<u>LEAP Across Borders for Global Learning</u> with International Scholars

LEAP Action Plan

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General Goal:

The Visiting Scholars Program facilitates and supports learning and teaching opportunities that will promote meaningful relationships among international scholars, UWW faculty and scholars, and students. Under the guidance of the Visiting Scholars Program scholars and students pursue and apply intellectual and practical skills within a Liberal Education* framework

Planned Actions:

- Develop a pre-arrival questionnaire to identify areas of opportunity for the visiting scholar to collaborate and connect with students, faculty, and staff
- Develop assessment tools for visiting scholar, sponsoring faculty member
- Create and implement a comprehensive orientation program
- Improve application procedures and program marketing based on feedback from assessment
- Develop a dedicated space on the Global Education Website which will carry the Global Scholar application as well as information and resources for prospective Global Scholars and/or campus sponsors

Deliverables, Completed Actions:

- **Dean's Advisory Council**—presented program to Dean's Advisory Council. Deans are on board with the program. Indicated that there is an issue with providing office space for scholars. Candace Chenoweth indicated that the Center for Global Ed may be able to assist in the short term. We also brought up the issue of locating housing for the scholars that is near campus.
- **Program Mission Statement**—developed a program mission around the LEAP learning outcomes
- Human Resources—team met with the Office of Human Resources & Diversity to discuss how
 visiting scholars are entered into HRS to streamline the process of ID cards, emails, library
 access etc.
- **Registrar**—team met with Registrar to determine if it is possible for scholars to take courses while they are here and what the best process is for that.