The 2019 Global Democracy Lab
by Democracy Without Borders and the World Parliament Experiment associations.

We invite you to participate in a unique multi-media course on

**Political Advocacy and Leadership**

in global democracy. The course is aimed at activists interested in using modern concepts of leadership as supported by professional coaches (including licensed material from Harvard University, Institute for Leadership Development, Forum for Creative Leadership 9.0, and others).

**CONTENTS**

**Day-by-Day Overview (schedule flexible):**
**Monday:** Introduction to course concept, participants, coaches, voting tool, course projects, basic ideas, and start of supervised project work

**Tuesday:** Theory and practice of leadership (Transformational Leadership, Leadership by Negotiation, Post-conventional Leadership, WeQ, Political Advocacy etc.)

**Wednesday:** Leadership as mastery of life, intensive project work with coaching and supervision

**Thursday:** Leadership 9.0 and the New Global Enlightenment, leading in complex global systems

**Freitag:** End of political votes, presentation of course results, de-briefing and outlook to possible new project phases

There will be two course weeks, one with universities and a second one with non-profit organizations as the two main target groups. Participation in both weeks is possible and also desirable as different aspects will be covered. For dates, see below.

The course is based on an updated version of the multi-media course “Leadership” by Dr. Rasmus Tenbergen for German universities. A special emphasis will be given to a voting tool for global issues.

In addition, the following concepts play a role:
- Mastery of Life
- Macht ist geil - wenn es helle Macht ist (nach Dr. Thomas Fritzsche, in German)
- Systemisches (Projekt-) Management in der VUKA-Welt (nach Thorsten Klaus, in German)
- Service Learning
- New Leadership 9.0

Details and updates will be available soon on: [www.world-parliament.org](http://www.world-parliament.org).

**VENUE**

Berlin, Germany (addresses to be announced)

**DATES & COURSE TIMES**

07 – 11 October 2019 (primarily for university students and affiliates)
21 – 25 October 2019 (primarily for professionals in non-profit organizations / NGOs)

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1 [www.ifld.de/Education/](http://www.ifld.de/Education/)
2 [www.democracywithoutborders.org/gdve-it/](http://www.democracywithoutborders.org/gdve-it/)
Times are from 10 am to 5 pm daily; depending on the total number of participants there will be two or more parallel groups.

**LANGUAGES**

English will be the main language of discourse, lectures, and training while German will be used by some speakers and is the secondary language of discourse. Should you be fluent in one but not the other, please let us know and we will try to accommodate you.

*Englisch (Hauptsprache) und Deutsch, falls nicht anders gewünscht; für Menschen, die nur eine der beiden Sprachen beherrschen, soll die Teilnahme so gut wie möglich organisiert werden (bitte bei der Anmeldung vermerken).*

**PARTICIPATION PLANS & FEES**

- Both weeks (10 days): 5,000 euros per person
- One week (5 days): 3,000 euros per person
- Single days: 700 euros per person (it is possible to combine single days on Mondays with the contiguous free days on the weekends)

**FULL OR PARTIAL FEE WAIVERS (STIPENDS)**

Full or partial fee waivers as Merit Participant Stipends are possible. The stipends can be applied for informally at the time of course application. We expressly welcome stipend applications from those who have no or insufficient capacity to fund participation fees but still deem it important to enroll.

**OBJECTIVE**

The objective of this year’s Global Democracy Lab is to promote projects within Democracy Without Borders and to enable its supporters and like-minded agents through skill building and by enhancing their professionalism through leadership development, modern approaches to issue advocacy, and internet-based policymaking. Any surpluses will be donated to Democracy Without Borders e.V.

**COURSE FACULTY**

The course will be held by team members of the Berlin –based Institute for Leadership Development under the direction of Dr. Rasmus Tenbergen. For team bios (in German) got to www.ifld.de/team.htm.

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**APPLICATION**

Please use the application form (next page)
Application for a week-long course in “Political Advocacy and Leadership”

Application deadline: 1 July 2019

I wish to register for the following elements of the above named course:

On these dates:________________________________________________________

Number of days:________________________________________________________

Fees anticipated:________________________________________________________

Name, First Name:_______________________________________________________

Telephone:______________________________________________________________

E-Mail:_______________________________________________________________

Concurrently, I am applying for a full / partial stipend amounting to this euro-amount:________

I agree to the processing and storage of my personal data in accordance with the stipulations of the EU-GDPR (Regulation (EU) 2016/679 - General Data Protection Regulation) by World Parliament Experiment.

Date & Signature:_______________________________________________________

Notes on myself (optional – what I would like the faculty to know about me):

Should you have applied for a full or partial stipend, please answer the following questions.

In my view, how could I support the aims and projects of Democracy Without Borders or similar initiatives?

Is there any other information you would like to share about your involvement in our cause? (optional)