

The International Education Committee proposes to accept the invitation from the American Council on Education's invitation to participate in the ACE Internationalization Lab. A brief summary of the initiative, taken from the project website, appears below.

"ACE's Internationalization Laboratory provides institutions with customized guidance and insight as they review their internationalization goals and develop strategic plans.

As part of the Internationalization Laboratory, experts from ACE work with institutions to help them:

- Form an **internationalization leadership team** on campus.
- **Review current internationalization activities** to clarify institutional goals.
- **Develop a strategic action plan** based on an analysis of current activities on campus.

Participating institutions will also have access to:

- **On-campus site visits by ACE staff**, involving a roundtable discussion with the leadership team and key stakeholders to facilitate dialogue, define key questions and issues, clarify goals and build support for the internationalization process.
- **Three meetings** of the entire Internationalization Laboratory cohort, hosted by ACE in Washington, DC.
- **Regular contact with and guidance from ACE staff** as the campus conducts its review, analyzes findings and develops its action plan."

I have also attached two documents: one outlines questions useful to think about during the internationalization review, and the other a six area model showing the internationalization process.