VIPP Mission and Activities

Xinyu Wu, October 11, 2022
Mission

Provide transformative learning experience to international professionals & organizations by connecting people, knowledge, cultures and ideas.
Actionable Priorities

- Offer diverse high quality professional training program
- Build high performing team
- Engage with stakeholders through effective communication
- Provide 360-degree Support and services

Stakeholders
Diverse Program

• USG program – DoS & USDA
AAP, Asia Hub, CERES, GenCen & Muslin Studies, BROAD, CAL, CANR, CEDU, CSS, AAN, VPRI …..

• Virtual summer/winter school for university students
BROAD and ComArts
360-Degree Support & Services

- Bolashak Presidential Scholarship program
  CERES, CEDU & LAW
- SUSI Civic Engagement
  CAL & CSS
Engagement

- 30th Anniversary
- Branding
- Website
- Social media
- VIPP Endowments
  - Afghanistan women development lecture – CSS, Guo Chen
  - Cambodia visiting scholar – CSS, Amanda Flaim
  - Palestinian history lecture – ISP, Mohammad Khalil
  - Global Korean Award – ISP, Siddharth Chandra

On Sunday, October 2nd VIPP organized a one-day cultural excursion and fall foliage tour to beautiful northern Michigan. A group of 50, including scholars from the Kazakhstan Bolashaq program, U.S. Department of Agriculture Borlaug fellows, and scholars from China and Korea, as well as their families joined the trip to visit Traverse City, Onekama, and Manistee along the Lake Michigan coast. All the visitors had fun enjoying Pure Michigan’s natural wonders, food, and the beach... See more
VIPP Strategic Planning

- Fall retreats
  - Facilitated team building
  - SWOT review
  - Strategic alignment
- Conversations with stakeholders
- Financial model review
- Spring 2023 - Five-year Plan
Thank you!