Volunteer Regional Global Liaison Position Description

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The Regional Global Liaison is a member of the Global Action Team and is committed to working to create or advance programming in a variety of areas, with the goal of developing an increased awareness of global Girl Scouting and the interconnectedness of girls and girls’ issues throughout the world. This person will serve as a Global influencer and help build Global Girl Scouts throughout their region.

Focus areas include:
1. Educate Service Units about Global Girl Scouts and share local international activities and Global resources at your region’s service unit meetings.
2. Be a Global Influencer on your regions’ service unit teams trying to mainstream global into programs, events, higher awards projects and encampment.
3. Share successes, resources, local events and global stories with council and the Global Action Team.

Responsibilities include
1. Actively participates as a member of the Global Action Team
2. Serves as the liaison between Global Action Volunteer (GAV) and local Service Units in your region
3. Participate in Global Action Team meetings as able
4. Becomes familiar with the goals and activities of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS)
5. Promotes Global Action opportunities, council-wide, regionally and locally
6. Participates in Global Action opportunities, both council-wide and regionally as able

Additional responsibilities may include
1. Provides training to GS volunteers about WAGGGS and World Centers
2. Organizes global education events for World Thinking Day, International Day of the Girl, International Women’s Day and/or other WAGGGS-focused events and activities.
3. Offers a Global Action Series focused on the WAGGGS Global Action theme
4. Prepares Girl Scouts and volunteers to travel internationally, meet Girl Guides and Girl Scouts from other countries, and/or organize global Take Action projects
5. Researches and locates resources to further global awareness

Global Specialist Qualifications
1. Registers as a member of GSUSA
2. Interest in and knowledge about social justice, Global Girl Scouts, Girl Scout travel and ideally has visited one of the world centers.
3. Becomes a Girl Scout volunteer, which includes a criminal background check authorization.
4. Believes in and subscribes to the principles expressed in the Girl Scout Mission, Promise and Law, and abides in the policies and standards of GSUSA and Girl Scouts San Diego.
5. Commits to give the time required to be effective in the position of Global Specialist
6. Is able to work effectively with people of all racial, ethnic, cultural, and socioeconomic backgrounds and ability levels

**Council Responsibilities**
The council will provide a Council Volunteer Policies and Procedures, learning opportunities, support, and recognition.