



Global
Innovation
Race



REGISTRATION OPEN



PROGRAM:

Date:

Cohort 1: 7/7-17 (OPEN NOW)

Cohort 2: 7/17-27(OPEN NOW)

Cohort 3: 7/27-8/6(Waiting list)

Location: Stanford University

Chaperone Ratio: 1:5

Fee: \$6900

(Please inquire about the school group quote.)

Deadline: 3/31/2025



HIGHLIGHTS:

- Design Thinking Curriculum
- Cross- Cultural Teams
- Stanford AI workshop
- Stanford Guest Speakers
- Young Tech Professionals
- Prototyping with AI
- San Francisco Tour
- Silicon Valley Tour
- Stanford Camp Tour
- Dorm Experience at Stanford



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Andre Nudelman

Andre Nudelman was appointed as Entrepreneur in Residence at Stanford University Graduate School of Education in September 2021 and in 2023 became the Entrepreneur in Residence at GSE Lemann Center. He has an extensive range of activities, including Private Equity with focus on Education, Entrepreneurship, Real Estate Investments, Agriculture, Art Collection, Non-profit organizations, and volunteer activities.

Beside co-teaching the Lytics Seminar at Stanford (GSE-EDUC 407, GSBGID307 and CS407), Mr. Nudelman has been invited to present at summits, seminars, conventions, and at Stanford multiple courses, UC Berkeley and Harvard Graduate School of Education.

CEO of DMA • Entrepreneur
in Residence at Stanford
University Graduate School of
Education Lemann Center



Glenn Fajardo

Glenn believes in the power of connection to spark creativity across distances and cultures. Teaching at Stanford's d.school since 2014 and serving as the Distributed Learning Teaching Fellow in 2020, he explores how collaboration can thrive even when we're apart.

With 14 years of experience in virtual collaboration spanning six continents, Glenn focuses on social impact work. Alongside Kursat Ozenc, he co-authored "Rituals for Virtual Meetings: Creative Ways to Engage People and Strengthen Relationships." Previously, as the Director of the Co-Design Practice at TechSoup, Glenn championed technology's potential for social change. Trained in nuclear engineering sciences and public policy, he also enjoys playing electric bass and cooking in others' kitchens.

DMA Chief Learning Officer •
Lecturer at Stanford d.school •
Former Director of Co-Design
Practice @ TechSoup



Digital Media Academy

**FOUNDED AT STANFORD
IN 1999, DIGITAL MEDIA
ACADEMY LEADS K-12 IN
STEAM, EMPOWERING
STUDENTS WITH DESIGN
THINKING AND SOCIAL
ENTREPRENEURSHIP.**



STUDENTS WILL :

- ✓ Move out of your comfort zone, learning **social thinking** and networking skills as you learn to collaborate with diverse cultures and build trust and safety in groups.
- ✓ Get real-world experience using **design thinking** to create a human-centered solution to a pressing world problem and bring your idea to life with the guidance of Stanford mentors and industry experts.
- ✓ Learn how to think **like an entrepreneur** to create compelling, sustainable value as an innovator and how to effectively communicate the value of your ideas through storytelling.
- ✓ Work in small cross-cultural teams to **build prototypes addressing meaningful problems, connect globally**, and interact with Silicon Valley professionals. Teams also create project video stories for screening at the GIR Film Fest Finale.
- ✓ Leave inspired, with an **international network** of lifelong friends and fellow innovators.

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Now it's your turn!**

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	Day 8	Day 9	Day 10	Day 11				
7:00		Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast				
8:00															
8:30		Walk to classroom	Walk to classroom	Briefing - instructions CHM activity	Walk to classroom	San Francisco Tour	Walk to classroom	Walk to classroom	Walk to classroom	Walk to classroom					
9:00		GIR Kickoff Orientation Jump into Design Thinking	[class time]	transition time	Prototype sprint		San Francisco Tour	[class time]	[class time]	Final Project sprint	Final Project sprint	Departure Day Check out			
9:30															
10:00															
10:30			Break	Computer History Museum	Break						Break		Break	Break	Break
11:00		[class time]			Prototype sprint				[class time]	[class time]	Guest speakers		Final Project sprint		
11:30		Lunch @ Stanford	Lunch @ Stanford	Lunch	Lunch @ Stanford				Lunch @ Stanford	Lunch @ Stanford	Lunch @ Stanford		Lunch @ Stanford		
12:00															
13:30	Arrival-Check in	[class time]	Workshop - Generative AI Students will receive certification from Stanford IT Break	Silicon Valley Tour	Guest speakers/Early Career Panel			San Francisco Tour	[class time]	Campus Tour: explore Stanford's seven schools	Final Project sprint		Project showcase		
14:00															Break & setup time
14:30															
15:00				Break		Prototype Fair									
15:30			[class time]		Class - Prototype sprint start	Wrap-up, students process feedback			[class time]	[class time]	Final Project sprint	Closing Ceremony + Group Photo			
16:00															
16:30															
17:00	Free time and Dinner	Free time and Dinner	Free time and Dinner	Free time and Dinner	Free time and Dinner	Free time and Dinner	Free time and Dinner		Free time and Dinner	Free time and Dinner	Free time and Dinner				
19:00															
19:30	Chaperone Meeting	Group Icebreakers	Group Icebreakers	Optional Activities	Optional Activities	Optional Activities	Group Icebreakers		Optional Activities	Optional Activities	Optional Activities				
20:30	Free time	Free time	Free time	Optional Activities	Optional Activities	Optional Activities	Free time		Optional Activities	Optional Activities	Optional Activities				
21:30	Back to room	Back to room	Back to room	Back to room	Back to room	Back to room	Back to room	Back to room	Back to room	Back to room					
22:00	Lights out	Lights out	Lights out	Lights out	Lights out	Lights out	Lights out	Lights out	Lights out	Lights out					

Please note that the camp schedule is subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances.

PACKAGE INCLUDES :

1. Accommodation:

- Stay in shared standard dorms at Stanford, with 2/3/4 bed rooms available on a rolling enrollment basis.
- Linen Package: Includes beds made pre-arrival, with standard linens (sheets, blanket, pillow, comforter) and one set of bath towels.

2. Meal Plan:

- Daily Meals: Breakfast, lunch, and dinner served in Stanford campus dining halls.
- The package does not include lunches on both days of tours

3. Program Fees:

- Course Tuition: Comprehensive coverage of all academic activities.
- ChatGPT Pro Account: Access for enhanced learning and projects.
- Workshops and Seminars: Participation in specialized sessions and expert-led discussions.

4. Excursions and Activities:

- Field Trips: Organized visits to museums, cultural sites, or tech companies relevant to the program.
- Social Activities: Enjoy events like movie nights, sports, talent shows, and group games designed to foster social interaction.

5. Transportation:

- We provide bus transportation for the tours included in the program. We don't provide airport pickup and drop off service.

6. Certificate of Completion:

- Certification: Earn a Stanford IT course certification and a Digital Media Academy certification.

7. Facilities:

- Dorm Rest Area: All residences have common area lounges.
- Laundry Services: Free access to on-campus laundry facilities.



GIR 2024 RECAP

Global Innovation Race, led by Glenn Fajardo, an active member of the teaching community at the Stanford d.school for the past 10 years, and Alyssa Li, an MIT graduate with a master's degree from Stanford, showcases the brilliance and creativity of students from around the world.



As part of the program, students and their chaperones engage in the "AI Models & ChatGPT Workshop," designed and taught by Stanford IT instructors. This workshop not only deepens their understanding of AI but also culminates in the awarding of Stanford IT certifications, a proud moment for all involved.

The Global Innovation Race is more than just an educational event; it is a celebration of the students' potential to innovate and connect across cultural boundaries. Their journey is a testament to the power of creativity and the transformative possibilities of working together in a global community.

The 2024 participants, aged 13-17, hail from diverse backgrounds and countries, including Canada, Chile, China, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, South Korea, Rwanda, Singapore, and the United States. They bring their unique perspectives and innovative spirits to the event, enriching the collaborative experience.

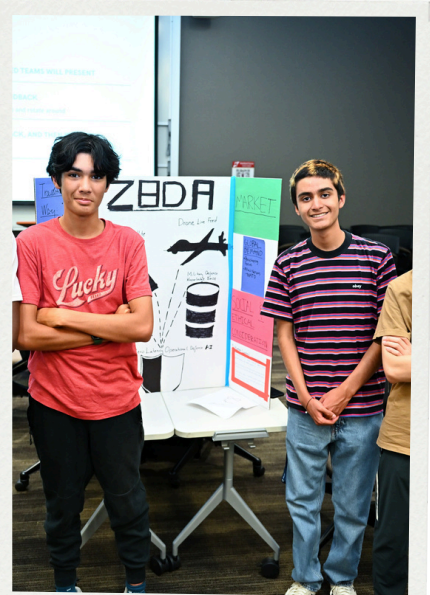
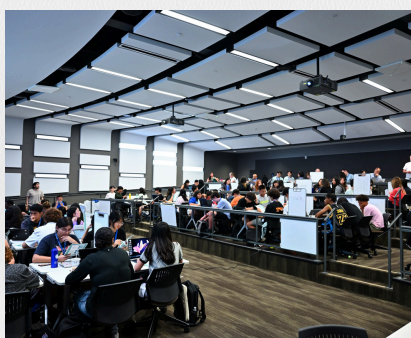


#GIR2024 students had an exciting panel discussion with Silicon Valley tech professionals, **"Finding Your Way in Tech"**.

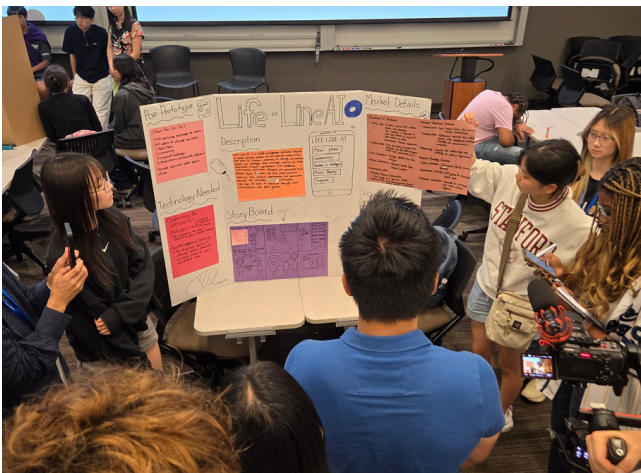
- Effie Jia- Designer @ Adobe MINT
- Teodor-Andrei A. - Software Engineer @ Meta
- Nnamdi O. - Software Engineer @ Recidiviz
- Michelle Stack - Engineering Program Manager @ Apple

GIR students heard from Stanford student entrepreneurs about their startup challenges and learned how to navigate the journey. They also gained valuable insights from Geoffrey Cox, Senior Associate Dean of Education at Stanford.









Schedule a Call

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