

Global Alumni News

Connecting graduates of Generation programs worldwide



Welcome to the July 2026 Edition of Global Alumni News!

As a Generation graduate, you belong to a community of more than 155,000 alumni. Coming from different backgrounds, countries, and industries, you are all connected through the experience of mastering new skills, striving for a better career, and taking control of your future. In this newsletter, you will find upskilling and give back opportunities, read about the experiences of other graduates, and get updates from the global alumni network.

155,000+

graduates across 17 countries since launching in 2015

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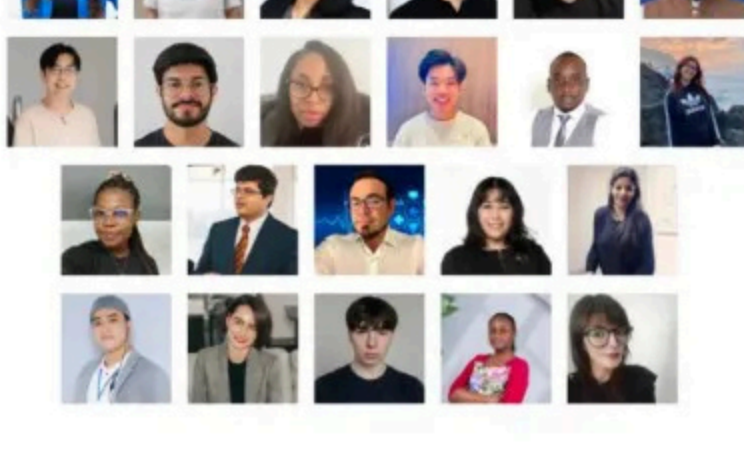
professions where we train, support and place adults of all ages

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sectors in which our programs are designed for in-demand roles

Update from the Global Alumni Ambassadors

Generation Global Alumni Ambassadors Council 2026



The **2026 cohort of Global Alumni Ambassadors** is now halfway through their year-long journey with Generation! This year, we are proud to welcome 22 ambassadors across 17 countries.

As ambassadors, the cohort has amplified Generation's voice by sharing their stories with board members, country leaders, and their broader networks, allowing audiences to engage directly with and learn from alumni experiences. They have also strengthened fundraising efforts by building readiness to engage funders and contributing insights from their countries.

At the same time, ambassadors are continuing to grow professionally through the program. They have participated in masterclasses on storytelling and media training, and each was paired with a senior professional mentor to support their ongoing development.

Interested in joining the next cohort? **Applications for the 2027 Global Alumni Ambassadors program will open in November 2026.** You can learn more about the program and register your interest below. 🌟

[Register your interest](#)

Alumni Opportunities

Are you an alum with work experience looking to advance your career?

Generation Global is continuing a small recruitment service for experienced alumni with 2+ years of work experience. We have a team of recruiters partnering with employers to secure mid- and senior-level opportunities globally.

If you are interested in exploring more senior roles and are proficient in English, **follow the link below to submit your English CV and share your career goals.** The team will be in touch if there is a strong match with an open opportunity.

[I'm interested](#)

McKinsey.org Forward Learning Program

If you're looking to continue building skills needed to navigate a changing workplace, we highly recommend the [McKinsey.org Forward learning program](#).

Forward is a free 10-week online digital learning program designed to help participants strengthen practical skills that are increasingly important in today's work environment. The program focuses on areas such as adaptability, effective communication, relationship building, problem-solving, and digital and AI essentials.

Register your interest below for the next cohort which will begin in August! When the applications open, make sure you include your special Generation referral code. The code is **G110**.

The program will be offered in English and Latin American Spanish.

🌟 To learn more and see if you are eligible, click [here](#).

[Register your interest](#)

Alumni Voices from Around the World

Meet some of your fellow alumni and hear their stories, in their own words

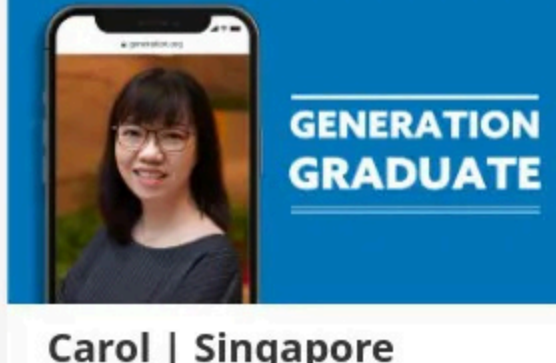


Miguel | Colombia

Miguel grew up in a small town in Colombia's Atlántico department, where resources were limited. Determined to pursue higher education, Miguel worked tirelessly to earn a top score on Colombia's national high school exam and secured admission and a full scholarship to one of the country's leading private universities. However, a severe health crisis forced him to pause his studies and lose his scholarship. After recovering and searching for a new path forward, Miguel discovered Generation Colombia's Full Stack Development program. Reflecting on his journey, he shared, "I am no longer a burden to my family; I can now support them financially."

Learn more about Miguel's story, in his own words, below.

[Learn more about Miguel](#)



Carol | Singapore

Carol had spent nearly 30 years building a career in publishing when the industry took a steep decline following COVID. As bookstores closed and distribution halted, her company reduced her role to part-time, leaving her with an uncertain future. Determined to find a more sustainable path, she decided to start over in tech, even amid the rising issue of ageism in Singapore. Carol began applying for jobs but struggled to get responses. Realizing she needed new skills to move forward, she started searching for training opportunities and came across Generation Singapore's Junior Data Engineer program. "I'm really grateful to Generation because I managed to find my new job and pivot into the tech industry," she told us. Learn more about Carol's story, in her own words, below.

[Learn more about Carol](#)

Alumni News from Across the Network

Generation alumni are leveling up with AI

We've expanded access to both profession-specific and generalist AI training to help alumni boost their skills and productivity, with a digital badge awarded upon completion. This year, we launched **14 additional asynchronous AI upskilling cohorts, with 3,600+ alumni enrolled.**

We're rolling out these opportunities across regions and alumni communities, and we look forward to continuing to expand access over time. Keep an eye on your email for opportunities as they become available!

6,000+ voices heard in our 2026 Global Alumni Survey!

Thank you to the 6,000+ alumni across 17 countries who participated in our 2026 Global Alumni Survey. We are grateful for your feedback, which helps shape our programs and offerings. We look forward to sharing findings in our next newsletter!

Click [here](#) to read about some of the learnings from the 2025 Global Alumni Survey.

Alumni Event for Africa virtually brought together alumni across Ghana and Kenya

This past May, **200+ alumni from Ghana and Kenya joined a virtual Alumni Event for Africa to learn about AI and the Future of Work in Africa.**

Graduates also had the opportunity to connect and network with one another.

Thank you for joining us! We hope to offer similar events in other Generation regions soon, and upcoming opportunities will be communicated via email.

Give Back to Generation & Support Future Learners

As a Generation graduate, you know first-hand the difference that a Generation program can make in launching a career. In fact, 80% of alumni report wanting to give back in one or more ways, and when you do, you help make our programs available to future learners. Here are some ways that you can give back:

🌍 Volunteer with your local Generation country

Our country teams are always looking for an extra hand to support recruitment or learner programs.

👥 Refer a friend or family member to our programs

Do you know someone who could benefit from a Generation program? Tell them about our programs and encourage them to apply!

💼 Hire our graduates

Are you, or your company, looking for entry-level talent? Consider introducing your company to Generation or hiring recent Generation graduates.

💰 Donate to Generation

Donations help expand access to Generation programs for future learners and can be made through the [Generation website](#) or local country offices. You can support our mission by encouraging your network to donate to Generation!

If you have any questions about giving back, please send us an email at alumni@generation.org. We would be happy to hear from you.