

Edinburgh Award Global Citizenship (on campus)

What is it and who can participate?

The Edinburgh Award for Global Citizenship (on campus) is designed to recognise students who play an active role in empowering individuals and groups to feel a part of and/or understand their place in a community of global citizens. The Edinburgh Award in Global Citizenship (on campus) helps you to work towards excellence in your role, and it celebrates the fantastic work that you do to make a positive impact at the University. This Award recognises activity on campus, not overseas.

To be eligible, activities classified under the theme 'Global Citizenship' will need to provide the student with the opportunity to:

- a) Demonstrate a high level of cross-cultural competency, and/or
- b) Volunteer for initiatives which support international students, and/or
- c) Facilitate platforms of engagement around global challenges, and/or
- d) Organise activities which bring students together from a range of different cultures.

Recognised activities include, but are not limited to:

- a) Tandem Language Programme: volunteers and committee members,
- b) Global Buddies Scheme: Buddy Group Leaders, Super Group Leaders and committee members,
- c) Globally-focussed society committee members,
- d) International Student Centre committee members and volunteers.

If you are involved in another activity, please contact Vanessa Roberts, Global Students Officer, to discuss whether your activity might count towards the Edinburgh Award for Global Citizenship (on campus): vanessa.roberts@eusa.ed.ac.uk

What's involved?

Between September and April you will need to spend at least 50 hours of your own chosen activity and attend three Edinburgh Award input sessions throughout the year.

You will also need to submit various input assessments at three stages, in October, November-January and March. The types of assessments include written reflections after each input session, reviewing the reflections of other students and give them feedback and providing referee details.

How do I sign up?

If you would like to start the Edinburgh Award for Global Citizenship (on campus), you need to participate in an Input 1 session.

23 October, 6–8 PM

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/edinburgh-award-session-1a-for-representing-students-student-staff-and-global-citizenship-on-campus-tickets-37993446421>

OR

24 October, 12.30–2 PM

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If you can't attend either of the October dates, [contact](#) us about a possible online session.

[Watch](#) a video of students who have participated in different strands of the Award providing an introduction to the Edinburgh Award.

