



# INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE & YOUTH SUMMIT

USA 2018

JULY 8-14 • WINCHESTER, VA

In celebration of iEARN's 30th Anniversary in 2018, iEARN-USA is honored to host the conference under the theme of Global Collaboration for Sustainable Development. Join educators and youth from iEARN's network of 140 countries for a week of inspiring events, sessions, keynotes, and celebrations related to global project-based learning and achieving the U.N. Sustainable Development Goals through collaborative project work.



Tickets & Info: [iEARN2018.org](http://iEARN2018.org)

iEARN-USA is the U.S. organization of iEARN (International Education and Resource Network), the world's largest, most experienced, and diverse K-12 online network that enables young people worldwide to use the internet and digital media to collaborate on educational projects.



## Conference Venue

Located in Winchester, Virginia, 100 kilometers west of Washington, D.C., John Handley High School is an endowed public school, on the National Register of Historic Places, and was voted the "most beautiful public high school" in Virginia by Architectural Digest.

## Registration & Accommodation

Registration prices range from \$450 to \$650 and include accommodation for 6 nights, daily meals, daily transportation between the university and the conference site, as well as transportation to and from the international airport in Washington, D.C.

## Travel Preparation & Visa Information

Participants should search for flights that arrive and depart from Dulles Airport (IAD), a major international airport that provides many direct flight options to locations around the world. Please visit the U.S. Department of State website for visa information and guidelines for your country.

# Events & Activities



## Plenaries and Keynotes

Luminaries from the field of global education and ed tech are invited to speak and present during daily plenaries and keynotes on a range of topics.

## Conference Sessions and Proposals

Educators, partners, and youth are invited to submit sessions in new and creative formats, including: Tech/Innovation Lab, Ignite Talks, Interactive Workshops, Roundtable Discussions, and Poster Sessions.

## Cultural Events, Celebrations and Excursions

Often the highlight for many attendees, the iEARN Conference and Youth Summit features a cultural night where participants and country representatives share a presentation or performance. Additional cultural events include a gala dinner on the closing night, and an optional cultural excursion day with a variety of options including a day-long sightseeing tour of Washington, D.C.

## Youth Summit

The Youth Summit is entirely youth planned and youth led. Participants take on the UN Sustainable Development Goals and show how young people can examine and help make our world more sustainable through exchange and collaboration. Youth Summit activities include presentations and workshops, hands-on activities, service projects, games and performances, and much more.

