



GLOBE
INTERNATIONAL

We are passionate about Jesus' Great Commission, and your part in it!
God has placed a calling on your life to make a difference for Jesus at home,
in your community, and to the farthest reaches of the globe.

Let us help you fulfill that call!



**WELCOME TO
GLOBE INTERNATIONAL**

A young boy in a yellow and brown striped polo shirt stands on a sandy field, holding a large, dark tire. In the background, there are simple buildings and other people, suggesting a rural or developing area. The scene is lit with warm, golden light, likely from the setting or rising sun.

A PLACE WHERE WE ARE TRAINING · SENDING · SERVING

Globe International serves to enlighten, inform, and inspire. Globe purposes to instill a new sense of vision in every believer's ability to shape the world through God's promises and offer hope to people everywhere.

Globe takes its cue from the Great Commission of Jesus Christ and merges that unchanging mandate with new ideas and technologies that are emerging from creative centers of ministry worldwide.

Globe will always be a showcase to the world of the ingenuity and imagination of Christian enterprise and the mission of God for the earth.



BEGIN YOUR JOURNEY

“To assist those who have a God-given vision to implement that vision.”

- J. Robert Bishop

When Globe started in 1973, God-inspired Bob Bishop, Globe International’s first Director. These words still guide Globe’s call to Kingdom service, and our directive to help others achieve success in their calling.

As an inter-denominational, church-oriented, mission-sending organization, Globe International is committed to assisting the Body of Christ in fulfilling the Great Commission by training, sending, and serving ministries in foreign and domestic fields. Globe is committed to seeing you succeed in your evangelistic mission.

Globe International’s primary purpose is the fulfillment of the Gospel across cultural boundaries to unreached people, encouraging them to accept Christ as Lord and Savior; to draw disciples together into clusters of churches; and to help the churches, under the Holy Spirit’s leadership, to multiply, and reach their communities and beyond.

We welcome you to begin your journey with Globe International. Whether you are exploring a new path in ministry, needing assistance in navigating an established vision, or expanding your passion for a world-wide mission, Globe International has a place for you. Our goal is to provide the direction and resources to fulfill God’s calling.

YOUR VISION IS OUR VISION

Globe International has one central purpose.

To support you and what God has called you to do. It's that simple.

Your partnership with Globe brings you and your ministry the benefit of literally decades of experience in coordinating administrative processes such as donor relations, payroll disbursement, operational expenses, member care, and media production. We help streamline the administrative side of your ministry, while at the same time keeping you in compliance with the laws and regulations governing non-profits in the U.S.

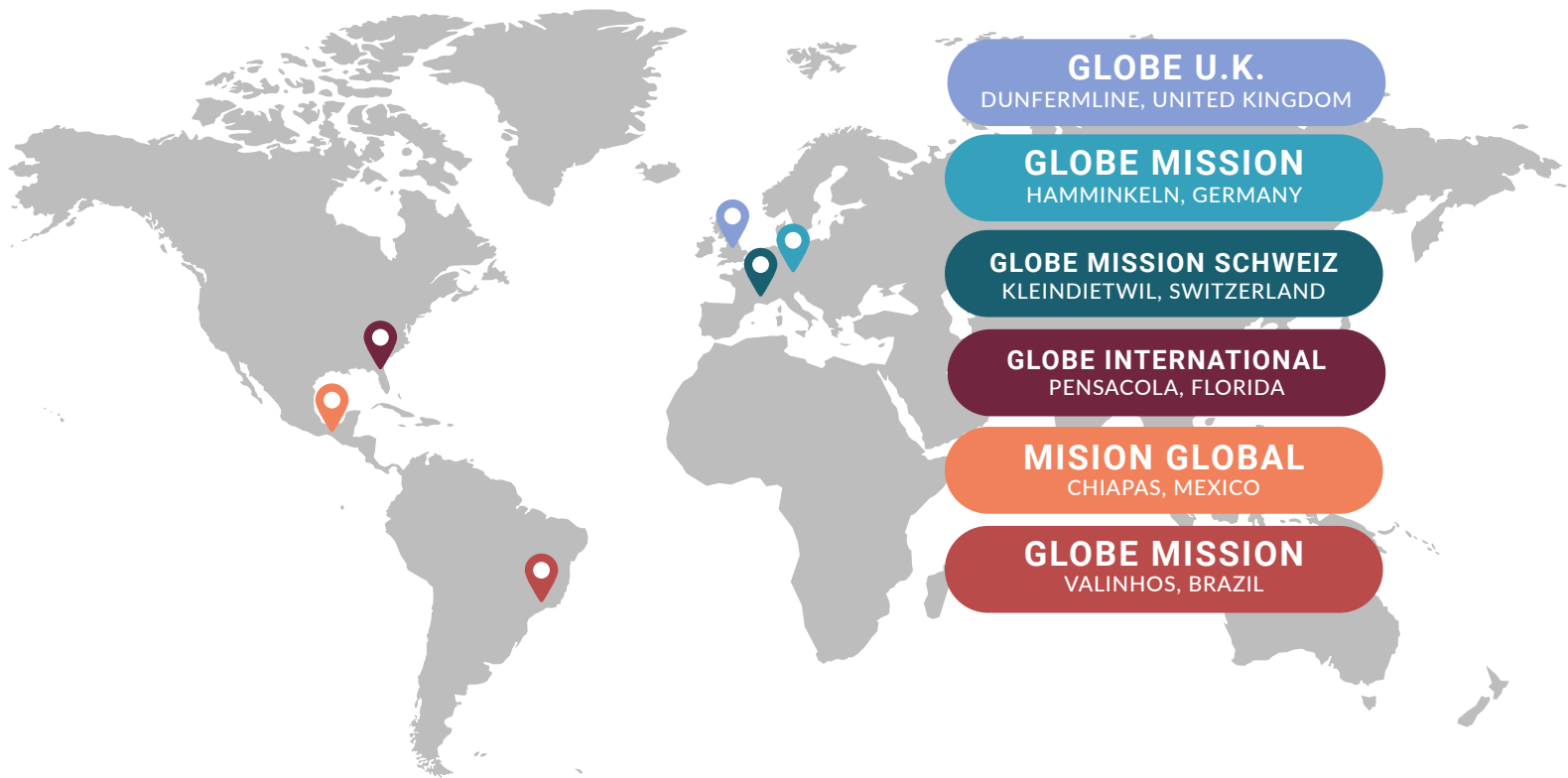
Globe is continually preparing for the future and the growth of your ministry. We employ the latest software and hardware that allows you to see your donor and financial activity online in real-time as well as enjoy faster payroll processing. State-of-the-art printers, paper cutters, postage, and inserting machines keep your newsletters sharp and impactful. Globe office personnel maintains up-to-date training related to your ministry in areas such as insurance regulations, programs covering volunteers, liability concerns, and newly available technology.

As a member of Globe International, the Leadership Team, staff, office, and training facilities, as well as Globe's legacy of integrity become a part of your ministry and your vision. The culture of care and excellence is quite evident within the daily operations of Globe International. We work hard to maintain your lasting trust and partnership. As a member of the Globe team, we see you as family.



GLOBE NEXT DOOR AND AROUND THE WORLD

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From its foundation, Globe International has centered its core values and organizational culture upon Christian principles, based firmly on the teachings of the Bible. Globe International was established to equip and resource those who are called by God for global and evangelistic ministry. Globe functions to assist the Body of Christ in achieving the Great Commission of Jesus Christ by aiding God's sent people who are carrying the Gospel around the world.



Further, Globe International endeavors to help churches and ministries to serve their communities, domestically and internationally. Directed by our Core Values of Faith, Service, and Mercy, Globe's slogan reflects our commitment to "Making Disciples - Planting Churches - Reaching Nations."

Globe International and the Globe Network currently serve missionary and evangelistic ministers in 48 countries. The Globe Network is comprised of six interconnected agencies that send missionaries from the United States, Germany, Switzerland, United Kingdom, Brazil, and Mexico. The Network offers ministerial and administrative services to network members.

Globe International partners with over 500 churches from multiple denominations and affiliations. Globe maintains strategic partnerships with global ministries like the Global Network of Evangelists of the Luis Palau Association, Surfing the Nations, Go To Nations, International Gospel Outreach, Beyond, Global Frontier Mission, World Indigenous Mission, Wycliffe Bible Translators, The Seed Company, The Jesus Film Project, Filter of Hope, Eastern Mennonite Mission Board, The Focus Group - Taking Donors Seriously, and the Mission Society of the United Methodist Church. Globe is also a member of Missio Nexus and the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability.



GLOBE INTERNATIONAL HISTORY & FUTURE

Globe International was founded in 1973 by the Rev. Ken Sumrall. Sumrall spent some of his early years in the ministry sharing the Gospel in Asia, Africa, Europe, and Latin America. His burden to train and send missionaries led to the formation of a Bible college and Globe International to establish and resource mission personnel.

Bob Bishop became Globe's first General Director, serving from 1976 until 2004. Doug Gehman joined the Globe staff as Assistant Director in 1994 and became Director in 2001 and President in 2004. A Board of Directors comprised of pastors, business people, and the Executive Director, govern the affairs of Globe International.

Now as an inter-denominational agency, Globe has grown to assist diversified and unique ministries throughout the United States and around the world. Thousands of individuals and hundreds of churches regularly give to the outreach activities and ministries associated with Globe.

Globe International's theological statement is reflected in the Lausanne Covenant of 1974.
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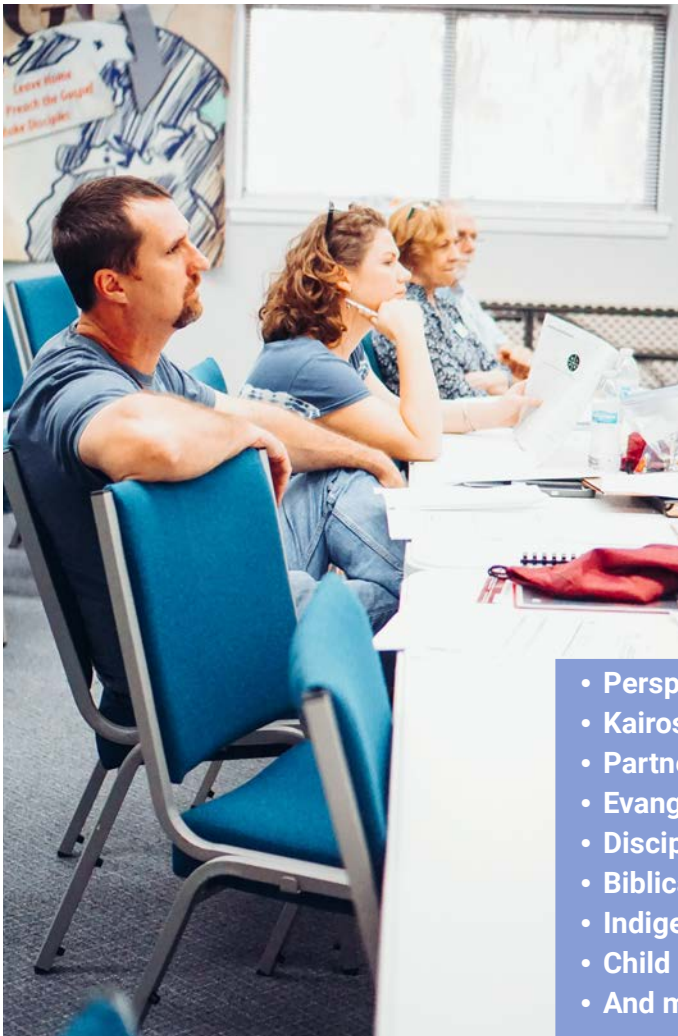
GETTING TO KNOW THE GLOBE FAMILY

One of the best ways to get to know Globe International is to explore us through our members and their active ministries. Globe enjoys a flexible ministerial atmosphere to serve numerous expressions on Gospel propagation. To view members of the Globe family and Globe Network, visit globeintl.org/members.

We also welcome you to connect with us online, on the phone, or drop by for a visit to our home office. Connect with us anytime at globeintl.org/contact

TRAINING WHAT WE DO TRAINING. SENDING. SERVING

Globe International helps to create partnering opportunities for many ministry expressions. Currently, Globe members promote the Gospel through Evangelism, Church Planting, Leadership and Discipleship Training Programs, Christian Schools, Student Ministries, Media Ministries, Youth Programs, Sports Outreach, Arts and Creative Ministries, Business as Mission, Medical Outreach, Humanitarian Aid, Quality of Life Initiatives, and many more.



Globe underpins its members by providing administrative services for finances (including personal banking services, tax counsel, reports to contributors, etc.), by regular communications with supporters, and by promoting their ministry through publications and multi-media presentations. Other practical services available to Globe members are newsletter assistance, mail services, various administrative services, and resources for a wide variety of ministry-related information.

As a member of the ECFA, and as an organization with a reputation for integrity and longevity, Globe provides solid credibility for its members. Globe exists to serve missionaries, ministries, and the local churches that send them. Globe also assists churches to develop a culture to both **GO** and **SEND**.

- Perspectives
- Kairos
- Partnership Development (fund raising)
- Evangelism
- Discipleship
- Biblical Storytelling
- Indigenous Church Planting and others
- Child Protection and ethics/legalities in ministry to minors
- And more...

SENDING WHAT WE DO TRAINING. SENDING. SERVING



EVERY GOER IS SENT!

Globe International helps “send” you into your God-given assignment by joining hands with your “sending team” which is usually comprised of churches, leaders, family members, businesses, and friends.

We want you to go in strength with others who stand with you in the mission, so you can **GO THE DISTANCE** and **COMPLETE GOD’S CALLING** on your life.

SERVING WHAT WE DO TRAINING. SENDING. SERVING

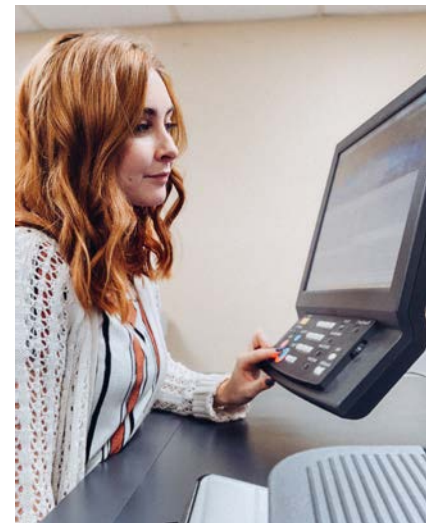
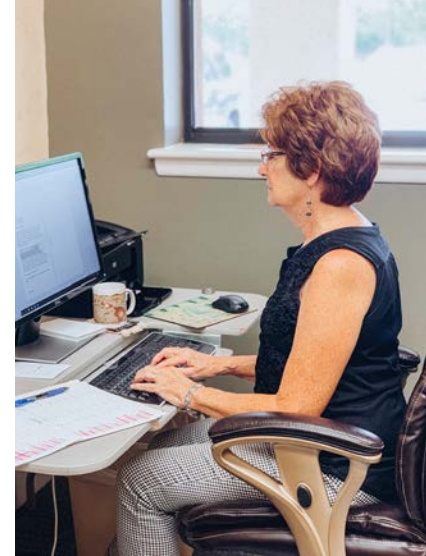
God's goers need others to join their team and help get stuff done. Globe provides state-of-the-art services to every member that make your life easier and your work more efficient in the areas of

- Financial management (fundraising, project management, personal budgeting, and efficient distribution of money)
- Donor relations (newsletter services, publishing, bulk mailing and mailing list management)
- Member Care (connections with coaches, Globe leadership, and regular "How are you doing" contact)
- Continuing Education (staying current with trends in cross-cultural work, partnership development, and geopolitical realities)
- Globe 180 Retreats (where you can gather with other like-minded people to share, learn, and relax)
- And much more!

Specialized Seminars & Workshops

Globe's specialized seminars and workshops equip global ministers and evangelists with the tools to be successful within their call and broaden their worldview. One of Globe's central purposes is training. With this purpose in mind, we pursue an ever-growing culture of excellence in education for our members through multiple scholastic disciplines.

Throughout the year, Globe hosts Disciple Making Movement workshops, Church Planting Multiplication workshops, Biblical Story Telling seminars, Missionography School (audio/video training), Child Protection Training, "Taking Donors Seriously" partnership development training, Taking Donors Seriously, and much more. For more information visit globeintl.org/workshops



MEMBER CARE

OUR GOAL : to see all of our members thrive, not just survive



This goal will be realized through each member having a meaningful, relational connection to someone who cares for them, can resource them, if needed, and who loves them unconditionally. Our member care team is comprised of fellow missionaries in Globe International. **Our objectives include:**

- **BE A FRIEND!**
- **PRAY** for the member when in communication with them and in the Coordinator's own prayer time
- **Contact monthly/semi-monthly/more as needed**
- **Offer health/stress management resources**
- **Offer marriage and family resources**
- **Offer retreats both Stateside and around the globe**

The "heart" of member care is an individual's relationship with the Lord. Caring for oneself and one another within our mission community forms the "backbone" of member care. We want to see each person empowered in their spiritual walk and their personal growth so that the Kingdom of God impacts the world they influence.

In Globe International, we understand that each area of service, whether in **Asia, Africa, Europe, Central, and South America**, has its own difficulties and nuances. We will strive to have a member care team member who is familiar with that particular region. We also will work together with local churches encouraging them to support THEIR missionary through financial support, prayer, helping with rest times (vacations) and retreats.

"alone we can do so little, TOGETHER we can do SO MUCH."

- Helen Keller



Everything we do at Globe is member care; from newsletters to finances, from calls and emails to the office staff from taking time to chat and pray with missionaries. **It's all member care.**

SERVING YOUR VISION



Doug & Beth Gehman
President & Executive Director

For 15 years in the 1980s and 90s, the Gehmans lived in Asia, conducting evangelistic events. In Sri Lanka, they helped start a church planting movement that reached 35,000 people. Doug has served in leadership at Globe International since 1994, as Executive Director since 2001. Doug attended Fuller Theological Seminary and earned Masters and Doctorate degrees from Liberty Christian University. Doug and Beth have ministered in 60 nations. Doug is an avid surfer, writer, and cyclist. He is the author of four books. He and Beth love spending time with their four children's families, including their eleven grandchildren.



Christy Hepner
Director of Mobilization

Christy Hepner joined Globe International in 2012. She has been a missionary in Costa Rica since 2010 helping at orphanages Hogar de Vida and Residence of Life. Christy has also ministered in her local community through an after-school program, English reviews, and English Bible study. She is a part of Simply Mobilizing's New Nation Coordination Team in Costa Rica. She's a head facilitator for the Kairos course and is passionate about mobilizing the church and God's people to be on mission with God. Her desire is to see the church worldwide send missionaries to unreached people groups and work together to complete the Great Commission.



Alan Prouty
Director of Operations

Alan Prouty has been in the full-time ministry since 2001, serving the Kingdom in primarily administrative roles. Alan also served in the US Air Force for fourteen years, and has been serving missionaries with Globe since the fall of 2009. In addition to his role at Globe International Ministries, Alan is an ordained pastor with a local church where he leads short-term mission trips. He met his wife Helen on a short-term trip to Ukraine. Alan is a dedicated coach for youth sports, sharing his faith through positive leadership and encouragement.



Danny & Judy Armstrong
Directors of Interns

Danny & Judy Armstrong spent fifteen years as missionaries to Southeast Asia. Their time overseas was spent in Indonesia, Malaysia, and Singapore where they were involved with training church planters. Currently the Armstrongs are based in the U.S. as they continue to mobilize and equip churches and individuals to reach the unreached. As Directors of Training and Internships, the Armstrongs oversee all of Globe's training programs, internship initiatives and leading Globe's UPG initiative. Danny & Judy have a passion for International travel, Asian food and exploring new cultural opportunities.

Globe International's Leadership Team coordinates and oversees ministry opportunities, strategic resources, and networking capabilities for all Globe members.



Justin & Sonya La Rocco
Directors of Training

Justin & Sonya, with their family, have a heart for unreached people in Southeast Asia. They joined Globe in 2018 after a career in the military where they spent time overseas. They also spent time in Southeast Asia learning to reach and disciple in the community. In 2020, they returned to the US, where they became involved with the training department. As Directors of Training, the La Rocco's oversee the training programs as well as being involved with Globe's Frontiers Initiative and the child safety program.



Bob & Melissa Hill
Directors of Member Care

Bob and Melissa and their young family moved to Japan in 1985 with the purpose of evangelization and establishing churches. They established two churches in Japan, then in 1995, the Hills moved to Scotland with the same purpose. Along with building the church in Scotland, Bob and Melissa acquired a small castle and now oversee a ministry to young women fleeing sexual exploitation. Bob and Melissa are also Directors of Member Care on the Globe Leadership team and oversee Member Care Reps to assist our missionaries across the globe. The Hill's three children and seven grandchildren are scattered from Scotland to the US.



Scott Brown
Director of Development

As the Director of Development, Scott fosters cohesive relationships between Globe missionaries, partnering churches and like-minded organizations for greater ministry opportunities, creative resourcing, and strategic training. Scott also functions as an emissary for Globe and Globe missionaries, advocating for strategic global training, sending, and serving of Globe members. Scott has been associated with Globe International for most of his adult life. Scott served as Globe's office manager from 2006 to 2009. Previously he served as the Executive Director for Dick Reuben Evangelistic Association, as the Dean of Students for the Brownsville Revival School of Ministry, and as the Missions Pastor for Liberty Church. Scott founded the Mordecai Brown Legacy Foundation in 2003, which he later brought to Globe International as a strategic sports ministry outreach.

Greg Nemer
Director of Disciple Making

Greg Nemer along with his family have served the nation of Mexico since 1989 where they functioned as evangelists and church planters. Their Mexican ministry has over 200 Churches under its spiritual covering. They also assisted in the formation of Misi3n Global missions sending agency.

Today, Greg provides a link to Globe's nearly two hundred missionaries, and new candidates, offering coaching and training towards Disciple Making and Church Planting. Greg has a particular burden for Southeast Asia's unreached people groups (UPG's). His personal goal is to plant 5000 simple churches among unreached peoples before 2025.





CONNECTING YOU & THE CHURCH TO THE WORLD

As a faith-based mission agency, Globe partners with churches in the work of sending and sustaining missionaries on every continent around the world. Globe helps provide spiritual oversight and strategic guidance to improve effectiveness, assistance in the fundraising aspects of mission, and a solid base for mission work.

Globe functions in partnership with the church to help fulfill the church's missionary vision. Pastors and church leaders are expected to be involved with the missionaries and ministers they send through Globe and are encouraged to visit the field and actively participate in spiritual care and communication.

Globe International is focused on reaching people for Jesus Christ and helping them become responsible, growing, contributing, outreaching members of indigenous churches all over the world. All of Globe's mission activities, including our training programs, are designed to empower Christians to advance the Gospel. Even humanitarian ministry to the poor must be done within this larger framework - to empower people to follow Jesus within the context of their native culture.



FRONTIERS INITIATIVE

GOAL: Within ten years our focus “Unreached People Groups” will have a viable indigenous church that is strong enough to reach their own people.

STRATEGY: To immediately recruit, train and send new Christ-followers and church planters to our focus unreached people groups with the five-year goal to plant a viable, indigenous church planting movement in each one.

HOW TO ENGAGE:

1. Join or form a “Research & Identify Cohort” to help find focus unreached people groups
2. Join or form a “Go Team” to engage an unreached people group on a five-year mission
3. Join or form an “Advocacy Group” to support Go Team partnerships

RESEARCH AND IDENTIFY COHORT

- a. Build a team to assist us in researching potential unreached people groups for our focus
- b. Using available unreached people group information, the team will filter data through six criteria:



Population is greater than 50,000



Have less than 2% Christ followers



Have the Bible in their heart language



Demonstrate high receptivity



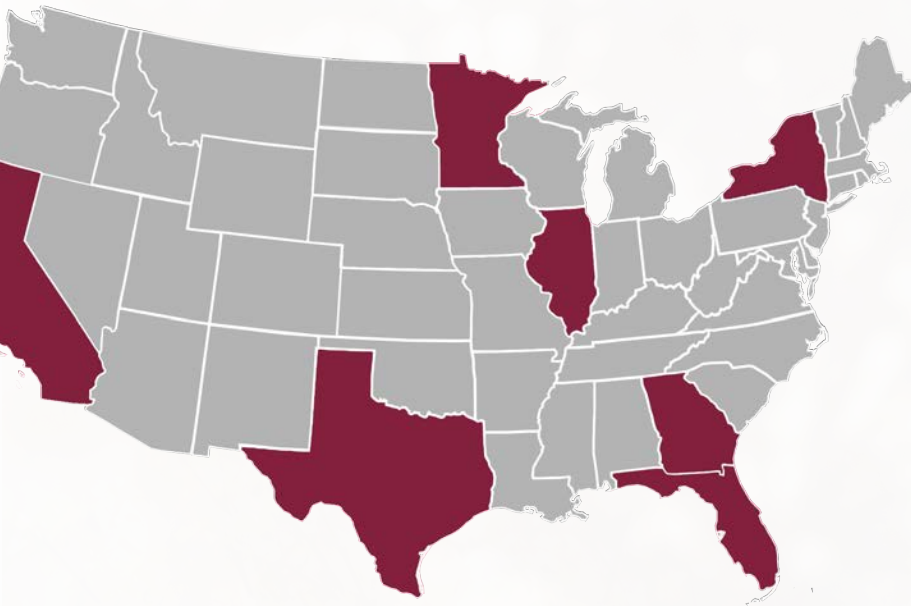
Accessible to witness



In Proximity to Globe Network

THE WORLD AT OUR DOORSTEP

GLOBE'S HUB CITY STRATEGY



As part of Globe's Unreached People Group Initiative, **Orlando, FL, Jacksonville, FL, Minneapolis, MN, Chicago, IL, New York City, Los Angeles, CA, San Francisco, CA and Clarkston, GA (Atlanta suburb)** have been identified as Globe International HUB Cities. HUB Cities are metropolitan areas hosting sizable populations of Least Reached Peoples living in or near these cities.

A HUB City offers increasing connectivity and opportunity to impact international populations with the Gospel. HUB Cities are enlisted as a training ground for immersion ministry among international peoples, to export the Gospel to their home countries around the world.

Modern immigration symbolizes a new era in missions—one in which the magnitude of today's migration, globalization, and urbanization pose unprecedented opportunities to take the Gospel to the ends of the earth through the people who live in HUB Cities.

Globe acknowledges this bouquet of the nations in the United States as a Kingdom opportunity. Our end goal, reflected in Revelation 7:9, is to see **"many multitudes which were impossible to count, which were of all people, generations, nations and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb."**



LAUNCHING OUT

EXPLORING AND NAVIGATING YOUR CALL TO THE WORLD

The task of local and global evangelization was given to the people of God. It was from the church at Antioch that the Holy Spirit sent out the first mission personnel (Acts 13:1-4). We are persuaded that the scriptural New Testament pattern for evangelization is for the local church to send mission personnel to preach the Gospel, plant indigenous churches, teach disciples to obey the Word of God, and evangelize others in their own ethnic or language group.

By joining Globe International, missionaries and evangelistic ministries become a part of a growing team that serves God all over the world. Globe members join hands in a partnership with God's people on mission as goers and senders, including hundreds of churches and thousands of supporters who send laborers to the world in Jesus' name.

Globe offers each new candidate the opportunity to enter into a partnership that thoughtfully and prayerfully sets a strategic course in pursuing God's call. Globe helps plan the path for those just getting started on their mission and also those who have experience and already know where they are heading.

To facilitate service and resourcing for many kinds of missionaries and ministries, Globe has three Missionary Categories:

- 1) Intern Assignment [SD or FX] – Missionaries or ministers who are new to Globe and plan to serve for three months to three years. Short Duration: 1-12 months. Full Experience: 1-3 years.
- Go Team : Join or form a "Go Team" to engage a UPG on a five-year mission
- 2) Commissioned Assignment (CO) – Interns who are ready to take the next step towards a possible career in missions.
- 3) Career Assignment (CA) – missionaries and evangelists with a proven call and long-term commitment to cross-cultural work.

Each membership category receives the full scope of Globe International's services and staff support.



COME STAY AT THE GLOBAL LAUNCH CENTER!



The Global Launch Center is Globe International's training and lodging facility to prepare God's global servants to go to the nations. This facility features modern, flexible accommodations for up to 35 adults in 3 private rooms with bath, 2 semi-private, and 2 dorm rooms, as well as fully equipped men's and women's restrooms. It also features an audio / visual meeting area for up to 50 and dining and warming kitchen facilities to comfortably seat 35 people. The GLC sits on a 2-acre outdoor area with ample room for activities. The GLC is equipped with free wifi, an adult reading area, and a playroom for your children. Coming soon: outdoor children's play area, prayer garden, and recreational area. For info regarding our affordable rates visit: globallaunchcenter.org. The Global Launch Center is also available for church & youth retreats, men's and women's conferences, and other such Christian functions. A great location on Florida's beautiful Gulf Coast!

COLLABORATIVE PARTNERSHIPS – THE WORLD IS WAITING

Right now Globe International missionaries and ministries are advancing the cause of Christ all over the world. Globe's purpose is to train you and resource your ministry, then send you to the world and serve you while you are there. Globe effectively becomes your partner in ministry.

God created each of us with special insights and giftedness. He made us unique individuals. Despite our many differences, God has designed us to work more effectively with fellow believers in harmony and community. Everyone needs help!

We invite you to explore your possibilities with Globe International and the partnerships we can create together. Connect with us online or in person, as we celebrate your call and join together as you reach the world.

Globe believes by partnering together in ministry, we can create something more powerful, balanced, and well-rounded than if we acted alone.

SHORT-DURATION CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

Globe International promotes the ability for individuals, families, and churches to connect and visit our global ministers on the field. If you are interested in getting involved in short-duration ministry travel, connecting your church, or simply having a better understanding of global opportunities, short-duration ministry travel may be for you. Visit globeintl.org



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