



PREPARING STUDENTS FOR A CAREER IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY

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How can we mold young individuals into well-rounded global citizens?

But first... Start with **WHY?**

Mainstream education is meant to provide students with an education that is useful for a country's goals. It could create room for biases and blind spots when it comes to assessing global issues.

Permeating a global perspective on education helps students develop a more nuanced understanding of cross-border issues, such as climate change, human rights, and economic interdependence, ultimately preparing them for an increasingly globalized world.



Why the Global Economy is Relevant for the Students?

“When today’s students enter the world of work, they will be working with the world itself. As the UN states, they will ‘work for international companies, be involved in international trade; collaborate with peers around the world on multinational ventures; tackle global problems (such as disasters, disease, and climate change); collaborate with employees from a variety of cultures; and compete with peers around the world for jobs and markets.’” (OECD, 2018)



Preparing Students for a Career in the Global Economy

Essentially steer education towards preparing students to compete successfully in the global economy.

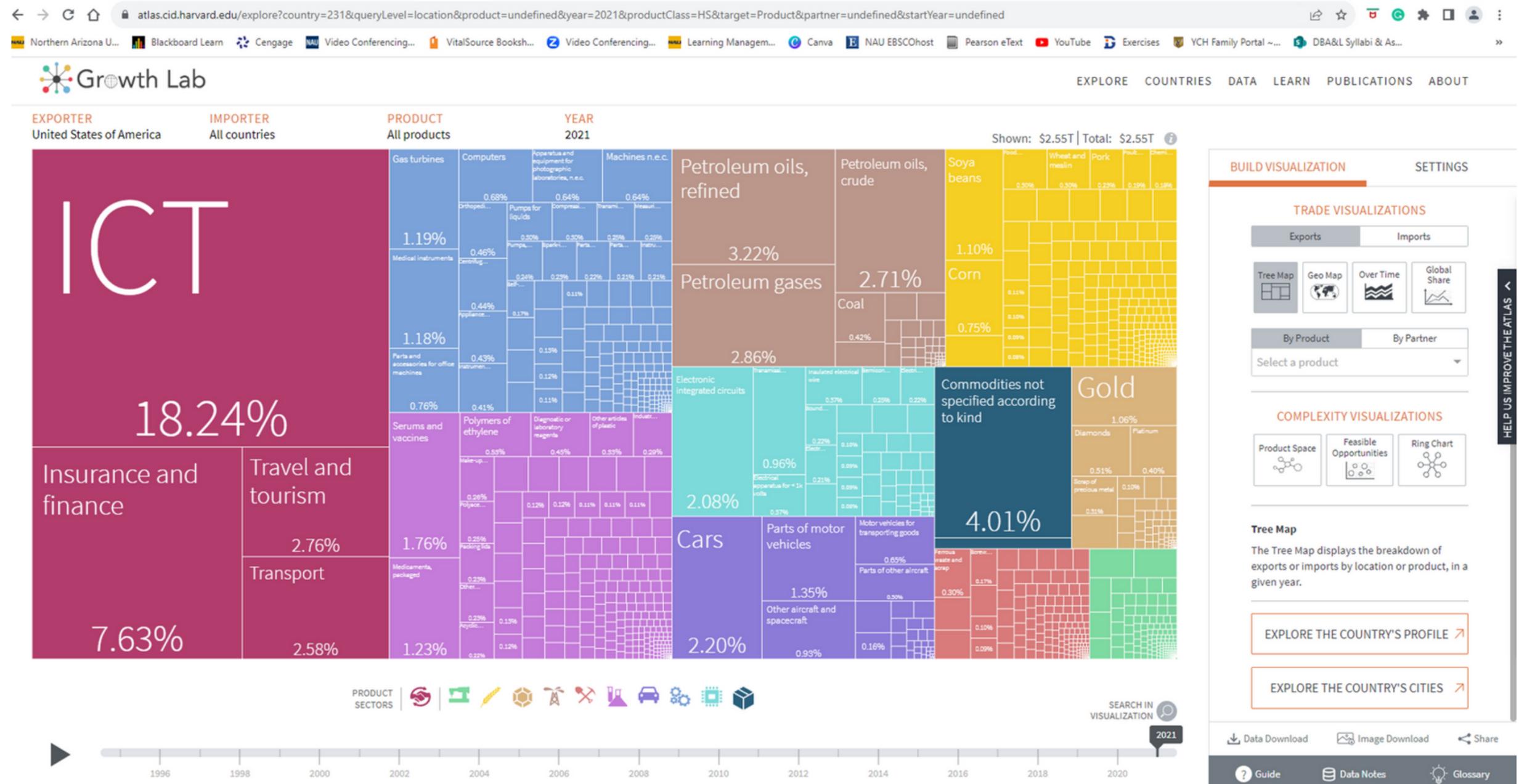
The push to educate students for the twenty-first century more specifically refers to equipping students with the knowledge, skills and sensitivities to compete and navigate the challenges caused by globalization in the twenty-first century.

A survey of current frameworks and policies propagated by transnational organizations such as the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) as well as those emerging from the USA and Singapore, reveals that twenty-first-century education is primarily focused on one aspect of globalization, namely, economic globalization, to the exclusion of political and ethical dimensions of globalization.

(Choo, 2018)

Global Trade

The Global Center for International Development at Harvard has a free interactive simulation that helps visualize the magnitude of global trade.



A Career in the Global Economy... the WHY

We need to mold young individuals into well-rounded global citizens because...

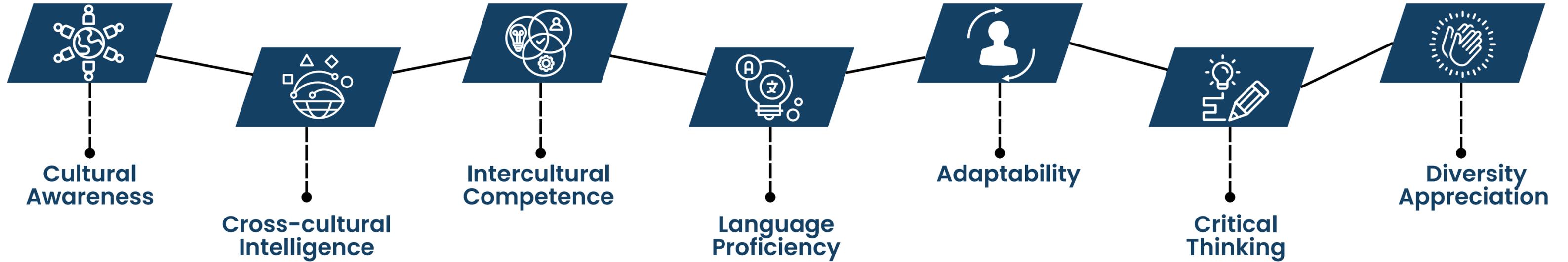


Succeed & Improve our World

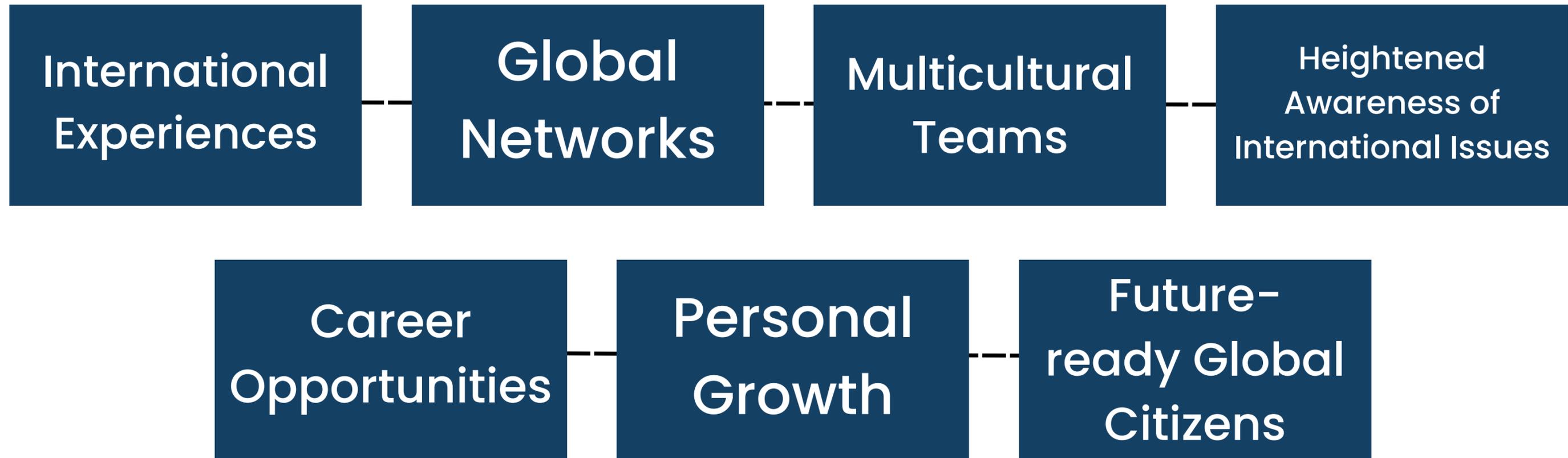
We want them not only to be successful but also to contribute favorably to their communities, country, and, ultimately, to our world.



Develop...



How...



Improving Intercultural Communication



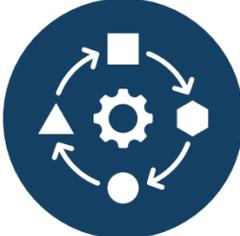
Learning
customs and
culture



Open mind
and avoid
stereotype



Avoid
misunder-
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Style
Adaptation



Learn How to
respect

Communication in Business

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Crosscultural Performance



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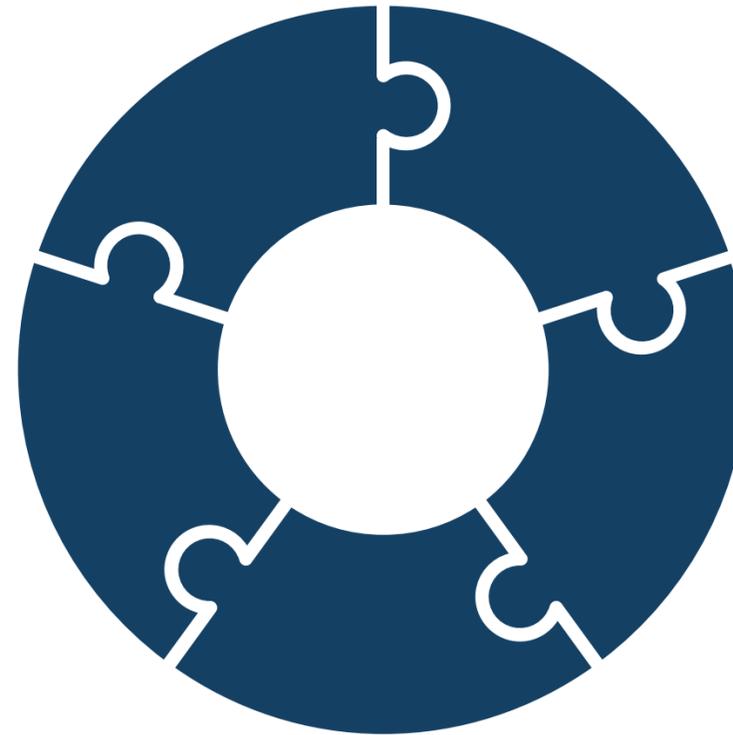
My 2 cents...

Students

Professionals

Educators

Businesses/Companies



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