



The University of Texas at Austin International Office

Global Professional Training: East & Southeast Asia *Networking Hour Table Guide*

Welcome to the GPT Networking Hour! Please select a table that matches your academic or professional interests. Our GPT staff are happy to guide you.

Table 1: **U.S. Foreign Service**

- **Foreign Service Recruiter**
Julie Kavanagh, *UT Diplomat in Residence, U.S. Department of State*
- **Former U.S. Diplomat**
Donald Bishop, *Bren Chair of Strategic Communications, Marine Corps University*

Table 2: **Teaching English Abroad**

- **JET Program**
Zachariah Simon, *Program Coordinator, International Office*
- **TEFL Worldwide**
Tim Myers, *Study Abroad Administrative Associate, International Office*

Table 3: **Volunteering Abroad**

- **Peace Corps Recruiter**
Jacqui Bah, *Peace Corps Campus Recruiter, International Office/Peace Corps*
- **World Teach**
Kate Osmond, *Study Abroad Program Coordinator, International Office*
- **Returned Peace Corps Volunteer**
Julie Westerman, *Program Coordinator, International Office*

Table 4: **Translation/Interpreting**

- **Vietnamese Language Interpreter**
Vivi Sasaki, *Medical Interpreter, Austin Area Translators and Interpreters Association*

Table 5: **Study Abroad**

- **Study Abroad Coordinator**
Thuy Nguyen, *Program Coordinator for Asia, International Office*
- **Study Abroad Coordinator**
Julia Smith, *Program Coordinator, International Office*

Table 6: **Internships Abroad**

- **International Internship Coordinator**
Kate Uhlrich, *Internship Coordinator, International Office*

Table 7: **Global Business Internships with the IC² Institute**

- **IC² Staff**
Debra Dzwonczyk, *Assistant Director, IC² Institute*
- **IC² Research Assistant**
Icela Lee, *Undergraduate Research Assistant, IC² Institute*
- **IC² Research Assistant**
Jenny Jie, *Undergraduate Research Assistant, IC² Institute*

Tables 8: **International Research & Study Fellowships**

- **Fulbright & Foreign Language & Area Studies (FLAS)**
Joshua Monthei, *Program Coordinator, International Office & Recipient of Fulbright and FLAS*
- **Fulbright**
Yung-Ju Kim, *Graduate Student & Fulbright Scholar*



Table 9: International Research & Study Fellowships

- **Gilman Scholarship**
Tristan Bennett, *Assistant International Scholar Advisor, International Office & Gilman Recipient*
- **International Study Scholarships**
Bridget Gonzalez, *Academic Records*

Table 10: International Education

- **Global Living Learning Community & Cultural Competence Training**
Brandon Jones, *Associate Director for Student Learning, UT Housing and Food Services*
- **International Education Field**
Angela Branigan, *Assistant Director, Customized & Intercultural Programs, International Office*
- **International Education Field**
Erika Payan Zanetti, *Assistant Director, Special Projects, International Office*

Tables 11 & 12: International Business Consulting

- **Hospitality & Food Industry**
Robert DeWitt, *Chef, UT Austin*
- **International Business Consulting**
Tyler Johnson, *International Business Consultant*
- **Global Leader Consulting**
Jeremy Solomons, *President/Owner, Jeremy Solomons & Associates*

Table 13: Chambers of Commerce

- **Greater Austin Asian Chamber of Commerce**
Marisa Vickers, *Entrepreneurship Programs Coordinator, Greater Austin Asian Chamber of Commerce*
- **Greater Austin Chamber of Commerce**
Zhelun Chen, *Associate Program Manager for Education, Advocacy, and Talent*

Table 14: Arts & Media

- **Austin Asian American Film Festival**
Tim Tsai, *Executive Director, Austin Asian American Film Festival*

Table 15: Living & Working in Southeast Asia

- **Southeast Asian Studies**
Charley Sullivan, *Doctoral Candidate, University of Michigan*
- **Indonesian Diaspora**
Sarini Widodo, *President, Indonesian Diaspora Network*
- **Indonesian Energy Industry**
Josia Simanjuntak, *Energy and Earth Resources*