

2010 Institute for Student Leaders – India

A 10-day gathering of students and teachers from around the world

Dates – June 25—July 4, 2010

Location – Mahindra United World College – India
(www.muwci.net)

United World Colleges is a system of colleges around the world with students and faculty from a diverse range of countries. The MUWCI campus is located in a rural area 40km from the city of Pune.



Theme and Activities - The main theme of Year 3 - ISL - India is Global Poverty and Economic Development, with concurrent themes of cross-cultural communication and environmental sustainability. The institute will take place at the central location of Mahindra United World College - India (MUWCI), an international school built for cultural and environmental understanding. The site is equipped with green buildings, a biodiversity reserve, and situated near a hydroelectric dam. Carefully directed community interaction projects and home stays in the rural area surrounding MUWCI, combined with various community interaction projects in the city of Pune will give participants a great perspective on the various socioeconomic levels in the region. Participants will bring knowledge and research from their home countries to engage in substantive dialogue about global poverty, its sources, and successful and innovative approaches to development.

ISL- India Themes:

- Global poverty and economic development
 - Cross-cultural communication
 - Environmental sustainability

There will be a concurrent student curriculum and teacher curriculum, so that both return to their schools with the skills and knowledge to continue be leaders on global issues.

About GYLI - Global Youth Leadership Institute (GYLI) is a not-for-profit organization in the USA that works with schools around the world to build leadership skills and capacities for their students and faculty.

Eligibility - Schools are invited to send a group of 2 to 5 student leaders and 1 to 2 teachers to the ISL. Students should be between the age of 15 and 17 years old, they should display leadership skills in their schools and communities, and they should have strong command of the English language.



Info and registration - More information about the ISL and registration are available online at www.gyli.org

Questions? If you have any questions about the ISL, contact Jesse Blom from GYLI at jblom@gyli.org or (414) 290-8142