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Through English™



GLOBAL LANGUAGE
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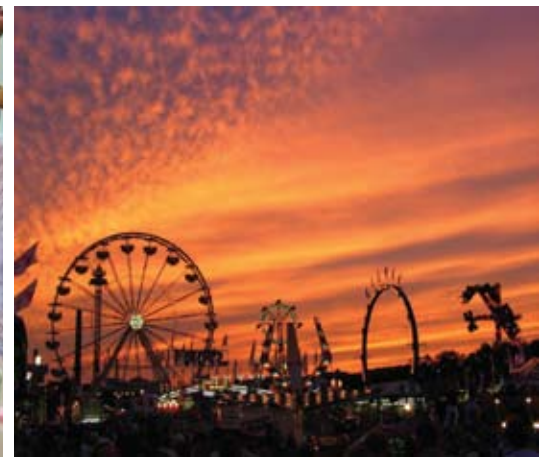
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MISSION STATEMENT

Global Language Institute is dedicated to providing quality English as a second language instruction to students of the world. The organization aims to maintain the highest educational standards of instruction and student services. We also strive to promote multicultural communication and global understanding.

Established 1990.
ACCET accredited.
Member AAIEP, TESOL, NAFSA.
www.GLI.edu



WELCOME TO GLOBAL LANGUAGE INSTITUTE

At GLI, we do more than provide world-class instruction in English. We also do all we can to help our students reach their greater goals — academic, professional, or personal. And we believe that this happens best in a warm, friendly environment. GLI is not part of a large, corporate chain of schools, nor is it a large university where you may feel lost. At GLI, you will be welcomed by caring people who will know your name and will look forward to helping you...not only when you are in the classroom, but even after classes have finished for the day.

Please take a moment to learn more about GLI. In this brochure, you will find the programs, the facts, and the reasons why GLI is known for its quality language instruction and excellent student services. In our 20 years of experience, we have welcomed students from more than 125 countries.

We hope that you will decide to join our international family. Let us help you to gain confidence in your English, prepare for your future, and make life-long friendships that lead to greater understanding in our complex world.

We look forward to welcoming you to GLI!

Yours sincerely,



Sheila Hoffman-Hicks, Ph.D.
President/Co-owner



Mary E. Guion
Director of Admissions
& Administration/Co-owner



**“At GLI, the world becomes
our family. Please join us!”**



INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAM

WE CARE ABOUT YOU - ACADEMICALLY AND PERSONALLY

At Global Language Institute, you will find teachers and staff who care about you and your progress.

We do all we can to help you learn English well. Our classes are small. Our teachers are well qualified, friendly, and professional. An “English Only” policy encourages you to make your best effort. After class, experiences such as tutoring, the Independent Learning Lab, organized activities, and the athletic center all help you to improve your English skills while learning about life in the US.

Our curriculum’s challenging, academic focus results in fast progress. GLI offers beginning to highly advanced courses, taught by teachers with Master’s degrees and years of experience.

Study reading, writing, listening, speaking, pronunciation, grammar, iBT TOEFL preparation, and cultural content in a beautiful, friendly environment. You may also choose from engaging elective courses. Our up-to-date teaching methods, technology, and materials enrich your learning. Studying alongside other motivated students from around the world will inspire you to do your best and help you to gain confidence in your ability to communicate with others.

Let GLI help you to meet your goals!

“If you’re serious about learning English and also want to have some fun, **GLI is the school for you!**”

Mishari, Saudi Arabia



Small classes maximum 12 students

Year-round program with sessions beginning every four weeks

Full-time classes 25 classroom hours per week

Beginning to highly advanced courses

Excellent teachers with Master's degrees

IBT TOEFL preparation and study skills training

Free one-to-one tutoring

Official certificate and grade reports

University Placement Service 100% success rate! *

Conditional admission with US colleges and universities

Beautiful, safe metropolitan area

Personal attention – we care about you!

8:00 - Meet Maria at the gym
9:00 - Fun with Idioms class
10:00 - Mastering Reading/
Writing/Grammar
11:50 - Lunch
1:00 - Developing Pronunciation
& Conversation
3:30 - Tutoring:
Get help with grammar!
6:30 - Dinner with family
Homework:
- Prepare for presentation:
"Who do I most admire?"
- Research for project

* At time of publication



INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAM

YOUR TIMELINE - STRUCTURED FOR SUCCESS

1

GLI is for me!

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Apply to GLI

We will help you with each step of the GLI application process.

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Admission and I-20

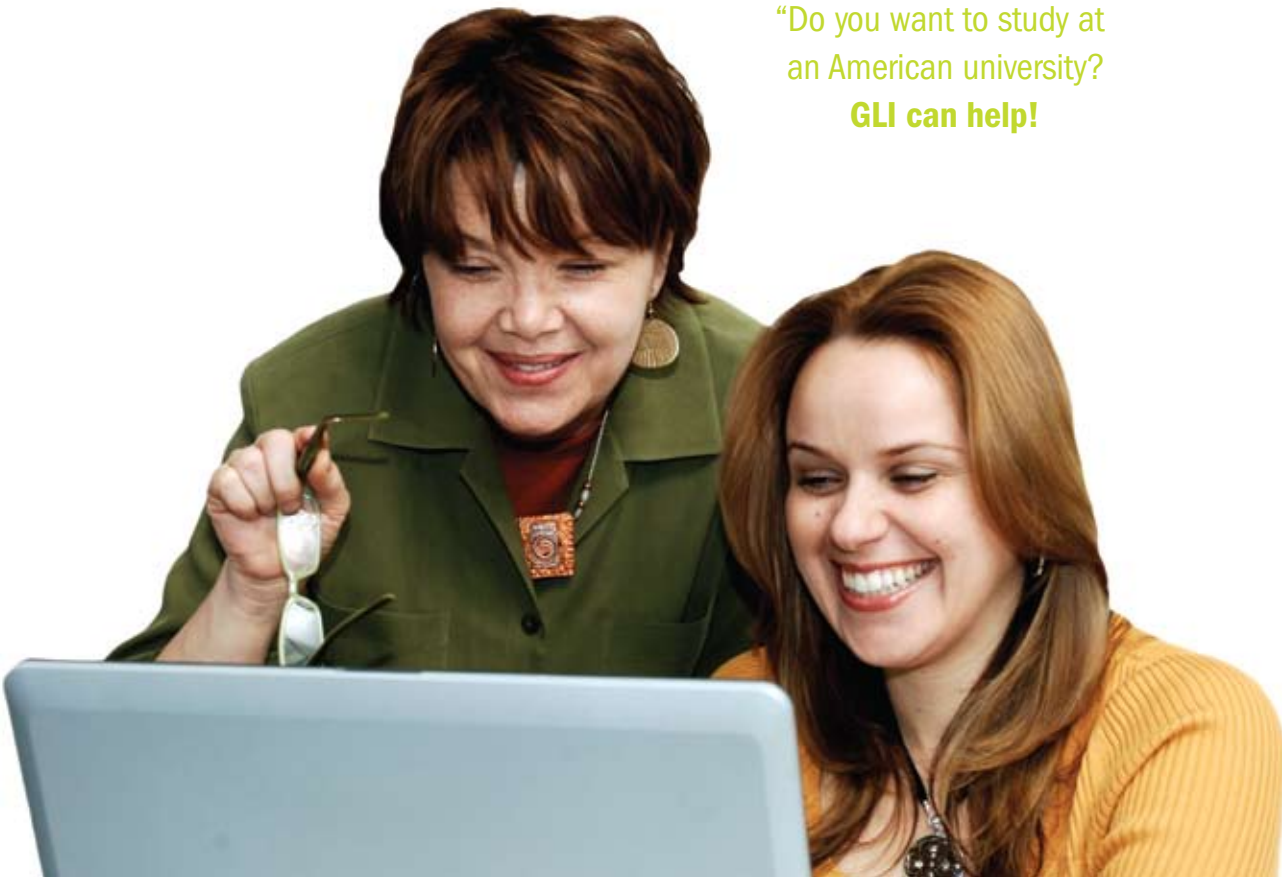
GLI will send you an acceptance letter and I-20 document to apply for an F-1 student visa. For eligible students, GLI partners with many US colleges and universities for Conditional Admission and TOEFL waivers.

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Arrival and Accommodations

You will be warmly welcomed at the airport. Most GLI students stay with homestay families. GLI's homestay program matches students with carefully selected families, families who truly want to welcome an international student into their home!

“Do you want to study at an American university?
GLI can help!”



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Welcome to GLI!

During your first days, you will take comprehensive placement tests, receive orientation, and begin your classes. We will also help you open a bank account, try out the athletic center, and much more. Don't worry... we are here to help you.

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Learn English!

Intensive, beginning to highly advanced courses and free one-to-one tutoring help you reach your goals.

YOU ARE ON YOUR WAY!!

Continue Study in the US

Your excellent academic preparation at GLI will help you succeed as an undergraduate, graduate, or career school student!

University Placement

100% of GLI students wishing to study at an American university have been accepted with our help (at time of publication).

GLI's Academic Director and Director of Student Services will meet with you often to develop an Educational Plan just for you. There is no extra charge for this service. We will help you choose and apply to the schools that are the best for you academically, financially, and socially.

Advance Your Career

Use your new English skills to find a job or be more successful in your life!

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**“GLI was the best
choice for me!
I loved everything about it!”**

**Danielle, China
GLI Graduate
Berklee College of Music, Boston**



TRAINING COURSES FOR PROFESSIONALS

EXECUTIVE ENGLISH PROGRAM

An individualized training program for professionals in all fields

You tell us your specific language needs in your current or future position, and GLI will develop a completely individualized program focusing on just what you need! No two programs are the same.

Fully customized

Not a seminar...not a tutorial...a 100% customized training program. You tell us the specific language needs of your current or future position, and through GLI's comprehensive **Program Diagnostic & Design** process, we develop a program completely tailored to your position, your company, and your industry.

Focused

This 30-hour per week program allows you to be **fully immersed** in the language and culture of the United States. All courses are taught *one-to-one*, providing the total attention of your instructors and ensuring that no time is wasted.

Flexible

Begin the program at any time, and stay from one week to six months.

Personal attention GLI's instructors and staff are accustomed to providing careful attention to high-level professional clients.

An Extraordinary Training Experience

Immerse yourself in the Twin Cities of St. Paul/Minneapolis—the perfect setting for your professional training course. This thriving metropolitan area (more than 3 million people) is consistently ranked as one of the best and safest places to live in the US. Enjoy luxury or economical hotel options. Or, for a full immersion experience, let us place you with a GLI homestay family that is ready to welcome a professional into their home. Evenings and weekends, experience the limitless cultural and entertainment opportunities the region offers, including year-round outdoor activities, professional sports teams, and world-class dining, shopping, music, and museums.

Do you need better English to participate more effectively in meetings?

Does your job require you to negotiate with others in English?

Do you struggle to communicate clearly in e-mail or written reports?

Or maybe...

You must make a formal presentation at a conference in Singapore – in English.

You need to provide tours and information for visitors to your worksite.

You are responsible for entertaining important international guests.

For nearly 20 years, GLI has provided practical solutions designed for professionals like you!

Roberto
St. Jude Medical, Brazil



COMBINED INTENSIVE PROGRAM FOR PROFESSIONALS

Customized one-to-one training combined with group interaction

After a comprehensive intake assessment and diagnosis of needs, an individualized program – including both one-to-one and group training – will be developed to address your specific professional and personal objectives in English.

Executive English Program individualized one-to-one training

+ **Intensive English Program** dynamic oral communications course

= **GLI's Combined Intensive Program for Professionals**

...the perfect option for more limited budgets and if you enjoy the dynamic interplay of group interaction!

This economical program offers 25 hours per week of intensive highly practical training for professionals in all fields and industries. Sessions begin every 4 weeks, year-round. Enroll in as many 4-week terms as needed without ever repeating material. Shorter programs available.

Let GLI help you to reach your professional objectives and gain the confidence you need for success!

Did you know...?

The Twin Cities of St. Paul/Minneapolis are home to many multi-national corporations and twenty Fortune 500 companies including 3M, Cargill, Medtronic, Best Buy, General Mills, and others.

The Mayo Clinic and Hospitals are also in Minnesota.

Direct flights to the Twin Cities (MSP International Airport) are available from Asia and Europe.

Sandra
Cargill Corporation,
Switzerland



Professional Setting

Combine the contemporary with the historic. GLI's elegant setting is located in downtown St. Paul, the state's capitol. The beautifully renovated building offers modern technology and a state-of-the-art athletic facility.



YOUTH PROGRAM IN MINNESOTA

Academic preparation and cultural orientation for a US high school experience!

Let GLI help prepare you for – or introduce you to – the American high school experience. Improve your academic English and also your understanding of US culture and high school life. In this full-time program (ages 12 – 17), valuable English, Science, and US History courses are complemented by weekly educational field trips. A full-day excursion every Friday adds fun to the experience!

4-week camp – shorter and longer programs available

Caring, helpful teachers and staff

Modern textbooks and other materials

Maximum class size 15

Weekly educational field trips

Full-day excursion every Friday

Round-trip airport transfer

GLI t-shirt

Basic medical insurance plan (if needed)

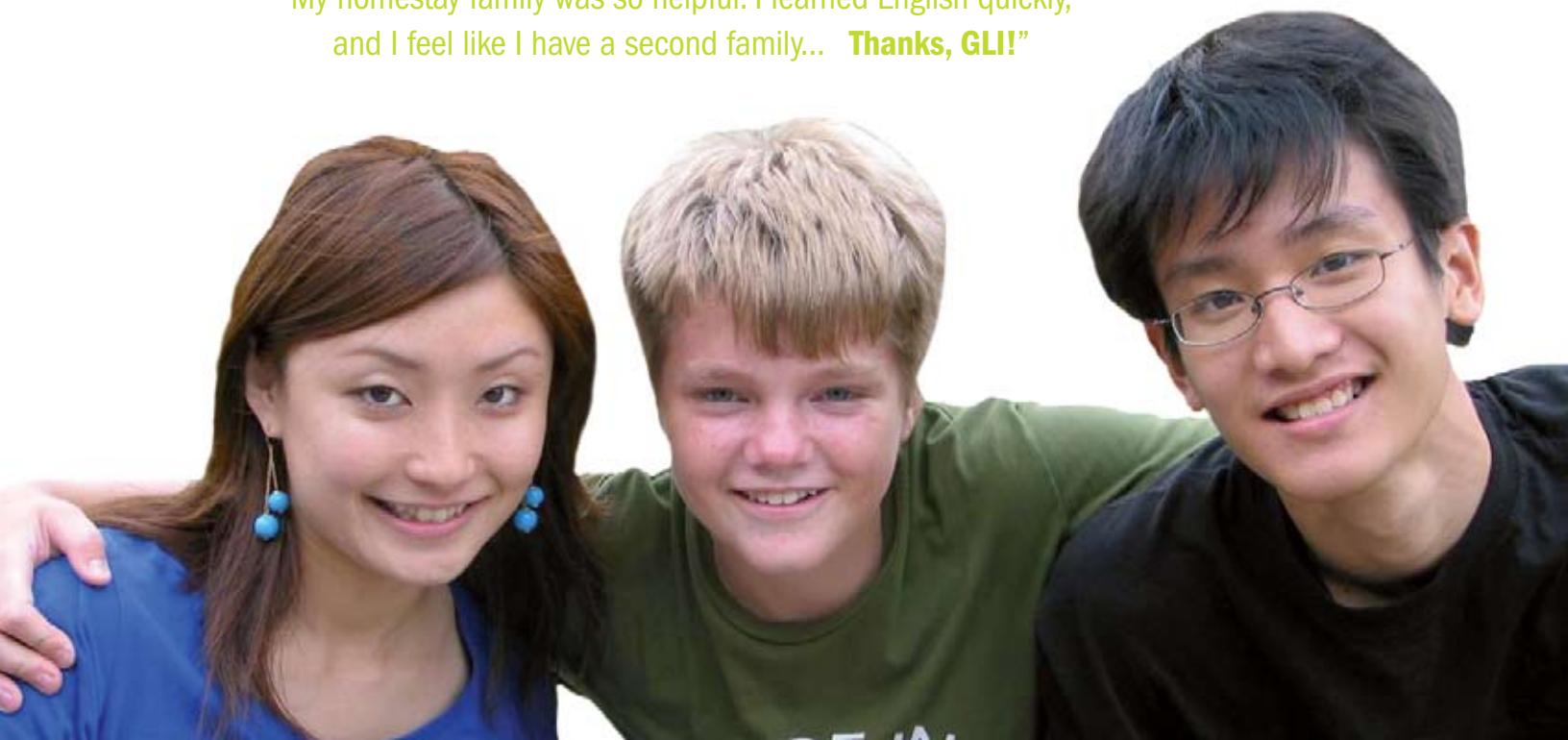
Certificate awarded at graduation ceremony

Family Homestay

The best way to practice English and learn about day-to-day life in the United States is to live with an American family. GLI's homestay families are carefully selected and are waiting to welcome you into their home as part of their family.

High school preparedness depends upon language proficiency at time of enrollment. Although GLI works in cooperation with students and high schools, GLI does not guarantee high school placement or academic preparedness to meet all schools' requirements.

“My homestay family was so helpful. I learned English quickly,
and I feel like I have a second family... **Thanks, GLI!**”



SPECIAL GROUP PROGRAMS IN MINNESOTA

Quality Group Programs for Youth and Adults

For 20 years, GLI has been partnering with international schools and universities, non-profits, government organizations, and educational agencies to provide quality specialized programs for youth and adults.

GLI welcomes two types of group programs:

Customized programming

Let GLI create a specialized program combining English with your group's specific interest area!

Special discounts for groups

Enroll your group (minimum 15) in GLI's [Intensive English Program](#) or [Youth Program in Minnesota](#) and enjoy reduced rates!

Contact GLI to learn more about bringing your youth or adult group to beautiful Minnesota!



Group Satisfaction

GLI has the experience to create a successful program for your group! Whether they join one of our intensive programs or combine English with specific topics such as teacher training, banking, or science, your group will gain knowledge and confidence through a memorable immersion experience.

“My agency brought groups to GLI for nearly 10 years.
You can trust GLI to provide the quality and attention
you expect for your group programs.”

Sachiko Y., Program Coordinator, Japan



GLI PROGRAMS IN FLORIDA

YOUTH PROGRAM IN FLORIDA

An exciting vacation English program in beautiful Florida!

Youth (ages 12–17) from around the world meet at GLI for part-time English instruction followed by a full schedule of afternoon, evening, and weekend activities. Both individuals and groups are welcome to this 4-week camp (shorter programs available).

Great classes.

Dynamic teachers, experienced in teaching young people, teach fun and practical language lessons.

Daily activities keep students busy and having fun.

On-campus activities include sports and recreation, arts and crafts, computer time, pool parties, and many games and contests. Off-campus activities include the ocean beach, shopping, bowling, Miami Bayside, Coconut Grove, and others. Don't forget Florida's fabulous theme parks—Universal Studios and Disney World!

**“This was the best summer of my life!
I loved my new friends, my teachers
and all the activities.
It was fantastic!”**

Sasha, Russia



Location and Accommodations



Camp participants live in a campus residence complex and enjoy a full meal plan in the campus cafeteria (meals during full-day excursions not included). GLI's director and staff live on campus, thus providing excellent supervision and care.

SUMMER FUN FOR LIFELONG MEMORIES!

Full calendar of fun afternoon, evening, and weekend activities

Transportation and admission to all activities, including Universal Studios and Disney World!

15 hours per week of high quality English language lessons

Modern textbooks and materials appropriate for teenagers, computer lab

Maximum class size 15

Guaranteed international mix of students

Supervision by caring, experienced professionals

Certificate of participation awarded at graduation ceremony

Basic medical insurance plan (if needed)

GLI t-shirt



Friends Forever

Student-created memory books like this one capture the fun and friendship of GLI's youth camps. Come to GLI and make your own summertime memories with teens from around the world!

SPECIAL GROUP PROGRAMS IN FLORIDA

During the Florida summer months (June – August), GLI offers exciting special group programs for youth!

For 20 years, GLI has been partnering with international schools, non-profits, government organizations, and educational agencies to welcome groups of 15 – 200 participants.

GLI offers two types of group programs:

1. Customized programming in many interest areas
2. Special discounts for groups (minimum 15) enrolling in [GLI's Youth Program in Florida](#)

Contact GLI for more information about bringing your group to sunny South Florida!



GLI'S MINNESOTA LOCATION

A GREAT PLACE TO BE...

The Twin Cities of St. Paul & Minneapolis

Come learn English in the exciting “Twin Cities” in the state of Minnesota! The Twin Cities, home to more than 3 million people, is famous for friendly people, cultural opportunities, and natural surroundings. GLI's campus is located in beautiful downtown St. Paul, the state's capitol city. Just minutes from GLI, you can walk to the Mississippi River, visit the State Capitol, attend a professional sports game, dine at a trendy restaurant, get inspired at a museum, relax at one of our local coffee shops, or experience the United States' largest shopping center, the Mall of America!

Enjoy Four Seasons

The Twin Cities is best known for its unique blend of a lively urban environment within a rich natural setting. Imagine 950 lakes and over 160 parks in one metropolitan area! Minnesota's four seasons offer more of a variety of climate and experience than almost any other place in the US. In the spring, summer, and fall, enjoy baseball games, miles of trails, and dozens of outdoor festivals. In the winter, try activities like snowboarding, basketball, ice fishing, or stay cozy in our climate-controlled skyways.

See page 11 for information about GLI's Florida location.

The experts agree...
the Twin Cities is the place to be!

The Twin Cities ranked 1st in cleanliness, 2nd in intelligent people, and 2nd in public parks and spaces (*Travel + Leisure* magazine's "America's Favorite Cities")

The Twin Cities is home to **seven professional sports teams**: the Timberwolves, Twins, Vikings, Swarm, Lynx, Thunder, and Wild.

The Twin Cities has **more theater seats per capita** than any world city other than New York.

The Twin Cities is the **“Most Fun City in America,”** according to the makers of *Cranium*.



APPLYING TO GLI'S PROGRAMS IN MINNESOTA

WE ARE HERE TO HELP YOU!

F-1 Student Visa

You will need an F-1 student visa if your main reason for coming to the United States is to study. The student visa requires you to study full time. Full time at GLI is at least 24 hours per week, depending on the program.

Application Checklist

The following is required before we can process your application. Once received, we will send your I-20 (certificate of eligibility) document and acceptance materials to you within two business days.

- **Completed GLI application form** Please visit our website at www.gli.edu/apply.html to view our on-line application or to download a printable (pdf) version.
- **A non-refundable application fee** Payment may be made by credit card (Visa or MasterCard), personal check from a US bank account, wire transfer, or a money order.
- **Evidence of financial support** Proof that you have enough money to pay your tuition, fees, and living expenses while attending GLI can be one of the following:
 - A current personal bank statement or letter from your bank, in English and on bank letterhead, indicating the balance of your account.
 - A personal letter of financial support and current bank statement from a relative/sponsor saying that they will pay for your expenses.
 - A letter of financial guarantee from a sponsoring agency.
 - An original scholarship certificate from your government or other organization.
- **Express mail fee** (optional). If you request, we will send your acceptance documents to you by express mail.
- **Homestay placement fee** (only if family accommodation is requested). For homestay accommodations with an American family, a homestay placement fee is required at the time of application.

GLI is authorized under Federal law to enroll nonimmigrant students.

“We look forward to warmly welcoming you to GLI!”

CONTACT US

For information about **Florida** programs, refer to pages 11-12 or visit our website at www.gli.edu.

For **prices and start dates** for all GLI programs, please see our application or “Fees and Start Dates” page of our website.

If you have any additional questions, please e-mail us at info@gli.edu.

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