town Hall, I encourage you to take a moment to answer a few brief questions about your overall experience at the event:

Vol Town Hall Event Survey »

For those of you who could not participate in the event, here is a link to view the discussion: Vol Town Hall Recording »

Read more.

UT Academy for Global Scholars Attended Annual SID Conference

UT students in the Academy for Global Scholars attended the annual Society for International Development Conference, featured hundreds of international development professionals, various keynote speakers, and many opportunities to network in the virtual space.

Read more.

UT is committed to the UN SDGs.

Our [Global Research Office](https://cge.utk.edu/sdg17/) is developing ways to measure UT’s progress towards the 17 Global Goals, also known as the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Over 250 courses submitted information. Students can browse courses based on specific SDGs or by departments. [https://cge.utk.edu/sdg17/](https://cge.utk.edu/sdg17/)

UT Hosts EducationUSA Group

On Tuesday, October 13, the University of Tennessee in collaboration with Study Tennessee, hosted a webinar for the U.S. Department of State's EducationUSA representatives to place Tennessee on the world map as a premier higher education option for international students.

The webinar was attended by 13 of the 15 EducationUSA offices in the U.S. and featured UT’s ability to reach virtual students from around the world. Students who join UT through EducationUSA are supported through the Tennessee Secondary School基站 (TSSSA) and UT’s [English Language Institute](https://cge.utk.edu/). Read more.

UT Remote Global Programs

The [Programs Abroad Office](https://cge.utk.edu/) is offering remote global programs! Students can gain an international experience while travel opportunities are temporarily limited and valuable professional skills in this evolving global environment! Read more.

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Mark your calendar, November 18, 2020, for UT’s annual day of giving. Help us to reach 30 new donors to unlock a scholarship donation of $25,000 by a generous donor. Give here.

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