

**We are creating a network of scholars, administrators, and practitioners to promote equitable, inclusive, and decolonizing research on study abroad and international student mobility from Global South perspectives.**

With support from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada,  
**we aspire to:**

1. Foster research that gives **greater voice to internationally mobile students from the Global South**, using various methodological perspectives to explore their experiences and with the same attention bestowed on their counterparts from the Global North.
2. Cultivate study abroad **research that originates in Global South universities**, whether focused on in-bound or out-bound sojourners, the role of the institution or individual hosts, or on any other aspect of international student mobility.
3. Facilitate **partnerships between Global South and Global North researchers and administrators** that favor equitable and inclusive research and its free availability to scholars and other stakeholders globally, including in translation.
4. Promote research, and its dissemination, that draws on **alternative epistemologies and situated cultural understandings** beyond the purview of mainstream study abroad research, including in non-dominant languages.
5. Generate research and connections that **favor more equitable access to study abroad experiences** and designed to maximize benefit for all stakeholders whose objectives and practices are benign, ethical, and sustainable.

If you are interested in joining and shaping the *Global Collective for Study Abroad Researchers and Administrators*, please visit our website [gcsara.org](https://gcsara.org) and click **“Join the Collective”**.

