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# Global Peacemakers' Program

**Environment, diplomacy and politics at the UN in NYC**

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Become a Kinderenergy Fellow/ Summer Program For Global Undergraduates/  
2022-2027



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## Introduction

Undergraduate students from around the world selected to become a *Kinderenergy Fellow* meet in New York City for an in-depth analysis of how diplomacy and politics are shaping the world's energy crisis, the environment, food production, and the drive to net zero by 2050. Under the leadership of Elisabeth Anne Delgado, CEO & Founder of Kinderenergy, students will learn from the experts about the historical, economic and social factors that are influencing decisions affecting many issues such as education, sanitation, economic development, global health, youth employment and efforts at peace through partnerships.

Kinderenergy believes that children are Earth's most important natural resource. Kinderenergy has Special Consultative Status with the United Nations Economic & Social Council and Observation Status with the UNFCCC.



### Three week program for English speaking youth

This three-week program at the United Nations introduces inquisitive students of economics, diplomacy, medicine, international law, engineering, architecture & journalism to the mission of Kinderenergy, while examining the pressing events affecting the development of children today and the quiet diplomacy being used within the UN to eradicate global poverty and bring economic prosperity and peace to the world. Students will take a critical view of the UN policies to see whether they are actually improving the lives of the poor, promoting efficient energy solutions, improving women's health or actually making it more difficult for all those trying to move out of poverty. In addition, students will advocate for greater role of children as global solutions providers in areas such as disaster risk reduction, innovative sustainability, entrepreneurship and justice around the world.

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In the past we have had briefings by experts from the energy industry, the UN Foundation, United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction, Global Foundation For Democracy & Development, the Missions of Denmark, Mexico, Nepal, Bangladesh to the United Nations and Regions Refocus.

## FOCUS AREAS:

**SDGs:** Eradicate poverty, educate the children, stimulate entrepreneurship, create youth employment, provide clean drinking water at schools and provide energy to all people are at the heart of a historic agreement signed in 2015 by member states of the United Nations. That agreement, called “Transforming Our World: The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development,” is a universal call to end poverty, secure justice, and protect the planet for future generations by the year 2030.

**We will find good answers to big questions:** Social Justice is a term much used these days but what does it actually mean for everyone? How will this social agenda be financed? By whom and how much will it cost annually? Why is nuclear energy not a hot topic when it is a powerful, clean, reliable source of low carbon energy with the potential of satisfying the needs of a growing world? There is a push to mandate use of electric vehicles but why is Switzerland asking its citizens to limit its use? If we are interested in feeding the hungry why are we getting rid of farms in the EU and the USA? These are just some of the questions we will delve into using rigorous research and examining scientific data.

**Youth** need to understand what is happening around them and learn how they can contribute to ensuring a better world for all and where peace and justice reign. Youth need to take the lead.

Students will be learning from 8:30 am – 6:30 pm Monday thru Friday with evenings & weekends free to sightsee and enjoy New York City and the surrounding area.





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**Application information: requires a non-refundable donation of \$50.00.**

Annually from 2022-2027

The Global Peacemaker Summer Program is designed for exceptionally bright undergraduates. The language of teaching will be in English. Foreign students must have a Toefl score of at least 100 to be eligible to attend the program.

A typical day at UN in New York includes:

- § Breakfast at residence or hotel followed by a walk to the UN
- § Morning meeting & schedule
- § Attend official UN committee meetings, speak with delegates
- § Lunch
- § Briefings and discussion with UN officials and practitioners
- § Dinner at residence, invitation to embassy, or out on the town.

Participants will have time for cultural activities on weekends for trips to Boston & D.C.

Tuition and Fees and credits for the 2022-2027 Global Peacemakers Summer Program are as follows: TBD

Teaching, UN tour and briefing materials. Once accepted 50% of total donation must be made to Kinderenergy.org. Donation amount does not include housing, travel costs, insurance or food. **The donation ONLY covers cost of actual program.**

Optional Housing: Additional fee of xxxx\* covers a single room for 14 nights, from Sunday to Saturday.

If you are interested in HOUSING, please mention this on application.

\*These fees are not set and may be subject to change.

\*Conference dates may be subject to change.

\*Speakers names may be subject to change.

Apply through the website: <https://kinderenergy.org/united-nations>

The application deadline and information for the United Nations Global Peacemakers Summer Program will be posted on website in the Fall of every year.

If you have questions about the program, please email us at [headquarters@kinderenergy.org](mailto:headquarters@kinderenergy.org)