Application for participation



Presbyterian Women in the PC(USA)

Global Exchange to Indonesia



September 12-29, 2017

Building Bridges of Understanding "... so that we may be mutually encouraged by each other's faith, both yours and mine" (Rom. 1:12).

Every three years, a group of Presbyterian women travels to another part of the world to hear the joys and pain that our sisters there experience, and to share faith stories and ministries with one another.

It is a global exchange because the following year, a group of women from the same part of the world is invited to itinerate in synods and participate in the Churchwide Gathering of Presbyterian Women, to share their stories.

Building bridges of understanding, as sisters in Christ we will:

- learn how to live respectfully in a multifaith culture and
- encourage and accompany one another as together we seek a more peaceful and just world.

To learn more about Presbyterian Women's Global Exchange, visit www.pcusa.org/pw/missionmatters, or call the PW associate for mission at 502/569-5402.

Return this application to your PW in the Synod moderator no later than August 15, 2016. Send a copy to your PW in the Presbytery moderator and keep a copy for yourself.



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The Global Exchange is designed for women who

- are open, sensitive and adaptable to other cultures; work well with people of differing views and ideas;
- are healthy and able to handle rigorous schedules—i.e., long days, extensive walking, handling luggage, climbing stairs;
- are willing to share the experience with others; and are willing to raise funds for participation.

Deadline: Send completed application to your PW in the Synod moderator no later than August 15, 2016, with a copy to your PW in the Presbytery moderator. Keep a copy for yourself.

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1. General health	excellent	☐ good	☐ fair		
2. Allergies?	yes	☐ no			
If yes, please explain					
3. Dietary restrictions? If yes, please explain	□ yes	□ no			
,	□ yes	□ no			
5. Emotional challenges? If yes, please explain	□ yes	□ no			
6. Would it be a danger to your health if you had to miss a meal?					
7. Does your medical insur	rance cover overseas trave	el?	☐ yes	☐ no	
8. Are you currently under	a physician's care and/or t	aking prescribed medication	ns of which we sh	nould be aware?	
□ yes □ no	If yes, please explain				
9. Are there any other condidabetes, high blood pre		out in considering your appl	lication (e.g., slee	p disorders,	
□ yes □ no	'				

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Additional Information (If space provided is not sufficient, please provide additional typed attachments.) 10. Why do you wish to participate in this Global Exchange? 11. What is/has been your involvement in Presbyterian Women, your church and your community? 12. Keeping in mind the purpose printed on the front of this application, what are your expectations for this experience? 13. Describe an uncomfortable, unexpected situation and your response to it. 14. Describe an experience you had with a culture other than your own and what you learned about yourself. ☐ no 15. Do you speak a language other than English? yes If yes, which one(s)? How fluently? _ 16. Regarding accommodations, can you travel with a large group of people? yes ☐ no 17. Can you adapt to simple living arrangements? ☐ yes ☐ no 18. Can you adapt to different accomodations each day? ☐ yes ☐ no 19. Can you walk three miles unassisted? yes no 20. Can you carry your own luggage, and carry it up stairs? ☐ yes no 21. Are you comfortable with a demanding schedule? yes ☐ no 22. Do you consider yourself . . . able to adhere to a schedule? ☐ yes ☐ no adaptable? ☐ yes no a team member? yes ☐ no a listener? ves no an effective public speaker? ves ☐ no open to different viewpoints and new ideas? yes ☐ no 23. If selected, I will . . . share my photographs and notes after the trip for the benefit of all participants. yes ☐ no do a pre-trip study of materials provided or recommended by organizers. yes ☐ no commit to two years' post-trip presentation of my experience to educating Presbyterian women about Global Exchange issues. yes no

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References

Name two references who can speak to the qualities described in the information provided on the previous page. Send each of them one of the enclosed reference forms to fill out and send to your PW in the Synod moderator no later than August 15, 2016.

Name		
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		are responsible for their own expenses. It is hoped that your ses. No frequent flyer miles may be used.
Send the o	Send a copy to your PW i	in the Synod moderator by August 15, 2016. in the Presbytery moderator. opy for yourself.
Please read and sign thi	s agreement:	
study in advance, take par		Exchange of Presbyterian Women. I will complete the required uding orientation and debriefing, and will give two years followin ligations related to this trip.
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	signature (required; synod modera boon St., Louisville, KY 40202-1396	ator returns application to Mission Associate, PW in the by September 1, 2016).
Presbyterian Women in th	e Synod of	
endorses		and agrees to
assist the participation	ant(s) in raising funds for the cost of	the Exchange to Indonesia,
	•	articipating in the Exchange, and provide opportunities for her to the 2018 Churchwide Gathering of Presbyterian Women,
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Signed		
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Keep a copy of this application for your records.