Help us shape tomorrow’s world:
Through world-leading research and education, Monash works to create innovative graduates and ideas to help people live healthier more fulfilling lives in a sustainable, resilient and peaceful world.
In just over fifty years, we have become one of the most respected universities in Australia and one of the top 100 in the world.

We are distinguished not only by the quality of our work but by the way we are able to increase the impact of that work through deep and extensive international engagement and through our history of intense collaboration with industry and government.

We also have a deeply felt commitment to social inclusion. We are dedicated to educating the most talented students, regardless of their social or economic circumstances.

We believe in equipping students not merely to succeed in the world, but to change it for the better.

On its own, Monash is great; by reaching out to the community – by being international, enterprising and inclusive – we will be truly exceptional. I encourage you to join us.

Professor Margaret Gardner AO
President and Vice-Chancellor
The Monash Global Leaders’ Network is an active group of committed Monash University alumni and friends, living and working in eight international locations where there is a significant alumni presence – Australia, mainland China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, the United Kingdom and the United States of America.

Our aim is to build the alumni network, support the student experience and inspire gifts of philanthropy.
Our mission: Through excellent research and education, Monash will discover, teach and collaborate with partners to meet the challenges of the age in service of national and international communities. We encourage you to join us as we transform these goals into actions.

BUILD THE NETWORK

Global Leaders’ Network

With over 330,000 alumni around the globe, Monash continues to build an international presence. We see great potential for collaboration with our alumni – working together to make a difference for fellow alumni across our global networks and for current Monash University students alike.

We seek to work with individuals who share our ambition to transform the world for the benefit of us all. We call our initiative the Global Leaders’ Network, the collective name for our active alumni located in and connected across our eight key locations around the world – Australia, mainland China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, the United Kingdom and the United States of America (USA).

The Global Leaders’ Network will collaborate with alumni in their locations to garner support and create opportunities that enhance both the Monash University alumni and student experience. Re-connecting with the University through this network provides an opportunity for alumni to connect with other alumni, share their knowledge and experience, and broaden their professional and personal networks.

Monash is committed to the success of the Global Leaders’ Network. We have plans to appoint in-country managers to support our priority locations. To date, we have International Alumni Managers based in New York City and London.

Global Leaders’ Groups

Each Global Leaders’ Network is led by a group of prominent and passionate alumni known as the Global Leaders’ Group. We currently have five active Global Leaders’ Groups – East Coast USA, West Coast USA, London, Singapore and Hong Kong, with future plans to expand into mainland China and Indonesia, as well as formalising networks in cities around Australia.

Each Global Leaders’ Group aims to build and support the Global Leaders’ Network, attract philanthropic support and enhance the student experience in their location.
“Adopt as your fundamental creed that you will equip yourself for life, not solely for your own benefit but for the benefit of the whole community.”

Sir John Monash

**SUPPORT THE STUDENT EXPERIENCE**

**Global Discovery Program**

One of the goals of the Global Leaders’ Network is to enhance the Monash University student experience by providing practical support, advice and opportunities to better prepare our brightest students. It’s your chance to make a difference and, at the same time, gain direct access to a dynamic talent pool.

There are a number of engagement opportunities open to our alumni living globally however the signature program for many of our Global Leaders’ Groups is the Global Discovery Program – an international immersive experience designed to empower students with the knowledge, skills and connections that will enable them to excel on the world stage in their career of choice.

Supported and hosted by the Global Leaders’ Group in one of our priority locations, a select group of around eight students are chosen through a competitive process that includes an interview for participation in an intensive internship program for up to eight days. The Global Leaders’ Group, together with the wider alumni network will create a bespoke program for the students which includes workplace meetings, experiences and introductions to leading alumni and their organisations.

The Global Discovery Program is a life-changing opportunity for the students chosen to participate. It is funded both philanthropically and through corporate partnerships whereby we tailor a sponsorship package to your organisation so you can easily contribute to and host a program in your city. It costs around $50,000 (AUD) to host a Global Discovery Program. In return, Monash University provides administration and logistics support by promoting the opportunity, managing the application process and shortlist, and by providing travel insurance and a stipend for each student participant.

Global Leaders involved in the program interact with some of the best and brightest Monash students, connecting with the younger generation and having the opportunity to shape the student experience.

So far, our Global Leaders’ Groups have hosted Global Discovery Programs in New York City in 2015 and 2016, and London in 2017 with more programs in the pipeline.
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Alumni engagement opportunities

Involvement in the Global Leaders’ Network opens the door to other opportunities for you to make a difference not just for yourself but for a new generation of professionals. Many of our alumni engagement opportunities are open to alumni living globally. If you’re interested in being a part of our programs we will work with you to harness your support. For advice or more information on any of these opportunities, please contact our Alumni Engagement Team.

The Monash Business School Industry Mentoring Program

Mentor third or fourth year undergraduate or postgraduate business students. This April to October program involves communication at least every two months and connects students to a variety of professionals at different stages in their careers and in a range of career paths.

Global Challenges Mentoring Program

Mentor science students enrolled in the Bachelor of Science Advanced – Global Challenges (Honours) who aspire to become entrepreneurial scientists. Your level of involvement can range from being a guest speaker to a longer-term commitment to the Faculty.

Internships (Work Integrated Learning)

We are scaling up our internship services for employers and have established a dedicated, experienced and responsive team to help you design a role and find an intern based on your requirements. There is no cost to access a Monash intern and internships can be from six weeks to three months. We support internships around the world, and for the thousands of Monash alumni who have hosted interns, the experience has been overwhelmingly positive.
Monash Industry Team Initiative (MITI)
If you are a leading global organisation, you can partner with MITI and access top students from a range of disciplines who are selected through a competitive screening process. The multi-disciplinary team of up to four students undertake their project over 12 weeks from December to February. MITI encourages collaboration between the University and industry, working towards the solutions we need in our world today.

Career Connect
If you are looking for new talent, we can help you promote your recruitment opportunities. Whether it’s full time graduate positions or casual vacancies, we can assist you in finding the right people for the job.

Speaker opportunities
Be a guest speaker at Monash events and inspire students with your story. Opportunities include graduation ceremonies, masterclasses, and other professional development events. We also produce video content for student career training purposes. Be interviewed about your career, the employability skills you have developed and how these contribute to your career success.
Inspire the Community

Alumni giving opportunities
Motivated by the credo and work of Sir John Monash, we seek to inspire philanthropic investment in support of Monash University’s vision and strategic priorities.

Monash has four goals – to be excellent, international, enterprising and inclusive. These define our approach and contribute to the positive impact we make through exceptional research and teaching. For great education and research to happen, we also need your support. If you believe in supporting our students or one of our research projects, this is your opportunity to make it happen.

Achieving Potential Scholarships
Monash alumni have been establishing scholarships in various parts of the world to enable disadvantaged students to study at Monash. You can also join other alumni in your region to establish a scholarship fund in support of a cause or community you believe in.

Breakthrough research
Our researchers are addressing some of the greatest challenges of our age including antibiotic resistance, dengue control, sustainable development and climate change. Your support can help speed up discoveries and turn knowledge into real world solutions.

How to give
One of the easiest ways to help is to give a donation. You can give directly to Monash online, via email or by requesting a donation form at monash.edu/giving.
CONTACT
We would be delighted to talk to you about how you can be a part of the Global Leaders’ Network, build your alumni network, support the student experience and inspire gifts of philanthropy. For advice and more information, please contact our team.

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