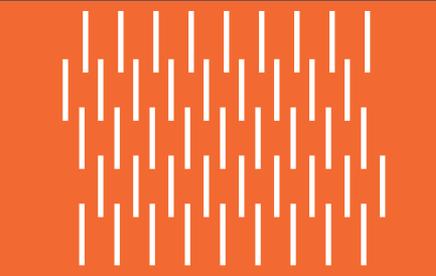




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 INTERNATIONAL
 FOUNDATION

EXCELLENCE IN TRANSFORMING IDEAS

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GEIST WORKSTATIONS AROUND THE WORLD



-  BANGLADESH
-  INDIA
-  NEPAL
-  VIETNAM
-  USA
-  UKRAINE
-  QATAR
-  SRILANKA
-  GREECE
-  THAILAND
-  MYANMAR
-  EGYPT
-  PHILIPPINES
-  CAMBODIA
-  COLOMBIA
-  TURKEY
-  UAE
-  MALAYSIA

Flagship Events

INTERNATIONAL
CONFERENCE ON
S T E A M



IOELLS

INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIAD ON
ENGLISH LANGUAGE,
LEADERSHIP & SUSTAINABILITY

GSE
Global Summit on Education-2024

NCCA
NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP ON CLIMATE
ACTION

ILPE
INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP
PROGRAM ON EDUCATION

SUSTAINABLE EDUCATIONAL ECOSYSTEM DEVELOPMENT
SEED

YEAS

GRP

GAFE
GLOBAL ASSEMBLY ON FUTURES OF
EDUCATION

WCCA
WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP ON CLIMATE
ACTION

I-STEAM
INTERNATIONAL STEAM INNOVATION
CHALLENGE

GEPEL
GLOBAL EXCHANGE PROGRAM ON
EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP

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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON
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THE INTENT

It was founded by a bunch of state alumni who wanted to do something good for the Globe with the help of the experience they gathered during their exchange program journey.

OUR MISSION

GEIST International Foundation is a global community dedicated to ensure excellence in learning, teaching and leading in transforming ideas. GEIST's innovative solutions promote the success of each child and builds sustainable future.

OUR VISION

Our Vision is for the people of all continents to experience a better life through sustainable education. The specific vision of GEIST is to become: The premier organization in creating partnership among the stake-holders engaged in activities relating to the realization of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

OUR IMPACT



18

International Workstations
Around The World



5000+

Teacher & Educators
Involved



15000+

Student, Youths &
Women Involved



300+

Involvement of U.S.
Exchange Alumni

SOME OF OUR PUBLICATIONS



ICS 2019



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ICS 2023



Access Journal



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AREAS OF WORK



Education



Climate Action



Cross Culture



Research



Nutrition



STEAM Education



Professional Development



Women Empowerment



Int. Journal Publication



Youth Leadership



Int. & National Conferences



GEIST Access Alumni Network



Int. Exchange Opportunity



Global Competence



Peace & Ethics



International Olympiad

GEIST COLLABORATED WITH



Schools: Partners for the Future





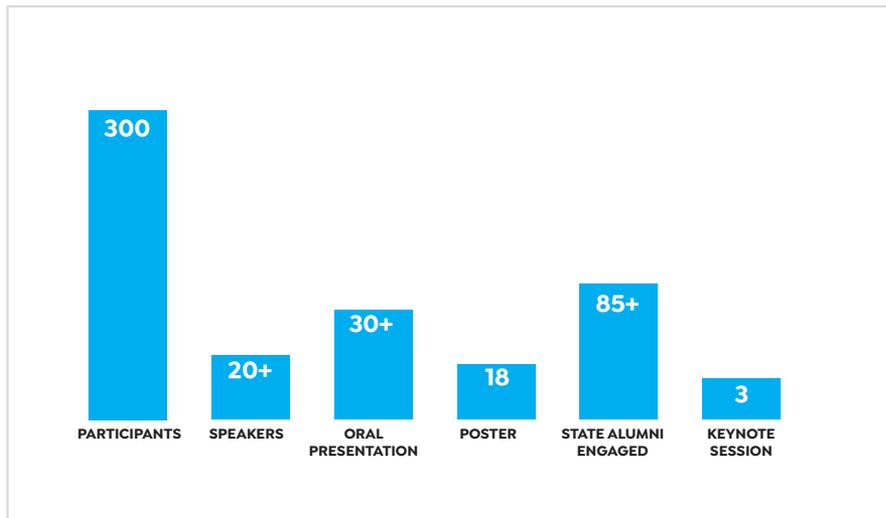
CONFERENCE

Global Assembly on Futures of Education (GAFE) 2023

GEIST's flagship conference, the Global Assembly on Futures of Education (GAFE) 2023, welcomed educators from around the world to a three-day learning carnival held in Dhaka, Bangladesh.

GAFE 2023 served as a vibrant platform designed to engage leaders and practitioners in global education – including State Alumni and students – in innovative practices, collaborative opportunities, and inspiring ideas to make teaching and learning a joyful endeavor. The event also aimed to equip educators to effectively navigate the demands and challenges of modern education.

Over the course of three days, GAFE 2023 featured keynote speeches, plenary talks, and multiple breakout sessions. Teachers, researchers, educational consultants, administrators, counselors, superintendents, and students actively participated by presenting their work or sharing their experiences.



Global Assembly on Futures of Education (GAFE) 2023



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English Teaching (FORUM) 60th Anniversary conference

Celebrating the 60th Anniversary of English Teaching FORUM with a special conference in collaboration with the U.S. Embassy Dhaka and the National Academy of Education Management (NAEM). The event brought together passionate teachers and educators from across various districts of Bangladesh to honor six decades of innovation and impact in English language teaching.

GEIST International Foundation was proud to organize this meaningful program, creating a platform for knowledge exchange, collaboration, and inspiration. Here's to empowering educators and strengthening English language education across the nation!



ADMINISTRATORS

28

PRINCIPALS



**LANGUAGE
TEACHERS**



MALE TEACHERS



FEMALE TEACHERS



SPEAKERS



**ORAL
PRESENTATIONS**



**STATE ALUMNI
ENGAGED**

English Teaching (FORUM) 60th Anniversary conference



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PROJECTS

ABOUT PROJECTS

Growing Resilience Among Students (GRASS)

Under the IREX Global Teacher's Grant:

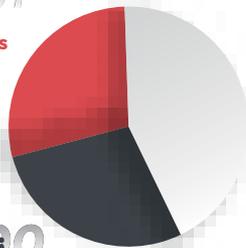
Growing Resilience Among Students (GRASS) is an impactful youth development project implemented by GEIST International Foundation, funded by the IREX Global Teacher's Grant awarded to Bedoura Jahan, a member of our Executive Committee.

The project aimed to build essential life skills and social awareness among students from diverse educational backgrounds in Bangladesh. It focused on key areas such as resilience building, non-violent conflict resolution, PVE (Preventing Violent Extremism), bystander intervention, respect for diversity, social media literacy, and cyber safety.

Through a mix of interactive indoor sessions and outdoor community engagement, many students were trained and empowered to become agents of positive change. A standout achievement of the project was the development of student-led modus operandi—peer-driven initiatives designed to continue awareness-building in their schools.

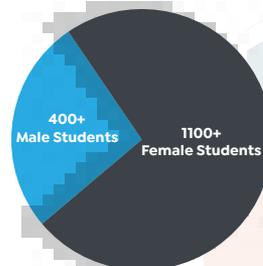
GRASS also produced a scalable and adaptable training module, with potential for nationwide implementation to further youth engagement in fostering resilient, inclusive communities.

1500+
STUDENTS



2300
DIRECT
BENEFICIARY

1500
INDIRECT
BENEFICIARY



Growing Resilience Among Students (GRASS)



Growing Resilience Among Students (GRASs)





EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

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South Asian Exchange program & climate conclave 2022

The South Asian Exchange Program and Climate Conclave 2022, held at Adamas University—one of Eastern India's premier institutions—was a vibrant confluence of climate literacy, cultural exchange, and youth leadership. Over the course of three enriching days, Young Climate Champions from India, Bangladesh, Nepal, and Vietnam came together to engage in meaningful dialogue and hands-on activities around the pressing issues of climate change.

Highlights of the conclave included dynamic Climate Talks, Model COPs, the International Climate Olympiad, and insightful Country Climate Reports. A unique feature of the event was the engaging panel discussion led by esteemed educators from neighboring countries, fostering cross-border learning and regional solidarity.

Participants also experienced the power of trans-boundary networking and cultural exchange, broadening their perspectives and enhancing their understanding of climate challenges across South Asia. The program embodied the spirit of learning beyond textbooks, encouraging innovative thinking and global cooperation.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Prof. (Dr.) Samit Ray, Hon'ble Chancellor of Adamas University, and his dedicated team for their unwavering support in making this conclave a grand success. Their commitment to nurturing young changemakers has laid the foundation for continued regional collaboration and climate action.



PARTICIPANTS



MALE STUDENTS

79

FEMALE STUDENTS



ADMINISTRATORS

06

PRINCIPALS



MALE TEACHERS



FEMALE TEACHERS

South Asian Exchange program & climate conclave 2022



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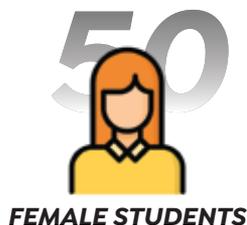


ENGLISH ACCESS MICROSCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

ABOUT ENGLISH ACCESS MICROSCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

ENGLISH ACCESS MICROSCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM, FUNDED BY US DEPARTMENT

English Access Microscholarship Program involves students from economically disadvantaged backgrounds to get adept in English as a language, technology skills and become well conversant with the United States' culture, history, tradition, opportunities, etc. GEIST International Foundation was granted with the opportunity to commence the English Access Microscholarship Project for the fiscal year 2018 by the U.S. Department of State in both Dhaka and Sylhet. Previously, GEIST International Foundation used to implement the project in Dhaka only. Currently, the after-class instructions are going on in full swing in both the regions. GEIST also facilitated multiple skillset development intensive sessions and enhancement activities, celebrated the nationally significant days with the students, and engaged the students in doing social and relief works in various crucial times such as the pandemic and the recent flood that shook the country. The students are getting proficient in the four skills of English language and are becoming knowledgeable regarding the 21st Century Necessary Employment Skills through the project.



English Access Microscholarship Program



English Access Microscholarship Program





NATIONAL PROGRAMS

ABOUT INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM ON EDUCATION (ILPE) V.3

International Leadership Program on Education is one of the flagship event of GEIST & GILC. It is a one-of-a-kind initiative to engage students at a national level from all parts of the country and help them test their acumen in problem-solving, critical thinking, leadership skills & become an effective and knowledgeable human being who is adept in English. This year, in the third installment of ILPE, the program is aiming to pinpoint the hidden potential of the students by including theoretical and practical apparatus of learning.

Briefly speaking, the total number of students will be categorized into four categories. Each of the levels of students has to go through four rounds with different objectives to be obtained. Regardless of the different levels of difficulty, tests of each level will be able to cross-check their overall competency. Such a nation-wide knowledge and network sharing event will certainly be a constructive way to spend the tedious lockdown days.



DIVISION



MENTORS



WORKSHOPS



VOLUNTEERS



INSTITUTIONS



TEACHERS



PARTICIPANTS

INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM ON EDUCATION (ILPE) V.3



INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM ON EDUCATION (ILPE) V.3





YOUTH ENGAGEMENT

ABOUT GLOBAL YOUTH ASSEMBLY ON CLIMATE ACTION

GEIST International Foundation, in collaboration with Dhaka University Model OIC Club, Aspire to Innovate (a2i) under the ICT Division, and the U.S. Department of State, organized the first-ever youth assembly dedicated to climate action at the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Dhaka.

The Global Youth Assembly on Climate Action (GYACA) 2023 aimed to educate and empower young leaders by providing a platform to develop diplomatic skills and propose solutions to pressing climate challenges. The event featured workshops facilitated by international speakers and formal sessions where delegates discussed country-specific climate contexts and proposed actionable solutions aligned with the principles of Action for Climate Empowerment (ACE).

The assembly concluded with the development of six strategic action plans focused on the six elements of ACE, as mandated by the UNFCCC. The closing ceremony was graced by Mr. Partha Protim Nath from The World Bank, who provided insightful feedback and closing remarks.

Outstanding participants were recognized with various awards, celebrating their leadership, creativity, and commitment to climate action.

Through GYACA 2023, GEIST International Foundation continues to inspire youth engagement in building a sustainable future.



STUDENTS



INTERNATIONAL DELEGATES

17

COUNTRIES



WORKSHOPS



SPEAKERS

GLOBAL YOUTH ASSEMBLY ON CLIMATE ACTION



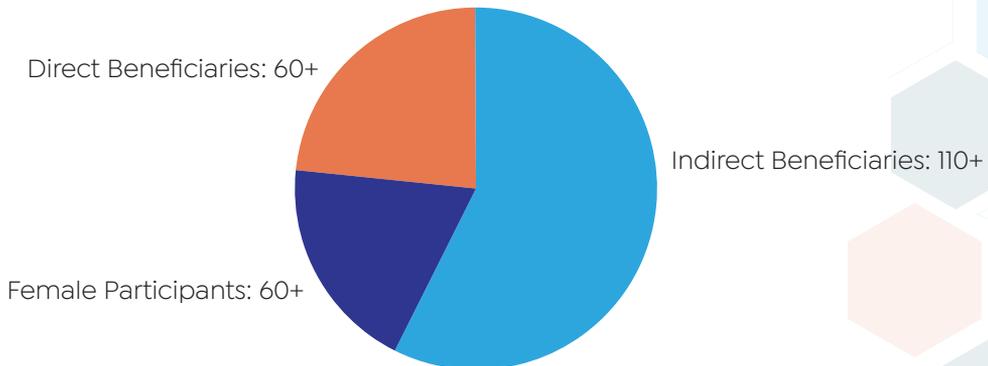
ABOUT AWARENESS SESSION ON WOMEN HYGIENE

A group of students from the Southeast Social Services Club of Southeast University recently visited the GEIST Center in Dhaka as part of a meaningful initiative focused on promoting menstrual hygiene and the safety of female students.

The program was joined by Ms. Tahnia Shahid, Director of Professional Development at Southeast University, along with international advisors from GEIST International Foundation. Together with the enthusiastic students from the Social Services Club, they emphasized the importance of menstrual hygiene education and raising awareness among young girls.

As part of the initiative, the visiting students distributed hygiene materials to the female students at the GEIST Center, reinforcing the message of health, dignity, and empowerment. The event reflected a strong spirit of social responsibility, collaboration, and youth leadership in addressing critical health issues.

Through programs like this, GEIST International Foundation continues to foster a culture of awareness, compassion, and proactive engagement among the youth for a better and healthier future.



AWARENESS SESSION ON WOMEN HYGIENE



ABOUT DAY-LONG TRAINING ON 21ST-CENTURY SKILLS

As part of the GEIST Youth Leadership Program, a special day-long training on 21st-century skills was organized at the GEIST Center, Dhaka. The session focused on equipping participants with essential skills needed to thrive in the modern world, including communication, critical thinking, collaboration, and innovation.

GEIST International Foundation extends heartfelt thanks to Md. Razaul Kabir Fahad for his valuable time and contributions in facilitating the training. His insights and engaging session greatly enriched the learning experience for all participants.

Through initiatives like this, GEIST continues to empower the youth to become capable, confident, and future-ready leaders.



PARTICIPANTS



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MALE STUDENTS



FEMALE STUDENTS

DAY-LONG TRAINING ON 21ST CENTURY SKILLS





GENERAL MEETING



GENERAL MEETING AND THANKS GIVING CELEBRATION

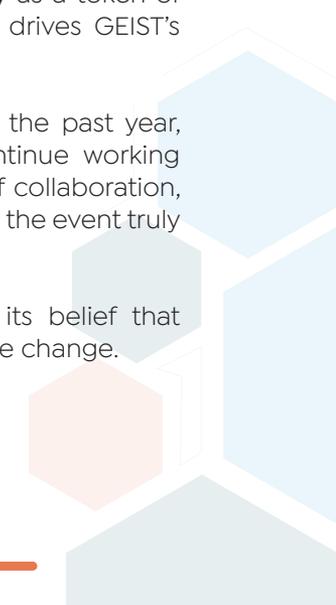
GEIST International Foundation recently hosted a general meeting to discuss and strategize for its upcoming projects. The meeting brought together team members, valued partners, and collaborators who have been instrumental in the organization's journey of promoting youth empowerment, leadership development, and social innovation.

During the meeting, discussions focused on key initiatives planned for the upcoming year, including new educational programs, international youth exchanges, and community development projects. Important insights, ideas, and feedback from our partners enriched the planning process, ensuring a collaborative and forward-thinking approach to all future activities.

Following the strategic discussions, GEIST celebrated a Thanksgiving gathering to express gratitude to all our partners, collaborators, and supporters who have stood by the organization's mission and vision. The celebration served not only as a token of appreciation but also as a reminder of the strong community that drives GEIST's impact.

The event featured moments of reflection on the achievements of the past year, heartfelt messages of thanks, and a renewed commitment to continue working together toward a brighter and more empowered future. The spirit of collaboration, gratitude, and shared purpose was evident throughout the day, making the event truly memorable.

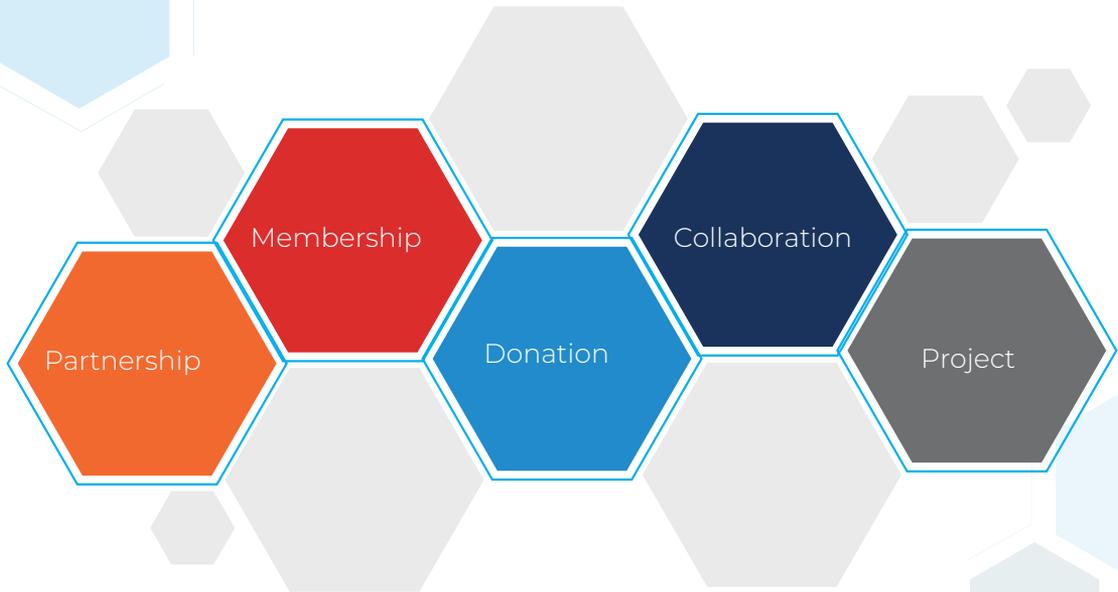
Through events like this, GEIST International Foundation reaffirms its belief that partnerships and collective effort are key to meaningful and sustainable change.



GENERAL MEETING AND THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION



Get involved with
GEIST International Foundation



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Become A Member of GEIST

Who Can Apply?



Students



Teachers
& Researchers



Professionals

The Criteria For Memberships

All new entries will start his/her involvement with GEIST as Apprentice through completing the regular formalities.

- **Apprentice**
- **Associate Member**
- **Member**
- **Fellow Member**
- **Working Committee Member**

BENEFITS OF BECOMING A MEMBER OF GEIST

- Turn your knowledge and experience into a professional qualification
- Online resources and materials
- Access to our regular webinars
- Access our database of approved training courses
- Will be able to participate in various programs, events, conferences organized by various celebrated bodies like the US Embassy, EMK Center, etc.
- Will be preferred by GEIST to take part in the various national and international programs
- GEIST International Foundation is often bestowed with various time responsive and significant projects. The members, if they are deemed capable and competent will be given the chance to work on these projects.
- Our Divisions help you to stay informed of major developments in your field
- Join our Interest Groups to build networks themed around specific areas
- Publish your research in one of our Open Access Journal
- Free Professional development/leadership training course (20 hours).
- International recognition in GEIST Partner countries and its associates.
- Discount in the conference registration fees. Professional development/ leadership programs, competition and other form of activities which charges.
- Scope of winning best Membership Award
- Publication opportunities in the Conference proceedings
- Research opportunities
- Free counselling for International Exchange opportunities
- Scope of participation in different learning programs at Winthrop University (U.S.A.) & Appalachian State University (U.S.A.)
- Empowerment on Action research
- Working opportunities with GEIST partners and its associate organizations.
- Conference participation at national & International level



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