

Globaloria Professional Development

The **Globaloria Professional Development Program** empowers K-12 educators – tech novice and savvy – with a proven model and methodology for transforming any classroom into a STEM-rich, technology-infused, personalized-learning environment through the context of an open-ended, game design project.



Educators learn how to take on new and vital roles as facilitators and co-learners in a student-driven, project-based classroom.

“Globaloria has provided me with skills and tools that bring a new way of teaching into my classroom. It helps me create blended-learning that excites my students with opportunities to advance digital citizenship and 21st-century skills!”



Genvieve Dorsey,
Globaloria Educator,
2011-2013
San Jose, CA

Hands-On Training and Personalized Support Anytime

✓ In-Person, Hands-On Training

In a 3-day summer academy, new Globaloria educators “learn-by-doing” as they design and code an original game using a Globaloria course. Educators also develop a customized implementation plan and learn to run their classes on the school learning platform.

✓ Virtual Training Opportunities

Easy-to-follow, self-directed activities on a private training platform enable educators to learn at their own pace. Quarterly live events offer just-in-time and targeted support.

✓ Ongoing Mentorship and Coaching

Experts provide personalized coaching and guidance on implementing a blended, STEM-rich learning experience.

✓ On-Demand Coding and Game Design Support

Students and educators receive real-time virtual support for programming, game-design and platform usage from our expert team.

Globaloria Teaching & Learning Process

Get your students ready for college and career!

Globaloria will help you introduce iterative design and engineering processes used by professionals around the globe into your classroom.





The **Globaloria Professional Development** program leverages research-supported strategies to provide comprehensive support for every educator. It is not about mastering a product, but about developing sustainable practices to innovate education and inspire learners.

Results-Proven PD that Advances Teacher Excellence

✓ **Learn new skills and strategies that support positive change in teaching practice and improve student achievement**

Educators learn how to use and effectively integrate professional technology tools, such as wikis, blogs, game design and programming, into classroom instruction and content mastery for any subject.

✓ **Engage in experiential, hands-on, and active learning**

Educators actively engage in learning how the program works through modeling presentations and one-on-one help from facilitators and peer educators. Follow-up PD experiences provide opportunities to engage in ongoing learning throughout the year.

✓ **Participate in collaborative and reflective activities**

Educators benefit from continuous opportunities to learn from colleagues and experts in a collaborative, supportive environment. Online progress reports enable educators to reflect on learning and teaching experiences throughout the year.

✓ **Receive sustained and personalized support**

Educators receive diverse and personalized support that includes face-to-face and virtual trainings, and on-demand guidance from mentor-coaches. Technical, coding and game design questions are directly responded to by industry experts.

✓ **Connect what they learn to their curriculum and work with their students**

Educators are empowered to customize the Globaloria experience to fit with their curricular goals and support their students' individual needs. They learn to integrate their own content areas and facilitate student learning through research, design and programming of educational games.

✓ **Receive support that is grounded in educators' questions and instructional needs**

Educator questions and concerns are personally addressed in real-time by mentors, peers, and our expert support staff. Online tutorials and written guides allow for self-guided learning about all aspects of the program, from coding and game-design to curriculum and classroom management.